DAILY POST.

A Terrible Mean Man.

We have known some very mean men in our time. There was Deacon Overreach; now he was so mean, he always carried a hen in his gig-box when he traveled to pick up the oats his horse wasted in the manger, and lay an egg for his breakfast in the morning. And then there was Hugo Himmelanf who made his wife dig potatoes to pay for the marriage license. We must tell that story of Hugo, for it is not a bad one, and good stories, like potatoes, are not so plenty now as they used to be when we were a boy. When he was going to get married to Gretchen Golp, he goes down to Parson Rogers, at Digby, to get a license. 'Porson,' says he, 'what's the price of a license?' 'Six dollars,' says he. 'Six dollars,' said Hugo, 'that's a dreadful sight of money. Couldn't you take no less?' 'No says he, 'that's what they cost me at the Secretary's office at Halifax.' 'Well, how much do you ax for publishing in church then?' 'Nothing,' says the parson. Well, says Hugo, 'that's so cheap, I can't expect you to give no change back. I think I'll be published. How long does it take?' 'Three Sundays!' says the parson. 'Well, that's a long time. But three Sundays only make a fortnight, after all; two for the covers and one for the inside like; and six dollars is a great sum of money for a poor man to throw away. I must wait.'—So off he went, jogging towards home, and looking about as mean as a new sheared sheep, when all at once a bright thought came into his head, ann back he went as hard as his horse would carry him. 'Parson,' says he, 'I have changed my mind—here's the six dollars. I'll tie the knot to-night with my tongue that I can't undo with my teeth.' 'Why, what in nature is the meaning of all this?' says the parson. 'Why,' says Hugo, 'I've been cyphering it out in my head, and its cheaper than publishing banns, after all. You see, sir, its potato-digging time; if I wait to be called in church, her father will have her work for nothing; and as hands are scarce and wages high, if I marry her to night, she can begin to dig our own to-morrow, and that will pay for the license and just seven shillings over, for there ain't a man in all Clements that can dig and carry as many bushels a day as Gretchen can. And, besides, fresh wives work like smoke at first, but they get saucy and lazy after a while.' He married her and made her dig potatoes during the honeymoon. We call that mean.—*Sam Slick.*

A Great Waterfall.

A detachment of troops recently scouting in the valley of the Snake or Lewis fork of the Columbia, discovered a waterfall which, it is said, is entitled to the distinction of being called the greatest in the world. The entire volume of Snake river pours over a sheer precipice one hundred and ninety-eight feet high, thirty-eight feet higher than Niagara. Snake river is full as large as the Niagara, and the Cascade is one solid sheet or body. The locality of this immense waterfall is near the point heretofore designated as the Great Shoshone or Salmon falls of that river, but they have always been enveloped in mystery. Almost a dozen years ago the writer passed along the Snake river road. For two days we had heard the roaring of these falls, but learned no more respecting them than if they had been in the moon. It was said that there were a series of falls and rapids, making a descent of seven hundred feet in seven miles, and the sound gave color to the report. For hundreds of miles across the great plain Snake river flows through a canon, with vertical walls hundreds of feet high. It is only at long intervals that salient points are found by which the river can be reached. The road crosses from point to point of the bends, only approaching close to the river where there is a chance to descend for water. From these facts very few, if any, of the tens of thousands of adventurers that have crossed the plains ever looked upon the great falls. The late discoverers report beside the main cataract many others of less height, varying from twenty to fifty feet each, near by. Some day they will be visited by the tourist and pleasure-seeker, and looked upon as frequently and familiarly as Niagara is to-day, and it will be admitted that, with the stupendous grandeur of their surroundings, they are as far beyond Niagara as Niagara now excels the balance of the world.

A Jolly Thanksgiving.

Chicago, next after Boston, must be considered the headquarters of the progressive reformers, and, as might be expected, some of the clergymen there had a novel way of observing Thanksgiving day. A few dispensed with texts of Scripture and went directly to their subjects, hampered by no such embarrassment. One chose for a topic, "Lincoln and Liberty." Another exhausted himself in flights of eloquence, referring to the honest rail-boy of Illinois as "the man of destiny who should stand out forever as the representative of this struggle, to whom thirty centuries hence the world will look back as we now gaze at old Pericles." Incidentally the shoddyites get a severe thrust from another preacher, as follows: "Shoddy comes from the devil, and those who supply shoddy to our gallant men go to the devil. Broad is the way, wide is the gate; it is a steep incline—there are no breaks on the train and it serves them right.

Still another Doctor of Divinity made an excellent hit, viz:

"Dr. Clarkson said that if, when the plates were all handed in, the amount seemed to be generous and sufficient, they would conclude the services by singing 'Praise God from whom all blessings flow; if not, he would pronounce the benediction, and let the audience retire 'unhonored and unsung.' On inspection of the plates—the tune having been deemed satisfactory—the whole congregation joined heartily in singing the 'Old Hundred Doxology' and were dismissed."

Though very thankful for the Emancipation Proclamation, and all the other good things this clergyman would not sing "Praise God" without a liberal collection—which seems almost unreasonable. Mr. Lincoln and the Proclamation were the standard topics in the churches. In the evening, we are told by the newspapers, the places of amusements were crowded to overflowing.

GENERAL MEADE wrote a letter to a friend in New Jersey immediately previous to his late movement across the Rapidan, in which occurs the following paragraph:

I am fully aware of the great anxiety in the public mind that something should be done, I am in receipt of many letters, some from persons in high positions, telling me I had better have my army destroyed, and the country filled up with the bodies of the soldiers, than remain inactive. Whilst I do not suffer myself to be influenced by such communications, I am and have been most anxious to effect something, but am determined, at every hazard, not to attempt anything unless my judgment indicates a probability of accomplishing some object commensurate with the destruction of life necessarily involved. I would rather a thousand times be relieved, charged with tardiness or incompetency, than have my conscience burdened with a wanton slaughter, uselessly, of brave men, or with having endangered the great cause by doing what I thought wrong.

These are the words of a true soldier and a wise, prudent leader. Whatever the fight at any cost people may say, we believe the country at large will warmly indorse the course of General Meade. He is at least a safe general—just the sort of one we want in front of Washington.

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One person to serve as Mayor of said city.

One person to serve as Controller of said city, and

One person to serve as Treasurer of said city, each of whom shall hold their office for two years.

On the same day, in conformity to the above cited authorities, and also to the Ordinances of Councils districting said city, the citizens of the

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Given under my hand and the seal of the said City of Pittsburgh, the 16th day of December, A. D., 1863.

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JACOB KELLER WOULD INVITE particular attention to his stock of German Wines and French Brandies which has been selected and imported by himself. Families and churches could depend on obtaining at this establishment the best and purest of Wines. Pure Liquors of all kinds, equal to any in the city, always on hand. Also, pure old Rye Whisky and the best Rectified Monongahela. oc30

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BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS,
IN ALL THEIR VARIETIES.
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FRANK KELLY,
Alderman and Attorney at Law,
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☞Collection of accounts and all legal business promptly attended to. ne21yd

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MERCHANT TAILORS,
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WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A large and well selected stock of
Fall and Winter Goods,
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ALSO—A large stock of
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Corner Market and First streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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JAMES MILLIGAN, MONONGAHELA PLANING MILL, would respectfully inform the public that he has rebuilt since the fire, and having enlarged his establishment, and filled it with the newest and most approved machinery, is now prepared to furnish flooring and planing boards, scroll sawing and re-sawing, doors, sash and shutters, kiln dried, frames, mouldings, box making, &c.
SOUTH PITTSBURGH, Sept. 7, 1857. ja28

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No. 350 Liberty Street,
Next to Pennsylvania Passenger Depot
JOHN SAVAGE, Proprietor.
HAVING TAKEN AND FITTED UP, with all the modern improvements, this popular resort, the subscriber is prepared to accommodate his old customers and the public generally, with the best the markets afford. Oysters will be served up in every variety of style, during the season. His Wines, Liquors and Ales he feels confident in recommending to the public for their excellence.
Gun, Bucket and Shell Oysters received daily and sold wholesale and retail. my20:1yd

OUR HOUSE,
NO. 82 DIAMOND ALLEY,
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THE SUBSCRIBER ANNOUNCES to the public that he is in daily receipt of FRESH SHELL AND CAN OYSTERS, GAME, &c., and is prepared to accommodate the patrons of this old and well known house with everything in the eating and drinking line at the shortest notice. JOHN SHALER,
jal0:1y Proprietor.

Young's Eating Saloon,
CORNER VIRGIN ALLEY AND SMITHFIELD STREETS.
Where OYSTERS and all the delicacies of the season will be served up in the most palatable style. ELI YOUNG.
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Meals served at all hours on the shortest notice.
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Nine Daily Trains.
THE THROUGH ACCOMMODATION Train leaves the passenger Station Daily, (except Sunday,) at 5 50 a. m., stopping at all stations between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, and making direct connection for New York at Philadelphia.
THE THROUGH MAIL TRAIN leaves the Passenger Station every morning, (except Sunday,) at 2 50 a. m., stopping only at principal Stations, and making direct connections at Harrisburg for Baltimore and Washington, and for New York via Philadelphia.
THE THROUGH EXPRESS TRAIN leaves daily, at 4 25 p. m., stopping only at principal stations, making direct connection at Harrisburg for Baltimore and Washington, and for New York via Allentown Route and Philadelphia.
THE FAST LINE leaves the Station daily, (except Sunday,) at 855 p. m., stopping only at principal Stations, connecting at Harrisburg for Baltimore and Washington, and at Philadelphia for New York.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves daily, (except Sunday,) at 3 00 p. m., stopping at all Stations, and running as far as Conemaugh.
FIRST ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, leaves daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 30 a. m.
SECOND ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, leaves daily, (except Sunday,) at 11 40 a. m.
THIRD ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station leaves daily, (except Sunday,) at 3 50 p. m.
FOURTH ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station leaves daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 00 p. m.
THE CHURCH TRAIN leaves Wall's Station, every Sunday at 9 05 a. m.; returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12 45 p. m.
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ARRIVE IN PITTSBURGH AS FOLLOWS:
Baltimore Express.....12 50 p. m.
Philadelphia Express.....1 20 p. m.
Fast Line.....1 30 a. m.
Through Mail Train.....1 00 a. m.
Johnstown Accommodation.....10 05 a. m.
1st Wall's Station Accommodation.....6 25 a. m.
2d Wall's Station Accommodation.....8 35 a. m.
3d Wall's Station Accommodation.....1 55 p. m.
4th Wall's Station Accommodation.....6 05 p. m.
Baltimore Express will arrive with Philadelphia Express at 1 20 p. m. on Mondays.
TRAINS FOR BLAIRSVILLE and INDIANA connect at Blairsville Intersection with Through Accommodation, Johnstown Accommodation and Express Train East, and with Baltimore Express and Johnstown Accommodation West.
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The traveling Public will find it greatly to their interest, in going East or West, to travel by the PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, as the accommodations now offered cannot be surpassed on any other route. The Road is ballasted with stone, and is entirely free from dust, we can promise Safety, Speed and Comfort to all who may favor this Road with their patronage.
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N. B.—An Omnibus line has been employed to convey Passengers and Baggage to and from the Depot, at a charge not to exceed 25 cents for each passenger and baggage.
J. STEWART, Agent.
At the P. R. R., Passenger Station, on Liberty and Grant streets. no20

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