Daily Morning Post.

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☞ The letter of our Harrisburgh correspondent should have reached us yesterday. We hope that for the future he will be careful to have his letters always ready for the earliest mail.

ELECTION OF CITY OFFICERS.—The Councils met in Convention yesterday at the New Court House, for the purpose of electing city officers for the ensuing year. After the organization of the Common Council, the President announced the following Standing Committees:

Finance—Lorenz M'Devitt, Loomis, Whitney, J W Robertson, Stoner, Hamilton.
Water—Kincaid, Porter, Ogden, Kelly, Tindle, Barnhill, Kerney.
Streets, &c.—Lee, Laughlin, Adams, Pennock, J Scott, Neiper, Duncan.
Police—Kincaid, Adams, Loomis, Whitney, Pennock, Ackerman, M'Clelland.
Engines, &c.—M'Ilwaine, Von Bonhorst, Rowan, Quinn, Jones, Smith, Stockton.
Claims, &c.—Von Bonhorst, McDevitt, Black, Reinhart, Morrow, Bruce, English.
City Property—Algeo, Black, Laughlin, Hamilton, Albree, Quinn, Stockton.
City Farm—M'Cracken, Lowry, Rowan, Kelly, Albree, Wray, Kerney.
Aqueduct—McDevitt, Von Bonhorst, Hamilton, Reinhart, J Scott.
Markets—Wilson, Lee, Jones, Gorman, Morrow.
Canal—Fulton, M'Cracken, Ackerman, Bruce, Smith.
City Printing—Adams, Algeo, Gorman, Morrow, English.
Wooden Buildings—Laughlin, Wilson, J Scott, Quinn, Barnhill.
Sanitary—Black, M'Cracken, Wray Barner, Douglas.
Appeals—Rowan, M'Ilwaine, Whitney, Stockton, J W Robinson.
Gas Lighting—Porter, Fulton, Douglass, A Scott, Gracey.
Mon. Wharf—Ogden, Adams, Gracey, Duncan, Barnes.
Alle. " Lorenz, A Scott, M'Clelland.
Ordinances—Loomis, Porter, Stoner, Hamilton, Tindle.

The members of the Select Council were then introduced, and both branches went into the election of city officers, which resulted in the choice of the following persons:

Treasurer—Sam'l R Johnson.
City Solicitor—C B M Smith.
City Assessor—Thomas Perkins.
Street Commissioner—John M'Ilwaine.
Wharf Master on Monongahela—Thos McFadden.
do do Allegheny—E W Cook.
Collector at Aqueduct—Henry Kinney.
City Gauger—Jas M'Dowell.
Recording Regulator—R. E. M'Gowan.
Assistant Regulator—William Bayne, C. McGanan.
Sealer of Weight and Measures—F A Heisely.
Weigh Master at Hay Scales—Peter Fleeger.
do do Market—A M Hastopee.
Clerk of Market—Thos Hartley.
Inspector of Salt—David Hunter.
do Pot and Pearl Ash—John Pears,
do Tobacco—Geo Wilson.
Collectors—1st Ward—William M'Cutcheon.
2d do John M'Kee.
3d do Thomas Fairman.
4 h do Richard Hope.
5th do John Lowry.
6th do Jared M. Brush.
Board Measurers—R Walker, Fleming Morrow, John Patterson, John Lightner, Andrew Miller, Bowan, M'Clure, John Creighton.

The whigs having a majority in the Councils, they, as a matter of course, elected all their caucus nominations but one On a few of the Ballots there were two or three jumped over, but the "staff runips" stood firm and voted according to the *gee* given by the leaders.

EXTINCTION OF ANTIMASONRY.—When the U. S Gazette announced some years ago that Antimasonry was "dead and cold, and kicked out of all decent society," great was the indignation of the few remaining soldiers of the "Old Guard," who remained faithful to the "blessed spirit." Mr Chandler was unsparingly abused, and all sorts of vengeance was denounced against him and the masonic division of the universal whig party. These threats, however, were mere froth and fury—those who made them wofully lacked the power to carry them out. Mr Chandler's error consisted in his being a little in advance of the age in his announcement. Antimasonry was only in a decline, when he so triumphantly announced its death and removal to Potter's field. Now, however, it *is* dead, and no mistake—it is no longer deemed necessary by the whigs, to pay it any respect even in name. For some time past they have thought it prudential to call themselves the "Antimasonic and Whig party;" but now, they will no longer pay anti masonry the empty and equivocal honor of coupling it with whiggery, and the opposition members in the Legislature have had a meeting to recommend the calling of a "union state Convention." They no long er find it necessary to *pretend* any respect for the party which once commanded strength enough in Pennsylvania to elect a Governor.

And this is the last of Antimasonry, indeed. Since the defeat of Ritner, in 1838, it has, "dwindled, peaked and pined," from day to day—we have seen its sturdy and healthful proportions decline into a lean and hungry spectre, a mere shadow of its former self—and now that miserable shadow has been whistled away by the feeble breath of a whig minority in the legislature.

We wait with some interest to see whether the old Antimasonic Gazette will have any reproaches for those who have thus rudely blown out the "brief candle" of Antimasonry. Notwithstanding the editor is understood to have special promission to advocate Antimasonry moderately, we question if he will raise his voice against this high-handed proceeding of the whigs. As for the rest of the Antimasons, though they may bitterly feel the indignity put upon them, they will doubtless submit as all conquered communities have done before them. Whiggery has subdued them for its own, and with bruised and broken spirits they must yield to their fate.

☞ JOHN WEAVER, Esq., register of wills for Philadelphia county, died on last Friday There will now be a grand scramble at Harrisburgh for this office.—By this time Governor Shunk has been made acquainted with the transcendant abilities of some three or four hundred applicants, each one of which is certain to be the "favorite of the people." It will be a hard matter for His Excellency to find out any contrivance that will send them all home satisfied with his mode of discriminating character.

WIRE SUSPENSION BRIDGES.—We are pleased to observe, in the Philadelphia Courier, an extended notice of the Suspension Aqueduct and Bridge which grace the rivers on either side of our smoky city. It is a matter of just pride to Pittsburgh, that, despising all the endeavors of the prejudiced, all the efforts of the interested, and all the fears of the nervous cynics of innovation, she boldly ventured to patronise a man of science and genius, in his efforts to introduce an improvement of immense utility. To all but Mr ROEBLING, the scheme of a Wire Aqueduct, seemed more or less experimental,—while many of those who laid claim to superior scientific knowledge, and the would be wise in all departments, discountenanced the plan, and predicted its entire failure. Under all these circumstances of doubt and discouragement, we repeat it is a matter of unalloyed pride to Pittsburghers, that they stood forth and assisted Mr Roebling to test his new and wonderful invention Nor is it alone in the pride of sustaining a new and great improvement, and aiding a deserving and skilful citizen, through the difficulties which always attend the adoption of new inventions, that our city has her reward—The aqueduct has, so far, proved a source of profit, and bids fair to reimburse the corporation for the money expended in its construction in a much shorter time than was anticipated.

If the project of a Suspension Bridge at the Falls of Niagara, mentioned by the Courier, should be carried out, of course Mr Roebling will be the prominent bidder for the contract. He has made his way against impediments of the most formidable character, and is confessedly among the most accomplished and successful engineers in the country, at least in the department of bridge-building. We congratulate him on his deserved success, and would hope that his science, skill and energy, will bring him such a recompense as they deserve.

FULLY ARMED AND EQUIPPED.—In case we should have war with Great Britain or Mexico, the army of Wisconsin is prepared for the field. The following statement of its number and equipments is made in the recent message of the Governor of that Territory:

"One Company of Infantry 60 muskets.
One do. Dragoons, 50 swords and 190 pistols
One "citizens of Green Bay," 50 swords and 50 pistols."

Wisconsin, at least, is prepared for the contest.

☞ The Philadelphia Sun, the organ of the Natives in that city, having accomplished all it can in America is now devoting its attention to the reforming of political and religious abuses in Italy. It has certain information that there will be a "dissolution of the Papal States," and that the spirit of Rongeism which has effected such wonderful results in Germany, will progress to Italy, and blow the Catholic Church "sky high" in that country! The *Sun* is the "only paper that has the news," but of course its information can be relied on, as in all such matters as the one referred to, it was never known to make a misstatement.

Could not it and the leaders of its party, aid the cause very essentially by sending over a few of the noble patriots who rendered their names immortal by burning the Churches in Philadelphia?

THE MILITIA SYSTEM.—We learn that the Legislature of New York has given evidence of its intention to modify and amend the militia system of that state—We perceive notice has been given to report the committee on military affairs to report a law for the abolition of military parades; but to simply keep up the system, by enrolment.

We have no doubt but the people of Pennsylvania would be gratified if our Legislature would follow this example. Our militia system as at present carried out is a disgrace to the state, and the annual recurrence of our trainings' must be painful to every citizen who prefers order and decency to turbulence, riot and buffoonery. We believe that the system recommended by the New York Legislature is more practicable than any other that could be adopted in a time of peace.

☞ In Massachusetts, last year, with the exception of Suffolk County, which made no returns, there were 15,564 births, 4,841 marriages, and 6,750 deaths.

Massachusetts is a great place for "home manufacture," and best of all, the citizens do not require a Tariff to protect the production of the domestic article noticed above. They are able to compete with with any foreign nation in the highly useful article of babies.

WHIG GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATES.—A Whig Convention was called at Indianapolis on the 8 h, which nominated for Governor Joseph G Marshall, and for Lieut. Governor G. S Orth. It seems like last time for the Whigs to make a nomination, when they have no hope of success.

☞ Lonspire, of New Orleans, who whipped his slave to death has been discharged, the Grand Jury having ignored the bill preferred against him.

If this monster had killed a dog by the same means he would have been punished severely under the law to protect *Dumb Animals* from cruel treatment.

A SCIENTIFIC MAN.—A friend of the Boston Times looks at the thermometer to see when he is warm, at the barometer to see when it storms, at the clock to see when he is hungry, at the almanac to see how old he is, at the moon to see when it is high tide, at the stars to ascertain when he is in love. He is a scientific man, and does every thing by rule, but his dreams, which he does'nt do at all.

A NEW CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY.—The Nashville Republican nominates and advocates the claims of the Hon J to J. Crittenden, Senator from Kentucky, as a candidate for the Presidency in 1848.

SUICIDE.—Mr. W H. Jamison, a passed midshipman in the U S Navy, committed suicide at Charleston, on Tuesday, the 9th.

☞ A Masonic Lodge has been instituted at Corpus Christi, H L Kinney, Master, George W Fletcher, Secretary.

FOR THE POST.

DECIDEDLY BITTEN.

Mr Editor:—In the Chronicle of January 15th, is an article headed "Decidedly Bitten," and as this article willfully and repeatedly represents me, I must ask the favor of a small space in your columns for the vindication of myself and the science I teach. I can't condescend to use the gross epithets and low scurrility of the editor of the Chronicle, it might become him but would not suit me. I pity him for his foolishness, but cannot descend so far as to despise him for his presumption and vulgarity. He says no one can understand my rules, &c. All persons know that all mathematical deductions depend on principles, and these principles can be reduced to rules. Now it is true that certain members of the bar could neither comprehend nor apply my rules, but the fact was owing to their own excessive stupidity, and not to the science. I never take pay unless my pupils can comprehend and apply my rules. I shall remain in town a few days longer.

PETER M. DESHONG.

IMPORTANT MOVEMENT FOR OREGON.—We learn by the Newburyport Herald of the 11th instant, that an emigrating party will leave that place early next month. Its chief feature will be the emigration of a lady to teach school in the wilds of Oregon.

The brig Henry will sail from this port, early in February, for Columbia river, and the Sandwich Islands. A lady who goes passenger in the brig with the intention of opening a school in the Wallamette settlement, is desirous of obtaining a school library to take with her, and in the multitude of books which are found among us, there can be no doubt that her wishes will be gratified.

Correspondence of the 'Morning Post.'

Harrisburg, Pa. Jan. 16, 1846.

In the Senate yesterday the following resolutions instructing our Senators and requesting our Representatives to oppose an alteration in the present Tariff, passed the Senate unanimously.

[We published the resolutions in our Legislative report of yesterday.]

In the House to day resolutions in reference to the Oregon question passed by a very decided vote. I could not obtain a copy of them, and cannot therefore speak particularly as to the character of them. A resolution was also adopted directing the officers to close the Hall of the House of Representatives on the Sabbath day. In the Senate, a similar resolution was debated until the hour of adjournment. I presume it will be adopted. The right of way question is discussed very freely, and I believe will receive the sanction of both branches of the Legislature, and become a law.

PRISON STATISTICS.—Owen W. Buchanan, Deputy Sheriff of the Sing Sing Prison, N Y, publishes the following statistics of that establishment:

Males.	
No remaining in prison Jan 1st, 1845,	869
No received during the year,	248
Total,	1,147
Discharged from prison by expiration of sentence,	178
do do pardon,	35
Died,	49
Sent to Clinton Prison,	50
do Lunatic Asylum,	2
(of whom one was pardoned and included above.)	
Escaped,	1— 314
Males remaining Jan 1, 1846.	803
Females.	
No remaining in prison, Jan 1 1845,	77
Received during the year 1845,	10
Total,	— 90
Discharged by expiration of sentence,	19
do pardon,	5
Died,	7— 31
Remaining Jan. 1, 1846,	65
Total males and females remaining Jan 1, 1846.	863

FROM MEXICO.

We gave some important details, in last evening's Union, from the "New Orleans Picayune," (via Tampico,) of the revolutionary movements in Mexico. We understand that these statements are substantially confirmed by the official accounts. A rumor has gone forth in the streets of Washington to day, which these accounts do not confirm—viz: that Mexico had declared war against the United States. War may ensue, but it has not yet been declared, as far as we have been advised. Mexico may be mad enough to resort to this extremity, or to reject all our demands for justice, as they will probably be urged by Mr Slidell. The result of such a course on her part may compel us to resort to more decisive measures for obtaining justice.

We will not undertake to predict the result; but Mexico must be infatuated in her counsels to resort to a species of policy, which will call for some active measures on our part to obtain the settlement of our legitimate claims. We shall wait dispassionately, but with no little impatience, for the final result of the contemplated negotiation. The Senate has yet to act on the nomination—in all probability before any denouement can take place at Mexico.

Another rumor is afloat which we find embodied in a letter from Washington, of yesterday, published in the Baltimore American."

"It is said there is important news in the city from Mexico, to the effect that negotiations are going on between the Mexican and French government, for placing a constitutional king upon the throne of Mexico, and changing the Mexican republic into a constitutional monarchy for that purpose—the king to be a French prince I give the rumor for what it is worth. It was current last night for the first time, and has been circulated to-day in the halls of Congress and among the diplomatic circles. It has been credited by many, and it is reported to have its origin in despatches received at the Department of State direct from Mexico Many here regard it as more than probable, while others discredit it entirely. Stranger events have happened."

We will not undertake to say, there is no truth in this rumor, which is not altogether new; but certain it is, that we are not advised of their being any foundation for it in the official despatches. Mexico is apparently in a state of transition; and it becomes the United States to keep watch and ward over her revolutions as, well as the maintenance of our own rights.

Union, Jan 17.

Death of a Representative—It gives us great pain, to which we are assured every one acquainted with him will sincerely sympathize, to announce the death of Wm. Taylor, one of the representatives of Virginia in Congress. He has been much indisposed during the present session; but his family and friends began to entertain the fondest hopes of his perfect restoration to health. He talked last evening of attending the House to-day; but after midnight, he was seized with some distressing symptoms, and the physician (Dr. Hall) was sent for—and he had scarcely entered the room before Mr. Taylor was seized with a convulsion, and in a moment he breathed his last.—We leave it to Mr. Dromgoole to do justice, as he has feelingly and eloquently done, to the fine qualities of the deceased. He was deeply loved, respected, and admired for his abilities and his virtues. Virginia could not have lost a better son, nor his country a purer patriot.

The House of Representatives immediately adjourned on the announcement of his death to-day, and the usual resolutions were adopted in honor of his memory. *Union, Jan 17.*

"A Big Business.—The receipts of the bar of the St Charles Hotel, New Orleans, pay the expenses of the entire establishment—being in the middle of the day at the rate of one hundred dollars an hour and from six to eight hundred dollars a day—so says the Picayune."

We do not believe that some of the bars in our city produce quite as much as that of the St Charles.

MUFFS AND TEA-PARTIES.

The St. Louis Reveille tells the following laughable 'tea party incident.' Ladies muffs are certainly convenient at tea parties:

Standing one evening at the table of a fashionable Tea-Party, got up in aid of some charitable institution in our city, I was gradually pushed along by the fair guests and their beaux, until I found myself supping pair of eyes. I looked across the cake and the owner of these orbs stole at me a flash, which I, in my modest admiration, was forced to dodge. Theogenal was given and the company attacked the good things with vigor, but as for myself, the bright eyed beauty on the opposite was food enough for me and I commenced familiarizing my own peepers with the glances of her.

She at first laughed, then pouted, and at length looked angry. I drew off my surveillance and she looked pleased; a gentleman of my acquaintance having addressed her familiarly, I seized on him and requested an introduction, he granted it, and I bowed in lowly homage to the beauty. The gent. with her, resigned the beauty to my care while he searched for her sister, that they might leave together, and I was left alone to promenade in company with the bright eyes and their owner.

'Allow me to carry your muff,' said I most persuasively, 'this room is so warm it must be an incumbrance.

'No, no!' said she, in evident alarm, and biting her pretty lip at the same time

'Why,' thinks I, 'she cannot suspect that I wish to *steal it*,' and resolved to convince her of my honesty, I reached for the muff and insisted upon carrying it. I had hold of one end and she the other, to which she hold most tightly; but my gallantry triumphed, and pulling it from her, out dropped a slice of pound *cake*, four *dough nuts*, two *jumbles* and an *orange!* I need not say I was horrified at the effect of my gallant effort. I picked part of them up horridly, and handed them and the muff to her. The perspiration was rolling down my face in streams, and putting my hand into my coat pocket, I pulled out my linen cambric handkerchief, sent out of its white folds dropped half *a chicken!* In my fit of abstraction at the table, some wag had carefully rolled it up in my hankerchief, and placed it in my pocket. The cause of my fair partner's confusion at the table was produced by thinking I had seen in her muff the pound cake. She laughed heartily at my chicken, and we mutually agreed to keep quiet about our extra pickings.

☞ A passenger on board the steamer Old Hickory tells us that the life of Mr Clay, as well as that of the other passengers, was in very great danger whilst descending the Ohio. The boat had been so crippled as to be unmanagable, and crowded in amongst immense masses of ice, she was floating at the mercy of the current when she struck a dam and immediately swung round. Spars were in an instant thrown out for the purpose of protecting the hull, but each was the impetus of the descending ice, that they were snapped as thoughtlessly had been but reeds. Every one expected instant death, for no boat could have lived in those waters. Fortunately at this moment a gorge was formed a few hundred yards above and they were saved.—*Hick. Standard.*

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

PREPARED AND CORRECTED EVERY AFTERNOON.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE.
COMMITTEE FOR JANUARY.
F. Lorenz George Weyman M. Robertson.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

5½ FEET WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.
James Ross, Stewart, Cincinnati;
Michigan, Boies, Beaver;

DEPARTED.
Wisconsin, Grace, New Orleans;
Michigan, Boies, Beaver;
Harlem, Carothers, Wellsville.

☞ Those marked thus * are provided with Evans' Safety Guard, a prevention for the explosion of boilers.

12 kegs, 113 ½ kegs tobacco, Atwood, Jones & Co; 400 hides, A Ruth; 201 bbls whiskey, W Mitchelltree, 4 boxes sundries, W Compton; 75 bbls white lead, J & J M'Devitt; 60 bbls rosin, 10 do mackerel, 5 casks fish, M Leech & Co; 10 bbls molasses, S M'Clurkan, 5 bbls and ½ bbls sugar, 53 and ½ molasses, D Jenkins; 20 bbls do John Laugherty; 97 sacks corn 256 bags oats, 8 bags barley, 33 bbls corn, J W Baxter; 101 kegs butter, 2 bbls, 4 kegs, 21 kegs butter, Burbridge; Wilson & Co.

No mail West of Wheeling last night.

It commenced snowing last evening at dark, and continued until about 9 o'clock, when it turned into a driving rain and snow together, wind north west—It will be very disagreeable for out-door transactions to day—more especially for the river men. The ropes covered with sleet and ice, will not be very comfortable to handle and will put a damper upon business at the river.

The steamer Brunett, Capt Dean, leaves this morning for St Louis and intermediate ports. Capt D. is a gentleman in every sense of the word, and is well worthy of the patronage that is so bountifully bestowed upon him and his floating palace.

SUMMARY OF MARKETS.

BOSTON, January 15, 1846.

Ashes—The transactions in both descriptions are confined to the supply of immediate wants, and former reported prices are continued.

Flour—In anticipation of advices per steamer Hibernia, which was to leave Liverpool on the 5th inst, both purchasers and sellers evince a desire to await the result, and the market is in consequence very quiet. Genesee and Michigan can be bought at $5 81@$5 87, while the general price in small parcels from store is $6. Sales of Ohio and St. Louis at $5 50@$5 75 ⅌ bbl.

Sugars—With a good demand for box sugars, sales have been made of a few hundred boxes of Cuba brown at 8¼@— 150 do do, 9c ⅌ lb—150 do do, for refining, 7¾c ⅌ lb, 6 mos—New Orleans, old crop, 6 6½—do new crop, 6¾@6¾ ⅌ lb, 6 mos. By auction, 25 boxes Havana, $7 50 ⅌ 100 lbs—3 hhds St Croix, 7¾c—6 do New Orleans, poor, at $5 30@5 60 ⅌ 100 lbs, new crop—30 do do, $6 12 a $6 55 do do—73 do do, 6 25 a 6 55 do do—100 boxes Havana brown, 7¼ a 8½ ⅌ lb—10 do do white, $10 30 per 100 lbs, 4 mos—48 hhds New Orleans do, 6 40 a 6 50 per 100 lbs—40 do do, $5 20 a 5 95 do do—3 do do, $5 07½ do do—91 do do, $6 02½ a 6 60 per 100 lbs, according to quality—60 do do, $6 05 a 6 12½ do.

Molasses—The market has been rather quiet for distilling descriptions the past week The principal sales have been by auction, comprising 30 hhds Trinidad, 22½@23c ⅌ gallon, 6 mos—80 bbls New Orleans, 27½@27½ ⅌ gallon, cash 50 hhds and 14 tierces Porto Rico, rese crop, 21½@25½ ⅌ gallon.

Provisions—A moderate demand has been experienced the past week, and sales have been made of western mess Beef, $9@9 50 ⅌ bbl, and a few hundred barrels of eastern at $9 ⅌ bbl, 4 mos—new Pork, clear, $15—mess 13 50, and prime $10 50@11 ⅌ bbl.—With few sales of Butter and Cheese, we continue former reported rates. Lard is in good demand at 6¼@6¾ ⅌ lb.

AUCTION SALES YESTERDAY.

Sugar—New Orleans, 185 hhds adv, 98 sold, $6 55@$6 60 ⅌ 100 lbs, 4 mos.
Sugar—New Orleans 100 hhds adv, 60 sold $6 12@$6 6½ ⅌ 100 lbs, 4 mos.
Wines—50 pipes 100 bf and 180 third and qr do Sherry, C V sale, 60 pipes sold, 54¼@48½c—27 half do 52¼@52—140 3d and qr do, 58@55c ⅌ gal, 6 mos.

Philadelphia, Jan 17, 1846

Ashes—The market remains dull at 3,50a3 62 for western pots.

Flour and Meal—The market for flour throughout the greater part of the week has been in a very quiet state; sales of the first 3 days were 2500 bbls standard brands at 5,37½a5,31¼ and on Wednesday and Thursday the price having given way there was more of a speculative inquiry which resulted in the sale of 4000 bbls mixed brands at 5,25, including a small lot of Brandywine at 5,50 and half bbls 5,62 1-2 the pair Subsequently a few days later news from England via New York, was received of an indefinite character, which unsettled the market, and no further transactions have taken place. We quote the price of standard brands nominal, at 5,25 but there is little disposition in either buyer or seller to operate, until further advices come to hand; for city as a moderate amount of business was done, 5,25a5,50 for common and good retailing brands and 5 7 4 for extra. Rye flour is scarcely inquired for; we notice small sales at 4,12½a4,25 Corn meal—Transactions to the extent of 3000 bbls Pa at 3 53 1000 bbls at 3,36½ are reported, which is a decline and 325 hhds Brandywine, at prices not public. Export of the last week 5126 bbls flour and 2460 bbls Corn Meal.

Sugar—Immediately after the close of our last weekly report, holders of New Orleans having submitted to a decline of ½@¾ of a cent, there has since been a fair demand from the trade, the market closing with more firmness; transactions comprise about 1250 hhds at prices ranging at 5@6¼ cts for ordinary to prime quality, on the usual terms; and 72 hhds damaged sold by auction at $3 75@$6 15, in other kinds, there are no sales made public. Arrived 431 hhds.

Provisions—The market of all kinds continues very inactive; we notice sales of 200 bbls mess pork at $13, 25. Prime scarce. Beef—mess for ship stores brings $8 50@$10. Bacon—small sales of old hams at 6@7c. Lard in limited at 5@5¾ for Western and 9c for Jersey. Butter is lower, with small sales of kegs at 11@12c, and roll at 15@16. Cheese in moderate demand at 7¼@8¼c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.

Ashes—The transactions are limited. Holders are unwilling to sell at present prices, or until they hear from abroad.

Cotton—Sales yesterday of about 600 bales.

Flour and Grain—Flour is rather more firm, and there is some inquiry for shipment. There were about 1000 barrels sold for shipment at $5.75. There is farther inquiry this morning, but only 5,68¾ is offered. Holders prefer waiting further arrivals to selling below $5.75, and we doubt if much could be obtained at that previous to the arrival of the steamer. In Southern there is some inquiry, and some sales making at $5.75@$5.87½ for Georgetown and Brandywine.

All kinds of grain remain unchanged in prices since our last notice.

CITY PRICES CURRENT. JAN. 21.

CAREFULLY CORRECTED EVERY AFTERNOON.

Flour—From Store,	$4,37½@ 4,50
" Wagon,	4,25@ 4,37½
Buckwheat—per 100 lbs	1,50 @1,62½
Corn Meal— do do	50 @ 62
Grain—Wheat ⅌ bush.	0,00 @ 80
Corn, " "	45 @ 50
Oats, "	34 @ 36
Hay—Loose, ⅌ ton,	15,00 @16,0
Oil—Linseed, ⅌ gall.	68 @ 70
Whiskey—⅌ gall.	22 @ 25
Potatoes—Neshannock, ⅌ bush.	31 @ 44
Salt—⅌ bbl.	1,00 @1,16
Seeds—Flax,	1,00 @1,12½
Timothy,	2,37½@3,00
Clover,	5,00 @5,50
Lard—No 1 ⅌ lb.	7½@ 8
Hogs—⅌ lb (av. wt)	4 @ 5
Bacon—per lb.	7 @ 8
Cheese—per lb W R.	7 @ 8
Butter—Keg and Roll per lb.	10½@ 13

Marshal's Sale.

BY virtue of certain writs of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Circuit Court of the United States, for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to sale on the third Monday of March next, at the Court House in the city of Pittsburgh, the following real property, to wit:

All that certain parcel or tract of land lying and being in Butler county, Middlesex township, Penna, containing 292 acres and forty perches, on which is erected, a three story Grist Mill, with two run of stones, a farm house, two tenant houses, a stone house, two farm barns, and about seventy acres of land cleared and fenced, adjoining lands in the name of William Ross, Martin Loutz, and Philip Pepper, commonly known by the name of the Glade Mill Tract. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Arther M'Gill, at the suit of William Holcombe, a citizen of the state of Ohio, for use of John Lyons

Also at same time and place, a certain tract or parcel of land in Mercer county, Pa., containing one hundred acres be the same more or less, adjoining land of heirs of John Hall, —— Hongland, &c., and also bounded by the Shenango Creek, and by the Ohio State line—on which is erected a frame barn and log dwelling house, about seventy acres of land cleared and fenced, be the same more or less, an orchard of fruit trees, &c. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Samuel Stokely, at the suit of Samuel Stambaugh, all which said property to be sold by

SAMUEL HAYS, Marshal,
West'rn Dist of Penna.

MARSHAL'S OFFICE, Pitts'gh, Dec. 4th, 1845.
jan21 w3t.
(Chronicle copy and charge this office.)

Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND LOT, situated on Holme's Hill, Piu Township, within 121 feet of the city line, (6th ward.) The Lot is fronting on Bedford st, 96 feet and running back, preserving an equal width, 142 feet, to the property of W. J. TOTTEN.

The improvements consist of a neat Cottage House, 40 feet in front and 32 feet in depth, containing eight rooms finished in modern style, with all the necessary out buildings—Carriage House, Stable, a never failing well of water with a good pump, &c.

The above property is the most desirable place for a private residence in the neighborhood of the city, and will be sold on very accommodating terms. The owner wishes to dispose of it in order to enable him to improve his property in the 'burnt district.' Title indisputable.

Enquire of
W. O. LESLIE,
'Breed's Building,' 4th st. near Wood.
jan.21-3t.

Auction Sales.

BY JOHN D DAVIS, Auctioneer, corner of Wood and Fifth streets. At 10 o'clock on Thursday morning, the 22nd instant, will be sold an extensive invoice of fresh seasonable dry goods, boots, shoes, fancy caps, fine cutlery, &c.

At 2 o'clock, P. M.—A quantity of new and second hand household furniture, mantel clocks, carpeting, mattresses, fine large whitney blankets, bed comforts and quilts, stoves, looking glasses, queensware, glassware, fancy soap, young hyson tea, loaf sugar and a variety of hardware, &c., &c.

At 6½ o'clock—gold and silver watches, ready made clothing, musical instruments, and an invoice of assorted dry goods and fancy articles.

READY MADE CLOTHING AT HUCTION.

AT 6½ o'clock on Wednesday evening, the 21st inst., at the Commercial Auction Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets will be sold an extensive assortment of fine ready made clothing, among which are:

46 pair of super black fancy and striped cassimere pantoloons;
14 " " " "
15 superfine cloth dress coats;
6 fine sack coats, quilted and tagged;
" numerous do with sporting buttons;
80 " black satin and fancy vests
36 fine muslin shirts with linen bosoms,
Mariners' do neet and canton flannel drawers, satin stocks, fancy scarfs, shirt bosoms, shirt collars, together with a quantity of caps, boots, shoes &c, &c.
JOHN D DAVIS, Auct'r.
jan21

Jujube Paste.

A SPLENDID article, just received and for sale by EDGAR THORN,
corner of Hand and Penn sts.
jan21-y

FOR SALE,

A TWO Brick House in Allegheny City, near Arbeckle's Cotton Factory, fronting on Rose Alley, lots running through to Robinson street, with ground to build on said street. For particulars enquire of R. Williams, adjoining the premises. The title is indisputable. jan 21-1mw*

For Sale.

50 CUTS yellow and purple carpet chain; 80 do carpet rags in balls; 200 all sized wooden bowls; 400 dozen 8-10, 9-12, 10-12, and 10-14 window sash and glass to suit if wanted, or by the box. A small assortment of Dry Goods. Cheap and useful Family Medicines. School and Miscellaneous Books. A large supply of cheap and useful Temperance Hymns and other Books, and 10,000 Youth's Temperance Advocates, Farmers' and Mechanic's, The Cultivator, Temperance and German Almanacs, for sale very low in any quantity to suit all classes.

ISAAC HARRIS, Agent
and Com Merchant, No 9, 5th st
N. B. Carpet and paper rags bought.

GRAND SOIREE,

At the Lafayette Assembly Rooms.

THE 56th of the series of these popular and elegant Soirees will be given at Madame Blaique's rooms, on Friday evening, Jan. 23d, to which Madame B. respectfully invites the attention of her juvenile friends and patrons.

The room has been splendidly decorated and every effort will be made to heighten the interest of the jan20-d4t

For Rent,

THE Mansion House formerly occupied by Wm Peebles, known as the Bullock Pen Property, situated in Peebles township, 6¼ miles east of this city, on the Pittsburgh and Greensburgh Turnpike, with fifty acres of good land; good stabling; a fine smoke and spring house, and an excellent spring of water.

This property is admirable for a Dairy, or would suit a Butcher very well.

Persons wanting information will please call at the second Toll Gate, where they will be directed to the owner of the property. MARTHA PEEBLES.
Peebles tp., jan20-d1w.

BLANK LEASES,

OF very superior form, for sale at this Office.
jan 20, 1846.

N. O. Molasses.

147 BARRELS Plantation Molasses, in prime order, now landing from steamer Defiance and Putnam, for sale M B. RHEY & Co.
jan20 57 Water street.

Lard.

50 BARRELS and 40 kegs prime Leaf Lard, in store and for sale by M. B. RHEY & Co.
jan20 57 Water street.

Candles.

20 BOXES 4s and 6s New Bedford Sperm;
30 " best Cincinnati star Candles;
10 " Adamantine for sale by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
jan17 140 Liberty st.

Principe Cigars.

40 THOUSAND Principe Cigars, 'Steamboat Brands,' for sale by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
jan17 140 Liberty st.

Mackerel and Herring.

40 BBLS "South" Mackerel;
10 half bbls No 1 "
10 qr bbls Mess "
40 bbls gibbed Herring in store and for sale by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
jan17 140 Liberty st.

WINTER SPERM OIL.

1000 GALLONS bleach'd winter Sperm Oil;
1200 do unbleach'd do do
in store and for sale by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
jan16. No. 179 Liberty st.

WINTER WHALE OIL.

600 GALLS winter Whale Oil, in store and for sale low by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
jan16. 179 Liberty st.

PALM OIL.

1500 GALLS. Palm Oil, on hand and for sale by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
jan16. No 179 Liberty street.

PHILADELPHIA GROUND NUT CANDY.

THE only place where this article can be found in the city is at the corner of Fifth and Smithfield streets, where it is constantly kept on hand, together with all kinds of Fruits and Pastry, &c. &c., also superior Havana, and principe cigars.
G. SCHNECK.

Fat Lemon.

PRESTON'S pine concentrated extract of Lemon for flavoring sauces, pastry, jellies, &c. for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO,
jan19 cor 6th and Wood sts.

THE subscriber is renting out several large rooms in his establishment with steam power, at low rates to good tenants.
H H RYAN.
jan 17

One Dollar Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, on or about the 8th inst., John Hamilton, known generally by the name of Daddy Jim. The said Hamilton is 16 years old; light complexion; curly hair; stout built; and when he left, had on his working clothes. I forbid all persons harboring or trusting him on my account. The above reward will be paid for his delivery in the Pittsburgh Jail.
ROBERT SHAW.
jan19-d3t.

JAMES S. CRAFT.

ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office, corner of Fourth and Wood streets, above Sibbett & Jones. Entrance on Fourth.
nov 14-d6m.

N. HOLMES & SON,

BANKERS,
AND DEALERS IN
Foreign and Domestic Bills of Exchange.

CERTIFICATES of deposit Bank notes and Specie. Drafts and notes collected, and remittances made to any part of the United States.
jan 7-1y No. 65 Market Street.

Removal.

BAGALEY & SMITH have removed to their new warehouse, Nos 18 and 20 Wood street, (east side) where they will be pleased to invite the attention of their friends and dealers generally to a large and well selected assortment of Groceries and Pittsburgh Manufactures. nov10-3m

BAGALEY & SMITH,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,
18 AND 20 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH.

SMITH, BAGALEY & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Produce dealers, No 223 Market street, between 5th and 6th, North side, Philadelphia.
nov10-3m

MITCHELL'S OUTLINE MAPS.

MITCHELL'S series of Outline Maps, for Schools and Academies, consisting of 24 distinct Maps on a large scale, and prepared on canvass, with a Key of explanations, descriptions, lessons, &c. &c., for the use of Teachers and pupils.

The above series of maps are now in use in nearly every respectable School in New York, and the Eastern states.

Teachers are respectfully invited to call and examine them.

For sale by JOHN H MELLOR,
jan 7 122 Wood street.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, of December Term, 1845, No 35.

Thomas Aiken, for use of
Phineas Reynolds,
vs
William Joyce.

January 17, 1846, on motion of Mr. Lowrie, money considered in Court, and Reade Washington, Es