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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 19, 1864.

Supreme Court.—The following cases were disposed of in the Supreme Court yesterday—present Chief Justice Woodward, and Judges Strong, Thompson, Read and Agnew:

Dean vs. Sloan and others. Crawford. Argued by D. M. Farrelly for plaintiff in error, and by Church, contra.

Selden Marvin and F. F. Marshall, of Erie county, were, on motion of Benjamin Grant, esq., duly admitted and qualified to practice in the Supreme Court.

Milnarville vs. Silverthorn. Erie. On motion of Mr. S. E. Woodruff, the continuance ordered yesterday was taken off.

Phelps' Assignees' Appeal. Erie. Argued by James O. Marshall for appellants, Benjamin Grant for Hector McLean, appellee, and by E. Babbitt for Lebbas Marey, appellee.

Sanford & Co. vs. Hays. Erie. Argued by Selden Marvin for plaintiffs in error, and J. Gunnison, contra.

McConnell & Cr. vs. Carey. Erie. Argued by S. E. Woodruff for plaintiffs in error, and J. F. Vincent, contra.

Osborn vs. Chapin. Erie. On motion of Benjamin Grant, attorney for defendant in error, judgment of *non pros.*

Randall vs. Wait. Erie. Argued by Cutler for plaintiff in error, and by S. E. Woodruff, contra.

The Court directed notice to be given to the attorneys that the Allegheny county list will be taken up on this (Wednesday) morning at nine o'clock.

Review of the Oil Business.—The Oil City *Register* gives the following review of the oil business for the past two weeks:

"For the previous two weeks the oil business has been dull. The rapid decline in the price of gold and of most stocks occasioned this. Buyers do not care about operating extensively until there is a more settled state of the financial market, and are only buying to fill necessary orders. The prices here, which declined a week since, have stiffened up within the last two days. Considerable transactions have taken place, with a better feeling in the market and a slight advance in the prices. The stock of Crude Petroleum is represented as light in all the Eastern cities, and is extremely so here, at the place of production. There has been a falling off in the daily production during the past two weeks, which is estimated by some at one thousand barrels per day. Prices at the wells $6 50a7. The river is now in good flowing order, but all freights are scarce. With the season for consumption and foreign shipment just at hand, is it not reasonable to suppose that prices will long continue at the present figures?"

From this it would appear that dealers expect an increase in price. The business is being carried on energetically, and although the rows up that creek are in a very bad condition, and the amount of teaming done is light, large quantities of oil have been brought to the city. The river is in such good order that most of the boats have made two and some of them three trips.

Photographs.—The photographs of B. L. H. Dabbs, No. 45 St. Clair street, are generally conceded to be the best in the city. They are sold at the most reasonable prices, while in every other respect they exceed any article in the same line that came under our notice. Owing to these facts, which are generally the most important in the eye of the public, the patronage of Mr. Dabbs extends all over this county and State, and it is truly wonderful with what expediency and punctuality he answers the numerous demands of the patronizing public. Doubtless many of our readers will be desirous of having their likenesses taken immediately while this clear and beautiful weather lasts, as the misty weather which prevails during the winter months is very unfavorable to photography. We would deem it highly advisable for them to visit Mr. Dabbs' beautiful gallery and examine the splendid specimens of his art which he has on exhibition. By this means we feel confident that they will be able to obtain a good and faithful likeness, and one which will form one of the principal ornaments of a fine album, where it will shine conspicuous among the rest.

Strange Traditions in Regard to Petroleum.—Many years ago, as the Seneca Indians have the tradition, the Great Spirit appeared to one of the chiefs in a dream, and told him if he would proceed to a certain part of the country he would find, oozing up from the earth, a liquid which would prove a balm for the cure of many ailments to which the red man as well as the white men were heirs to. The chief proceeded to the spot, and there found the balm flowing copiously from the earth. The instructions of the vision were complied with, and sure enough the liquid proved a healing balm to the tribes of the Senecas. There are white people now living who were treated medically by these Indians with this ointment, and we believe there is still an article known and sold as "Seneca Oil."

The medical properties of petroleum have been recently tested in many cases, and it has always been found to possess healing qualities in a far greater degree than many of our physicians have dreamt of. It is indeed a medicine as well as a means of furnishing light, and we feel confident that it will be used in after time for the above purpose to a far greater extent than at present.

Fire on the Tarr Farm.—We noticed, a short time ago, a fire which took place on the Tarr farm, by which one thousand barrels of oil were destroyed, several wells stopped, engines burned, &c. The Oil City *Register* gives the following additional particulars: The fire commenced at the Cornwall well, pumping at the time one hundred barrels per day. The tanks and some six hundred barrels of oil were consumed, the engines rendered useless and the well stopped. The fire extended to the Kehoe, Weasel, Dinsmore & Co. and Kirwan wells, burning up both tanks, machinery and derricks. These wells were producing, previous to the fire, about three hundred barrels per day. They are all stopped now.

Preparations are making to start them again as soon as possible. The fire is supposed to have been occasioned by a party visiting the derrick with a lighted lantern, the fire having occurred about two o'clock on Friday morning. The total loss is estimated at from $30,000 to $40,000. We heard of no insurance.

Fire on Smithfield Street.—A fire broke out on Tuesday morning about one o'clock in a frame building attached to the dyeing establishment of O. Pastkowsky & Sons. The steamers were promptly on the spot and prevented the flames from communicating to the adjoining building. The frame building in which the fire broke out was totally destroyed, but as it was of but little value the damage sustained is not large. The fixtures, however, and clothing which were consumed in the flames are said to have been worth between two and three thousand dollars. The close proximity of the fire to the dyeing establishment created the impression among those who were not present that it was burnt down, but on the following morning they were happy to learn that their fears were not realized.

Probably Fatal Accident.—A shocking accident occurred yesterday afternoon at the Connellsville railroad depot, of which a young man named Thomas O. Rivers was the unfortunate victim. It appears that he was on his return to his residence in Elizabeth township, and was stepping on the train which had already commenced to move, when he accidentally fell beneath the car, one of the wheels passing over both his thighs, crushing them in a horrible manner and entirely severing the right foot from his body. In this sad condition he was conveyed to the office of Dr. McCook, where his wounds were dressed. When last seen he was still living, suffering the most excruciating pain from his injuries and greatly enfeebled from the loss of blood. It is thought that he will not survive.

Catarrh.—One of the prevailing diseases of this section of the country is Catarrh. We have noticed it especially in our own vicinity, and have often wondered that nothing effective had been done to alleviate this dangerous and disagreeable difficulty, afflicting as it does many of the most prominent organs. Dr. Lighthill, of New York, celebrated in the treatment of this affection, is now in Pittsburgh, at the St. Charles Hotel, where he will remain until Saturday evening, (Oct. 29th,) and we would advise the afflicted to embrace this opportunity to consult such good authority upon this subject.

Everyone uses stationery, envelopes, &c., and we can inform our readers that no place in the city can they be better suited than at the store of Myers, Schoyer & Co., No. 29 Fifth street. They have always on hand a fine assortment of fine English, French and American papers and envelopes, both for ladies and for counting house use. They also manufacture blank books of every description to order. Among their stock can be found one of the finest assortment of gold pens in the city, being from the celebrated manufactory of John Foley, New York.

Sentenced.—In the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday Thomas Davis was convicted of the larceny of a bundle of socks and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. John Flood, whom we had occasion to notice a few days ago, was likewise convicted of larceny and sentenced to three years imprisonment in the penitentiary. Several other cases were disposed of, but they were all of minor importance.

Oil Strike.—We learn that Capt. Lawrence Grininger, formerly of New Bedford, Mass., but who has been for several years past operating in the oil region, has lately struck a well upon the Smith farm, on Cherry run, which is now producing 60 barrels a day, with a good prospect of increasing.

Killed.—On Wednesday night, the 5th inst., a soldier named Wm. Tompkins, was killed and six others injured, all of the 5th Wisconsin regiment, at the depot at Patterson, on the Pennsylvania railroad.

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Prices.—Gold is beginning to go up again, and we may be expecting a proportionate rise in the prices of all the necessaries of life. It is difficult to determine why this precious metal has decreased so much in value during the last few weeks, and it is still more difficult to account for its enhanced value during the present time. Whatever be the cause, gold is going up, goods are commencing to demand higher prices, and consequently it would not appear imprudent or unadvisable for a man to lay in a stock of all sorts of necessaries and be prepared for the worst.

Important Oil Strikes.—We understand that an important oil strike was made on the Cochran farm, two miles below Franklin, last week, and that the well already flows nearly one hundred barrels per day. Several other strikes have also been made in that region, all of considerable importance. No doubt we may expect to receive large quantities of oil from that quarter as soon as all the wells are put into operation.

Theatre.—Last night this favorite place of amusement was utterly crowded by an immense concourse of people, anxious to witness the performance of Yankee Locke in the great moral and affecting drama entitled "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room." The performance was a perfect success, and Messrs. Locke, Rankin and others acted their part to perfection. The same fine programme is offered again to-night.

Important to Constables.—In the Court of Quarter Sessions, on Tuesday morning, the Court issued the following important order: "It appearing that a large number of constables of the county have failed to make returns of the persons selling liquors, as by law required, the District Attorney is directed to prepare bills of indictment against all delinquents and prefer the same before the Grand Jury for their action."

Harper's Monthly.—We have just received Harper's Monthly Magazine for November. It is one of the most interesting volumes of this delightful magazine that has come under our notice for some time, and no one should omit purchasing a copy. For sale at Henry Miner's.

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FROM OUR FIRST EDITION.

Stirring Times in the Valley.

NEW YORK, October 18.—The caution Sheridan has shown in his campaign has been nowhere more strongly evinced than in the affairs of last Saturday. The *Herald's* correspondent says: Early this morning the rebels appeared in our front in the woods and along the hills south of Cedar creek. Their presence caused General Sheridan to use the caution he has so often exhibited, with a view to ascertain his adversary's movements.

Shortly after noon to-day, the enemy suddenly opened a heavy artillery fire from a position on the Strasburg pike, directing it on the front occupied by the 19th Corps, and a diagonal fire on the First division of Gen. Crook's army of West Virginia, which occupied a position in a piece of woods at the base of the north point of the Massanutin mountain on our extreme left.

The fire of the enemy was rapid, shell and shot falling directly into the camp of Gen. Crook's 1st division, which caused them to retire a little to the rear. Our artillery under its chief Captain, Dupon, was soon brought up and stationed on hills in front of our position, and commenced a lively reply to the enemy; causing him, after a brisk cannonade to return with his guns.

A portion of the Nineteenth corps advanced in line of battle from their camps to feel the enemy, which they did in good order, while Col. Thorburn's division of Crook's command broke camp and advanced along and to the left of the Strasburg pike. Our troops advanced under cover of the fire of our guns, and moved with celerity.

They had not proceeded far when they became hotly engaged with the enemy's infantry, who were found occupying a secure place, and along the wooded hills. The musketry fire was very sharp, and lasted for nearly three hours. The First Brigade, First Division, commanded by Col. Wells, 34th Massachusetts, moving on the left of the pike, were hotly engaged during the entire affair, and although charged by the enemy repeatedly, stood their ground nobly.

While this brigade was engaged and heavily pressed, Colonel Wells fell mortally wounded, the ball passing through his left lung. He fell into the hands of the enemy. It became apparent as the firing was going on that the demonstration on our left was for the purpose of covering another movement, which subsequently appeared to be an attempt to turn our position by flanking.

Our infantry front was changed so as to confront the rebel route of march, by order of General Sheridan, who was in a position that covered the entire field of operations. General Custer, commanding the Third Division of Cavalry, was ordered to move from our left to the right, and in the middle of the afternoon met the enemy at or near a ford on Cedar Creek. He soon become engaged, and by dark had driven the enemy back.

He posted his line on the east side of the creek, while the enemy occupied the opposite bank. At dark the artillery firing ceased on both sides.

More Depredations by Guerrillas.

NEW YORK, October 18.—A *Herald* Washington special says: The guerrillas have resumed their depredations on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and have almost entirely checked navigation. Four boats were destroyed between Edwards Ferry and the Monocacy last week. Guerrillas are reported to be hovering in large numbers in the vicinity of the southern defences of Washington. A considerable force of Mosby's men passed through Fairfax Court House to-day. The country along the line of the Orange and Alexander and Manassas Gap Railroad is being rendered uninhabitable to guerrillas. The Manassas Gap Railroad is in running order to its western terminus at Strasburg.

NEW YORK, October 18.—The Washington correspondent of the *Tribune* says: Orders have been issued that if another attack should be made on a Government train similar to the late one in which so many lives were lost, every house occupied by a rebel sympathizer within five miles of the Manassas Railroad, on either side, shall be immediately destroyed. Meanwhile every train bearing a party of rebel sympathizers, selected from the abundant number in Alexandria, to receive such bullets as their friends may choose to fire at them.

Estimated Majority in Ohio 74,000.

CINCINNATI, October 18.—Returns from eighty counties in Ohio give a Union majority of 26,163. It is estimated that the soldiers' vote will make the Union majority seventy-four thousand.

A dispatch from Nashville to the *Commercial* says: General Hood was at Ship's Gap, three miles east of Lafayette, on the 16th. General Sherman was pressing him closely, and a battle cannot long be delayed.

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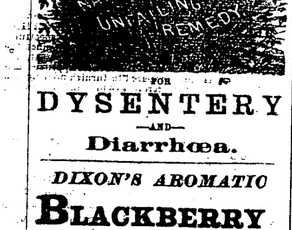

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

SECOND EDITION.

NEWS FROM THE FRONT.

Extracts from Richmond Papers.

The Enemy Awaiting an Advance

Destruction of Rebel Property.

Baltimore Merchants Arrested.

Counterfeit Postal Currency.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The Richmond *Whig*, of the 15th, says: The Petersburg *Express* of yesterday says, our army is calmly awaiting the advance of the enemy on the right, fully prepared to receive them when such a move is attempted. Though no disposition is shown to attack our position there since the late reconnoissance, yet it is believed that the silence of the last few days is but the quiet that produces the outbreak. It is not unlikely that an attempt will be made to flank our works as we think the enemy is fully satisfied of the futility of all efforts to take them by assault.

At the present moment, says the *Express*, attention is directed to the north side of the James river, where a heavy engagement seems not at all unlikely.

It is known that Grant has largely reinforced the forces already there, within the last two or three nights, and it is not improbable that when fighting is commenced we shall have it at both ends of the line.

The *Whig* referring to the destruction of rebel property in the Shenandoah valley, says, the fell work is still going on, by order of Gen. Grant to destroy everything that will sustain life in the valley. There is one effectual way, and only one, that we know of to arrest and prevent this, and that is to burn one of the chief cities of the enemy; say, Boston, Philadelphia or Cincinnati, and let its fate hang over the others as a warning of what may be done, and what will be done to them if the present system of war on the part of the enemy is continued. If we are asked how such a thing can be done, we answer nothing could be done easier. A million of dollars would lay the proudest city of the enemy in ashes. The men to do the work are already there. There would be no difficulty in finding them here or in Canada, suitable persons to take charge of the enterprise and arrange its details. Twenty men, with plans all preconcerted and means provided, selecting some dry, windy night, might fire Boston in a hundred places and wrap it in flames from centre to suburbs. They might retaliate on Richmond, Charleston, &c., but let them do so if they dare. They will find that New York is worth twenty Richmonds. They have a dozen towns to our one, and in their towns is centred nearly all their wealth.

The *Examiner* takes to task the two Southern statesmen, —— and Boyce, who have advocated the momentous proposition of a convention of all the States, and, in a fine vein of ridicule, depicts the mighty convention, with the South Carolina delegates sitting cheek by jowl with Banks, Sumner, Everett and Beast Butler.

The *Tribune's* special says: A special train from Baltimore was required today to bring down ninety or one hundred merchants and clerks who were arrested there for selling goods to smugglers for running the blockade. Similar arrests were made simultaneously in St. Louis, Cincinnati, Philadelphia and here, and numbers of business men in fair repute seem to be involved.

Detectives yesterday discovered a manufactory of counterfeit postal currency on Long Island and arrested several men. They secured the presses, papers and printed notes. This is the third establishment broken up within a week.

FROM GEN. SHERIDAN.

Skirmishing with Guerrillas.

13 Guns Captured by Sheridan.

PHILADELPHIA, October 18.—The *Bulletin* says: A gentleman who left Winchester on last Saturday reports that there was a good deal of skirmishing with guerrillas in the valley, but nothing serious had occurred, and the supply trains were moving regularly towards Uniontown. On Friday last our pickets near Martinsburg were driven in by a guerrilla force.

The eleven guns captured from the rebels from Sheridan had arrived at Winchester, and on Friday two more came in. They were formerly United States guns, and were probably obtained at the seizure of our arsenals, &c, by the rebels.

Sheridan was sending in large droves of captured oxen, sheep, &c. The destruction of barns, mills, &c., was going on, so that the rebels will not be able to maintain themselves in the valley.

A considerable force of our troops had been sent to Front Royal to guard the railroad which is to be opened to Manassas Junction, so as to secure communication with Alexandria. The repairs of the road have already been completed to Rectorstown.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The 18th corps correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* chronicles the fact of a fort being constructed in one night, by the Fourth regiment, U. S. colored troops. So silently was the work conducted, those inside of the breastworks knew nothing about it, and in the morning were astounded at what appeared to be the work of magic.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 18.—No home vote will be sent here, officially, until the soldiers vote is counted.

FROM NEW YORK.

THE GOLD MARKET.

Another Order by General Fry.

All Quiet at the Front.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The bull movements in gold has broken down and the price has fallen rapidly during the morning. The price opened at 215 and sold as low 206½, and went up again to 209.

The *Commercial's* Washington special says, the Provost Marshal General has adopted regulations that in case drafted men desert prior to their muster into service, the quotas of their respective districts will not be credited, and a supplemental draft will be made where deficiencies exist from that cause.

The *Commercial's* Washington dispatch says: Passengers from City Point to-day report all quiet at the front.

Refugees from Rockingham county, Va., say that the Union people in that region rejoice at the destruction of secessionists' barns by Sheridan. Although their owy property suffered as well, they deem the punishment just and proper.

The *Post's* Washington special says: The interview of the ten delegates with the President has been grossly misrepresented. The members were treated courteously, but Mr. Lincoln declined to interfere with Gov. Johnson's regulations intending to keep the rebels from the polls.

Two more currency counterfeiters, named Wagner and Forney, were arrested at East New York yesterday and the counterfeiting materials seized.

News from Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A gentleman who left Sheridan's army yesterday, reports that the rebels have re-occupied Fisher's Hill on the left of the position, heretofore carried by Gen. Crook, and are erecting fortifications there. Our troops are in the neighborhood of Strasburg.

The Treasury Department sent of today four millions and a half of bonds of the new loan, and will continue to forward them to subscribers immediately on the receipt of certificates.

Subscriptions to the 7 30 loan for the last two days to $1,048,500.

From Gen. Sherman.

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, Oct. 18, 9 p. m.—*Maj. Gen. Dix*: Subjoined dispatchs have reached this Department this afternoon:

Nashville, Oct. 17.—The following dispatch has been received from Gen. Sherman:

Ship Gap, Oct. 16.—We took Ship Gap, to-day, capturing part of the 24th North Carolina. Two corps are represented to be at Lafayette, four miles south from Villanova Plain. They obstructed Snake creek pass to delay our trains; but by to-morrow I can move in any direction. (Signed)

W. T. SHERMAN, Maj Gen.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, Oct. 18.—Flour quiet; wheat and corn inactive, nominal and no demand. Oats 74@74½c. Barley $1 75. Rye $1 35. Whisky $1 75.

Oswego Market.

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N. B.—A hack runs daily to Loretto from Cresson.

ad2 Rev. E. A. BUSH, Superior

THE FALL STOCK OF

FANCY GOODS, VARIETIES AND TOYS, WALL PAPER, WINDOW SHADES, and TABLE OIL CLOTHS,

Have just been received at

FOERSTER & SCHWARZ'S,

octl1 164 Smithfield Street.

SPICED AND COVE OYSTERS.—100 dozen "Maltby" Spiced and Cove Oysters, in 1 and 2 pound cans. Just received and for sale by REYMER & BROS., 138 and 138 Wood st.

REVOLVERS—COLTS, SMITH & WESSON'S, Elliott's, Sharp's and various other kinds, for sale by JAMES BOWN, 84 Wood street.

THE TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

Pennsylvania Central.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Thro Accom'n	5:50 a m	Baltimore Ex	12:20 p m
Thro Mail	2:00 a m	Phila Ex	11:50 p m
Thro Express	4:25 p m	Fast Line	12:50 a m
Fast Line	8:35 p m	Thro Mail	12:20 a m
John'n Acc	3:00 p m	John'n Acc	10:05 a m
1st Wall Station	6:30 a m	1st Wall Sta'n	6:15 a m
2d do	11:40 a m	2d do	8:35 a m
3d do	3:50 p m	3d do	1:55 p m
4th do	6:00 p m	4th do	5:55 p m

The Church train leaves Wall's Station (on Sunday) at 9:05 a m; returns at 12:45 p m.

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Fast Line	1:00 a m	Chicago Ex	2:20 a m
Express	1:10 p m	Phila "	2:10 p m
Mail Train	5:50 a m	Cin'ti "	7:50 p m
		Crestline Mail	7:00 p m

The New Brighton Accommodation leaves Allegheny Station at 6:15 a m, 12:00 m, 4:30 p m, and 5:40 p m.

Returning, leaves New Brighton Station at 5:50 a m, 7:00 a m, 12:30 p m, and 2:50 p m.

Alliance Accomodation leaves Allegheny Station at 2.10 a m.

Pittsburgh & Connellsville.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	7:55 a m	Mail	6:00 p m
Express	3:40 p m	Express	9:30 a m
1st M'Keesport	11:00 a m	1st M'Keesp't	6:50 p m
2d "	6:15 p m	2d "	2:05 p m
Fort Perry	7:00 a m	Fort Perry	8:30 a m
Braddock's	4:15 p m	Braddock's	5:40 p m

The Sunday Train to and from M'Keesport leaves at 1:00 p m, and arrives at 10:00 a m.

Allegheny Valley.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	7:00 a m	Mail	7:00 p m
Express	4:30 a m	Express	9:35 a m
Accommodat'n	3:00 p m	Accommodat'n	7:45 a m

Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	6:10 a m	Mail	8:50 p m
Cincinnati	1:45 a m	Cin. Express	8:05 p m
"	1:45 p m	do do	2:10 a m
Wheeling	6:20 a m	Steubenville Accommodation	10:00 a m
Steubenville Accommodation leaves Alle'gy	3:50 p m		
Cleveland	1:45 a m		
do	1:45 p m		

☞ The Excelsior Omnibus Company have Omnibuses and Carriages in waiting for passengers arriving in trains from both East and West.

Movements of European Steamers.

FROM AMERICA.

Bremen.....Aug 18..New York..Southampton
Hansa.....Aug 27..New York..Southampton
America.....Sep 10..New York..Southampton
New York.....Sep 24..New York..Southampton
Bremen.....Oct 9..New York..Southampton
Hansa.....Oct 22..New York..Southampton
America.....Nov 5..New York..Southampton
New York.....Nov 19..New York..Southampton
Bremen.....Dec 3..New York..Southampton
Hansa.....Dec 17..New York..Southampton

FROM EUROPE.

Hansa.....Aug 3..Southampton..New York
America.....Aug 17..Southampton..New York
New York.....Aug 31..Southampton..New York
Bremen.....Sept 14..Southampton..New York
Hansa.....Sept 28..Southampton..New York
America.....Oct 12..Southampton..New York
New York.....Oct 26..Southampton..New York
Bremen.....Nov 9..Southampton..New York
Hansa.....Nov 23..Southampton..New York
America.....Dec 21..Southampton..New Yo

AUCTION SALES.

BY A. M'CLELLAND, AUCTIONEER, 55 FIFTH STREET.

OIL STOCKS AT AUCTION.—On THURSDAY EVENING, 20th inst., at 8 o'clock, at Masonic Hall Auction Rooms, 55 Fifth street, will be sold

— Shares Federal
— " Fleming & Blood
— " El Dorado
— " M'Aboy Cherry Run
— " Horse Neck
— " Cherry Run Central
— " Stella
— " Ohio Valley
— " Ross
— " Merchants

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THE GREATEST NERVINE, TONIC AND BLOOD PURIFIER.

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ENGLISH BITTERS.

A sure cure for Intemperance.

Dr. J. C. Ayers' Family Medicines.

DR. D. JAYNES & SON'S,

FAMILY MEDICINES.

Dr. Schenck's Pulmonic, Tonic and Pills.

HELMBOLD'S

Celebrated Buchu & Sarsaparilla,

And all other Family Medicines can be found genuine at the

PITTSBURGH DRUG HOUSE,

Torrence & M'Garr,

Corner of Market street and Fourth

Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery, Paints, Oils, Lead, Varnishes, Brushes, Trusses, Supporters, Shoulder Braces.

And all articles usually found in Drug Stores of first quality, for sale low.

TORRENCE & M'GARR,

feb1 No. 70 Market street, corner of Fourth.

TO TAX-PAYERS—PITTSBURGH TOWNSHIP.—At a meeting of the School Board of Pitt Township, held on September 10th, 1864, W. J. GORMLEY was elected Treasurer of the Bounty Fund Tax, under the call of the President for 500,000 men, and it was further enacted, that the Tax-payers be requested to call on the Treasurer and pay said tax immediately, and that a reduction of 6 per cent. be allowed to all who desire to avail themselves of said privilege.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM DAVIS, President.

JAS. ASSIDY, Secretary.

In pursuance of the above appointment, the undersigned is prepared to receive said tax, and as the time is limited for allowing the Taxpayers the 6 per cent., immediate attention thereto is urgently requested.

W. M. GORMLY, Treasurer, oct4:2wd 271 Liberty street.

J. T. SCOTT.....W. B. HENNEGEN.

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IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE JOBBERS IN

Watches, Clocks & Jewelry,

Watch and Clock Materials, Tools and Glasses, Silver-Plated Ware, Fancy Goods, &c.,

No. 31 Fifth Street,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

We have just opened a general assortment of the above goods, at Wholesale only, and invite an examination by dealers. Orders will receive our prompt and careful attention sep17:tmd

TO BUILDERS.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, HARRISBURG, October 5th, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received at this office until twelve o'clock of Tuesday, 18th instant, for the erection of the proposed extension of the Capitol building. Security to one-fourth of the amount of the work will be required, and each bidder must accompany his proposal with the names of his securities.

Plans of the extension can be seen at this office, where specifications can also be had on application.

Bids must be addressed, "Proposals for extension of Capitol."

A. G. CURTIN, Gov.
JAS. P. BARR, Sur. Gen.
HENRY D. MOORE, Stat Treas.

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GRAVEYARD NOTICE.

THE BURYING GROUND ON STEVENSON STREET, known as KERR'S BURYING GROUND, having been sold by the Sheriff for a claim of the city, for Paving Taxes, all persons having friends buried therein, are requested to have them removed immediately, without further notice. oct15:3tw&s

BURT'S RAT, ROACH AND BED-BUG DESTROYER.

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