LOCAL AFFAIRS.

FRIDAY MORNING.....JANUARY 18.

The Bog of the Regiment.—Those persons familiar with the printing offices of the city will remember a dog named "Bob," which formerly belonged to Mr. John Layton, of the *Gazette*. At the time of the visit of the Cincinnati Rover Guards to this city, Mr. Layton made him a present to one of the members of the company. He was always a wonderful dog, was Bob; and from the following notice of him, which we copy from the Cincinnati *Home Journal*, it will be observed that he continues to maintain his character for eccentricity and sagacity:

"He is a regular military chap, attending all parades, and has of late been at every fire in the city. Wherever a drum and fife is, Bob's sure to be there. At the fire on Main street, Mr. Kinnan was mounting a ladder in great haste, hose in hand, and had barely gained the roof, when behold! Bob was at his side, scratching and tearing shingles off the house. He descends a ladder carefully, and with the agility of a monkey, Bob is "death on rats" has culls about dant every day. Mr. K. has traps well filled brought to him from the neighbors, and the way Bob uses them up is a sin to eate. Bob is a great pet—goes regularly every Friday to Andy Gaff's stall, and on Tuesday to William Baggott's, for his meat. He must know the days, for he never makes a mistake. On Sunday he attends the Cathedral, but leaves immediately after the musical part is finished. At funerals he always follows the hearses. Take him all in all, a more peculiar freak in a dog we never witnessed, and he is entirely self-taught, doing everything on his own hook."

Pittsburgh and Cleveland Railroad.—The earnings for the month of December, 1855, were as follow:

Passengers	$15,140 40
Freight	27,078 48
Miscellaneous	2,887 84
	—$41,106 72
For December, 1854	
Passengers	$12,087 74
Freight	15,542 50
Miscellaneous	2231 01
	29,861 25
Increase	$11,245 47

Horse and Buggy Stolen.—A horse and buggy, belonging to Mr. Joseph Snowden, editor of the Pittsburgh *Price Current*, were stolen from the front of the National Telegraph Office, Third street, on Wednesday night, while Mr. S. was inside transcribing some telegraphic de patches. The horse was a very valuable one, and the loss puts Mr. Snowden to great inconvenience.

Appointment by the Water Committee.—At a meeting of the Water Committee, held last night, E. S. Wright was elected Assessor of Water Rents for the ensuing year. The following appointments were also made at the same time: Engineer at the Lower Water Works—Joseph Francis. Engineer at upper Water Works—Nimrod Swatzwelder. Assessor of Water Rents—on new buildings—E. S. Wright.

7th Ayeadaw Cassetta.—met at the Toll House on Thursday afternoon, and installed Mr. C. Taylor, the new Collector.

Mr. Taylor nominated Mr. James Mackin for Clerk and Assistant Collector of Tolls, which was approved by the committee.

Walter Kirkpatrick, Sr., was elected watchman at the Smithfield

Larceny of a Watch.—Three persons, named Augustus and C. Steinburg, and Ada Bunch, were arrested and taken before Mayor Bingham, yesterday, charged with stealing a gold watch, valued at $20, from Orlando Smith, in a Lager Beer Hall, on Wood street, near Virgin alley. They were committed for a further examination.

Religious Revivals.—Spirited revivals of religion are at present prevailing in a number of the Methodist churches of this city and Allegheny. Several churches have made large accessions to their membership. At South Common church, Allegheny, over seventy five new members have joined.

Fatal Accident.—A man named James Duncan, of Derry township, Westmoreland county, was run over and killed by a coal train, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, on Friday last. He was walking on the track, and being somewhat deaf, did not hear the train coming.

Fire.—The alarm of fire yesterday morning, at o'clock, was caused by the burning of a board pile in the board yard of C. Siebert & Bro., on the corner of Tewin street and Duquesne Way. Fortunately the fire was extinguished before it had time to cause much damage.

Another Commitment was yesterday lodged against John Rutter, for stealing a horse belonging to H. Johnston, of Derry township, Westmoreland county. Rutter is supposed to be the thief of four horses.

Hay, Straw, &c.—Were unloaded, yesterday, that about sixty loads were smothered in a snow-bank on the Pennsylvania Railroad while being brought to the city

A Prisoner Cased was yesterday raised for the arrest of Peter Grundy, on a charge of passing a counterfeit five dollar note.

The last person of the Fifth Ward will find a notice worth attending to on our advertising columns.

District Court.—Hon. M. Hampton on the Bench Thursday, January 17.

Frederick Shoff vs. Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad. Shafer & Co. for plaintiff; Courtney for defendant. Action to recover for goods lost on the road. Verdict for plaintiff for $90, subject to the opinion of the Court on a point reserved.

Pittsburgh Navigation and Fire Marine Insurance Company. Wilkins for plaintiff; Talmont for defendant. An amicable judgment confessed in favor of plaintiff—but, however, to prejudice any right of action the defendant may have against the said company.

Joseph Straup vs. Hammer & Dauber, G. P. Hamilton for plaintiff; Brady for defendants. Action to recover the value of a quantity of bedsteads for plaintiff defendants, which they allege they never received. Jury out.

Rebecca Barlow vs. John Seville, T. B. Hamilton for plaintiff; H. Hepburn for defendant. Action of ejectment for a lot of ground in Allegheny City. Juror withdrawn, and case continued.

Stephen Dunlap vs. Peter M'Dougall. Woods for plaintiff; Marshall and Reason for defendant. Action of ejectment for 17 acres of ground in Wilkinsburgh township.

Court of Quarter Sessions.—Hon. William F. M'Clure, President Judge. Hon. Gabriel Adams and Hon. Wm. Borgs, Associate Judges, on the Bench.

Thursday, January 17.

Commonwealth vs. Charles and William Sproul. Indictment, larceny. On oath of James Mulligan, defendants were acquitted.

Commonwealth vs. Hugh M. Philpot, indictment, misdemeanor. The defendant is a deputy tax collector. Jury out in the Sixth ward, and was charged with collecting more taxes than assessed on his duplicate. The Commonwealth failed to prove that the defendant was a tax collector, and a verdict of not guilty was accordingly rendered.

Commonwealth vs. Catherine Labetzke; indictment, assault and battery, on oath of John Bitner. Verdict of guilty, and defendant sentenced to pay a fine of 6¼ cents and costs.

Commonwealth vs. Randall M'Donald; indictment, larceny, on oath of Peter Bangham. The prosecutor failed to appear, and defendant was discharged.

Commonwealth vs. Daniel Fickersten, indictment, assault and battery, on oath of David Bruel. Verdict of guilty. After a statement from the defendant, the court sentenced him to pay costs.

Commonwealth vs. John H. Feldman; indictment, nuisance in keeping a ferocious dog No verdict.

Commonwealth vs. Joseph Tripe; indictment, assault and battery on oath of John Roth. Verdict of guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Alderman Hartje; indictment, misdemeanor in office. On trial.

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[From the New York Evangelist.]

A VERY simple yet philosophical instrument, has been invented by J. Hall & Co., of this city, by the application of which the curves of the eye is gradually raised to its original convexity, causing the focus to impinge on the retina without the aid of convex lenses. Thus by an easy process persons who have used glasses for years are enabled to dispense with them.

The editor of the Pennsylvania Democrat writes as follows, respecting the cure of Mrs Shurtleaf, of Uniontown, Pennsylvania:

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Being well acquainted with Mrs. Shurtleaf, I know that before she used "Hall's Patent Eye Cups," it was impossible for her to read without the use of spectacles, and that her sight has been restored by the use of the Cups, so that she now reads print with her naked eye without difficulty.

JOHN F. HARRIS, Ed. Penna. Democrat.

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AUCTION SALES.

MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS by Catalogue this MORNING, on SATURDAY evening, January 19, at 7 o'clock, at the commercial sale-room, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold, a large collection of valuable Miscellaneous Books, comprising Lardner's Museum of Science and Art; Knight's Cyclopedia of the World; and Knapp's Chemical Technology; Cyclopedia Literary; Cyclopedia Commercial; Cyclopedia of Useful Arts; Cyclopedia of Practical Receipts; Lives of the Queens of England; Lodge's Portraits; Lives of the Queens of Scotland; Life of Jos. Reed, 2 vols; Graham's Colonial History, 2 vols; Bryant's Popular Astronomy; Colonial Records of Pennsylvania; Hampton's Stone Works; Lockhart's Life of Napoleon; Parke's Pandects; Dyche's Spelling Book; Ryder's Works; Wealth and Biography of Nations; Life of Calvin; Cosmetics and Etiquette, 2 vols; Dictionary of Dates; Jesse's Court Secrets, 2 vols; Bertha, Sketches of Christendom; Stories of Slavery; Gibbon's Rome, 3 vols; Shakespeare, 3 vols; Spofford's Works, 3 vols; Life of Dr. Franklin; Goldsmith's Works, 2 vols; Dante; Burns; Goldsmith; 50 Illustrated Books; Tasso; Bunle; splendid Family Bibles; &c. A catalogue is at your ready

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PITTSBURGH LIFE, FIRE AND MARINE Insurance Company Stock at Auction.—On Thursday evening, January 24th, at 7 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, a large list of shares of Stock will be sold, by order of Jos. D. Stockley, Secretary.

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