LOCAL AFFAIRS.

TUESDAY MORNING.....MARCH 25.

Courts of Quarter Sessions and Oyer and Terminer.—Hon. Wm. B. M'Clure President Judge; Hon. Wm. Boggs and Hon. Gabriel Adams, Associate Judges, on the Bench.

The March term of the Courts of Quarter Sessions and Oyer and Terminer, commenced yesterday morning.

After the organization of the Grand Jury, to whom the usual charge upon their duties was delivered by Judge M'Clure, the Court called upon the constables of the various districts of the county to make return of the number of houses kept in violation of the restraining liquor law of April 14th, 1855. The following are the returns, as handed in:

Pittsburgh.			
First Ward	48	Sixth Ward	4
Second "	11	Seventh "	3
Third "	47	Eighth "	11
Fourth "	28	Ninth "	9
Fifth "	50		226

Allegheny.			
First Ward	10	Third Ward	8
Second "	1		19

Boroughs.			
South Pittsburgh	0	Tarentum	1
Lawrenceville	10	Duquesne	0
East Birmingham	3	Sewickley	0
Birmingham	11	Sharpsburg	3
			28

Townships.			
Charlers	5	Plum	5
Indiana	0	Ross	2
West Door	0	Sewickley	0
Upper St. Clair	0	Shaler	3
Moon	0	Findley	1
Mifflin	0	Robinson	2
Elizabeth	2		
			20

The Grand Jury then retired, and no business being ready for consideration, the Court adjourned until nine o'clock this morning.

Capture of Dan. O'Brien.—A telegraphic despatch was received yesterday, by officer Hague, from Alliance, stating that a man answering to the description of Dan. O'Brien, the fellow who lately escaped from the county jail, had been arrested there. Jailor Phillips left in the 8 o'clock train of the O. & P. R. R., for the purpose of bringing him in. At Alliance, he was suspected of being one of the burglars who shot Baldwin, at Lima, a few days since. When the officers were about arresting him, he fled into the woods, and was not captured until after a three mile race. Upon examination nothing could be produced to show that he was one of the murderers of Baldwin, but the officers of justice having read the account of his escape from our jail, concluded that he was one of that party, and retained him. Mr. Phillips returned in the evening, with O'Brian in custody.

Railroad Accident.—The mail train of the Central Railroad, due here on Sunday morning at 1 o'clock, ran off the track at George's Station, three miles east of Greensburg, smashing a baggage car and slightly injuring the locomotive. The express train, due at Sunday noon, was detained by the accident some four or five hours, a track having to be laid around the mail train to enable the express to come on. The express train arrived in the evening, and was composed of twelve cars, having the passengers of the night express train, which had also been delayed, and the mail train, in addition to its own through passengers. No person was injured by the accident.

False Pretences.—Samuel Hobler, of the Fifth Ward, was arrested and taken before Alderman Parkinson, yesterday, charged with obtaining a receipt for rent, under false pretences. The informator against him was made by John Vaughn, who alleged that Hobler promised to pay him seven dollars, due for rent, and on the strength of this promise gave him a receipt for that amount, but, when he received it, instead of paying the money, refused to give more than $2.50. After an examination before the magistrate, he concluded to "fork" over the remainder, and was discharged.

Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad.—An alteration in the time table of this road was made yesterday morning. The mail train will hereafter leave the Depot in Allegheny, at half past seven o'clock A. M., instead of eight. The accommodation train will leave at 9½ in the forenoon, and 5½ in the afternoon. It will leave New Brighton in the morning at 7, and pass the mail train at Beaticky at 8 o'clock. This alteration will bring the accommodation into the city at half past eight, instead of ten minutes past nine, as heretofore.

The Rivers Open.—The ice in the Monongahela came down on Sunday morning, and that river is now open its whole length. Contrary to anticipation, no damage was done to any of the steamboats. The ice was broken into small fragments before it reached here. On Sunday evening the Allegheny also began to run out ice in immense cakes, but the break up does not appear to have extended any great distance as yesterday morning the ice had ceased running.

Burglary.—The house of Mr. James Campbell, on Ohio street, Allegheny, was entered by burglars on Saturday night, and $25 in money, and a quantity of jewelry, clothing, &c., taken. The rascals, before leaving, maliciously destroyed a fine carpet by throwing oil over the floor. The entrance was effected through a back window, the shutters of which had been left open.

District Court.—Before Judge Williams.

Monday, March 24th.

The case of William Speer for use now of Hillary Brunot vs. L. & S. Peterson, and will, in all probability, be the better part of this week.

Released on Bail. George Rushaberger, committed to jail last week by Alderman Ansley, of Latrobe, Westmoreland county, for passing counterfeit money, was released yesterday, having given security for his appearance at Court.

A True Bill was yesterday found by the United States Grand Jury against James Danforth, for counterfeiting. This is the person who, along with sever al others, was arrested in the Fifth Ward, last week, by the Mayor's police.

Larceny.—A warrant was yesterday issued by Alderman Parkinson for the arrest of a young man named Wm. Straub, who is charged with stealing sixty cents from the drawer of the store of John Bonss, in the Fifth Ward.

Escape of Daniel R. Harper.—This notorious horse thief, confined in the Indiana county jail, escaped on Sunday night. A reward has been offered for his arrest.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 10, 1856.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, No. 257 Penn street, Pittsburgh—We anticipate that HOSTETTER'S BITTERS will soon become as popular in California as they have in the other States of the Union. Every party that have tried them wants more, and dealers who have bought them from us have not failed to repeat their orders. As the demand is daily increasing, we desire that you should ship us via New York, 50 doz. per month until further notice. We have orders on file from Honolulu, Sandwich Islands.

Very truly, yours,
feb26d3w PARK & WHITE, Wholesale Druggists.

☞ **Clark's Stomach Bitters** are acknowledged by all who have tried them to be the best family medicine of the age, for the cure of Dyspepsia, Costiveness, and a disordered state of the Liver and Stomach. They have no rival. The proprietors do not pretend to caution people from using other preparations that are palmed upon the public under the name of Stomach Bitters, for they have found that only one trial was needed to render such caution unnecessary.

For sale, wholesale, by COLLUM & CLARK, Third street, between Wood and Market; later H. KEYSER, 140 Wood street; and by Druggists generally.

A SECOND-HAND CHICKERING PIANO, Rosewood, round corners, 7 octaves, nearly new, has been left with the subscriber for sale, the owner having no further use for it. The above Piano will be sold for $300, net cash, being one hundred dollars below the regular price.
For sale by JOHN H. MELLOR,
mh24 81 Wood street.

EAST LIBERTY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—A Lot of Ground 76 feet front on Washington street by 193 feet on the Seventh street road, with a Frame House 16 by 45, containing five rooms, comfortably finished—cellars, &c. Apply to (mh24) BLAKELY & RICHEY.

SUGAR AND POP CORN—
100 boxes New England Sugar Corn:
15 bbls. " Pop Corn.
Just received and for sale by
REYMER & ANDERSON,
mh24 No. 20 Wood st., opposite St. Charles Hotel.

SHIRTS AND COLLARS.—We have NOW on hand, and are daily receiving from the Factory, NEW STYLES OF WHITE AND PRINTED LINEN AND MUSLIN SHIRTS AND COLLARS.

☞ Shirts made to order, as usual.
L. HIRSHFELD & SON,
mh24 70 Wood street.

SILK TIES AND SCARFS.—Just received, the latest styles of Ties, Scarfs and Cravats, at
L. HIRSHFELD & SON'S,
mh24 No. 70 Wood street.

DRESSING ROBES of every description now on hand at L. HIRSHFELD & SON'S,
mh22 No. 70 Wood street.

CEMETERY MARBLE WORKS—MATTHEW LAWTON, PRACTICAL MARBLE MASON, No 333 LIBERTY street, below Wayne. mh22d1y

DRAYMEN BOYS' GREASE, in cans; the best article in use for drays, carts, wagons, &c., for sale by [mh24] HENRY H. COLLINS.

LINSEED OIL—15 bbls. for sale by
mh24 HENRY H. COLLINS.

FEATHERS—A prime article for sale by
mh24 HENRY H. COLLINS.

GREEN APPLES—Received and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS

BEANS—10 sacks Small White for sale by
mh24 HENRY H. COLLINS.

CODFISH—2000 lbs. this day received and for sale by [mh24] HENRY H. COLLINS.

MAGAZINES FOR APRIL RECEIVED and for sale by H. MINER & CO., No. 32 SMITHFIELD street—

Harper's Magazine;
Godey's Lady's Book;
Peterson's Magazine;
Harper's Story Book;
Yankee Notions.
For sale by H. MINER & CO.,
mh22 32 Smithfield st.

CONCENTRATED LYE—The best article now in use for making Hard and Soft Soaps—always on hand in large quantities, and for sale by
mh22 FLEMING BROS.

SANDS' SARSAPARILLA,
IN QUART BOTTLES,
For the Removal and Permanent Cure of all Diseases arising from an Impure or Vitiated State of the Blood, or Blood of the System.

This truly valuable preparation is extracted from selected roots of the finest description, by means of an expensive and powerful apparatus, which obtains the medicinal and active principle in a highly concentrated form, so scientifically combining the several vegetable products in the process that a compound extract of Sarsaparilla is obtained infinitely superior to any other for purifying the blood, and the cure of Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Ulcers, Fever, Sores, Pimples, Boils, Cutaneous Eruptions, Rheumatism, Mercurial diseases, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Bronchitis, Consumption, Female Irregularities, Loss of Appetite, and General Debility.

This powerful remedial agent acts simultaneously upon the Stomach, the Circulation and the Bowels, and gently stimulates, while it disengages and expels from the system all that is irritating and prejudicial to bodily health. Being purely vegetable, it is perfectly harmless in its operation; the most delicate persons may take it at any time with perfect safety.

The astonishing success of this medicine constantly increasing during the last sixteen years, has secured for it the distinguished commendations of the faculty, and it enjoys a wide-spread popularity and extensive patronage which throws entirely out of competition every other preparation of Sarsaparilla.

Attention is respectfully solicited to the following certificate;

ANOTHER CURE OF SCROFULA.

TROY, N. Y., September 1, 1854.

Messrs. A. B. & D. Sands—Gentlemen: I have for myself three years been troubled with that dreadful disease, Scrofula; so much so, as to be offensive to my husband and to myself; and to obtain relief, have tried every kind of medicine that came under my notice, without effect. One of my neighbors, who had been cured of a similar complaint by your Sarsaparilla, advised me to make a trial of it, and I can truly say that it has done me a world of good, having completely relieved me, hoping that my evidence may induce others similarly afflicted to adopt the same remedy, with the same satisfactory results, I remain gratefully yours,

SARAH J. POULSON,
Wife of Mr. Poulson, Grocer, and Clothier, Fulton street, New York. Sold also by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., FLEMING BROS., Pittsburgh, and by Druggists generally. Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5.
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MAGAZINES FOR APRIL—
Harper's New Monthly Magazine;
Harper's Story Book;
Peterson's Magazine;
Yankee Notions for April;
The Old Dominion—by G. P. R. James;
The Loves of Harem—by Reynolds.
Just received and for sale by
W. A. GILDENPENNEY & CO.,
Wholesale Periodical Depot, opposite the Theatre.

SPRING BONNETS.—A. J. MASON & CO. are just opening a very large and well selected stock of Spring Bonnets, comprising the new styles of—

Split Braid;	Jenny Lind;
Satin Straw;	Gossamer Lace;
15 cord "	Florence Braid;
Diamond "	Misses' Satin Straw;
Split "	Misses' Flats.

BOYS' LEGHORN HATS, &c.

Also, a large assortment of Straw Buttons, Braids, Flowers, Garlands, &c. mh22

1 GROSS CLOVE ANODYNE just received and for sale by FLEMING BROS.
1 gross Payson's Indelible Ink, "
Cox's Gelatine, "
300 lbs. Sal Ammoniac, "
50) " Crude Tartar, "
2 bbls. fine Drop Black, "
" Rose Pink, " [mh22

WILTONS AND BRUSSELS CARPETINGS.—ROBINSON & CO., No. 25 FIFTH street, have received this day a large and choice assortment of WILTON BRUSSELS AND TAPESTRY CARPETINGS, of new and beautiful patterns. Also, VENETIAN STRAW CARPETS, 3 ply; INGRAIN, &c., at the LOWEST PRICES. mh22

FOR RENT—No. 159 WOOD STREET, a good stand for business. Also, No. 12 Market st.
mh22 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market st.

TEN DOLLARS A MONTH IS THE RENT of a very comfortable HOUSE in Allegheny City. For particulars, apply to S. CUTHBERT & SON,
mh22 51 Market street.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR APRIL;
Godey's Lady's Book, " "
Yankee Notions, " "
Just received by B. T. C. MORGAN,
mh22 101 Wood street.

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c.

Which he is prepared to manufacture to order in the LATEST STYLES.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same from his friends and customers.

☞ Complete satisfaction guaranteed.
H. F. SHOFE, MERCHANT TAILOR,
mh22:1w Third street, near Market.

FRESH FRUITS—
50 barrels Messina Oranges, sweet,
" Lemons,
For sale and for sale by
REYMER & ANDERSON, No. 20 Wood st.
mh24

MILLER'S COUGH SYRUP—An effectual cure for Coughs, Colds, etc. Prepared and sold only by
JOS. FLEMING'S,
mh24 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

JUJUBE PASTE—200 lbs. highly flavored Jujube Paste just received and for sale by FLEMING,
mh22 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

BALM OF THOUSAND FLOWERS—An other supply of this celebrated article received by
mh21 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

BARNES'S PILE LOTION—6 dozen received by JOS. FLEMING,
mh21 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

HAIR BRUSHES—Large supplies of Long-tail, Dandy and Shaving Brushes just received by JOS. FLEMING,
mh21 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

CASES GELATIN—3 gross patent refined sparkling Gelatin just received by
mh21 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

HAIR DYES—Large supplies of Batche lor's and Cristadoro's Hair Dyes just rec'd by
mh21 Corner Market st. and Diamond.

THE SATISFACTORY REMEDY—From all parts of the country, north and south, the proprietors are almost daily in receipt of letters detailing testimonials such as the following, relative to H. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge:

GREENSBURG, Ala., April 20th, 1855.

Messrs. H. A. Fahnestock & Co.—I have been selling your Vermifuge in this place for five years, and take pleasure in stating, for the information of the trade and others, that it has been, so far as I know, one of the most satisfactory remedies in the market, and one of the most saleable medicines we have. I have also procured from it, in my own family, as well as numerous cases under the treatment of our physicians, all of whom are in unison, and always have found it to be safe and reliable as a worm specific. I can recommend it as one of the safest and best in the market.

J. SPALDING & POWERCK
Prepared and sold by H. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.,
mh20 corner of Wood and First sts., Pittsburgh

DR. H. J. BORKETTE, 57 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, offers his valuable FEMALE REMEDY which is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and delicate disorders to which the Female Constitution is subject. It moderates all excess, and restores all obstructions; invigorates the debilitated and delicate by exciting and strengthening the system, and fortifies the constitution for the duties of life.

TO MARRIED LADIES!

It is peculiarly suited, as it will in a short time remove all obstructions.

We are not of the number who believe and act in accordance with the belief that puffing advertisements detract weight and dignity to objects of either momentous or trivial import; we decline to the contrary opinion, and hold that simplicity and truth invest such as are worthy of public attention, in decidedly the most rich and comely colors. In the present instance, our great desire is to be understood by those who may look to us for information, all else being considered of minor importance.

See circulars.

☞ Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. mh17

PRATT'S DAGUERREOTYPES AND AMBROTYPES, which give such general satisfaction are daily taken, in spite of weather, at Lafayette Building, No. 87 Fourth street. Particular attention is paid to ambrotyping, as the time of sitting is much less than is required for daguerreotypes. Pictures taken in from five seconds in either of the above named styles. Ambrotype or Daguerreotype Copies made correctly from every kind of pictures. Warranted perfect. Prices moderate. Our motto is, TO PLEASE. mh18

SEALED PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the Mayor's Office, Fourth street, until the 25th inst., for fitting up the former office of Wm. Hall for Mayor and Treasurer's Offices, and building Lock-Ups. Also, for building two Privies, stone foundation.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of S. W. KERR, Architect, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, after Monday, the 17th inst. mh14

NEW CARPETINGS.—ROBINSON & CO., No. 25 FIFTH STREET,

Are now daily receiving, of their own importation and from the New England manufacturers, a choice and large assortment of

CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS,

Which, for quantity, quality or price, are not surpassed in this market. MATTINGS, &c. mh14

LARD—13 kegs No. 1 for sale by
HENRY H. COLLINS.

EGGS—4 bbls. received by Railroad and for sale by [mh10] HENRY H. COLLINS.

LARD—10 kegs for sale by
mh10 HENRY H. COLLINS.

CLOVERSEED—50 lbs. prime this day received and for sale by [mh10] HENRY H. COLLINS.

WICKER FLASKS—I HAVE ON hand a large assortment of Wicker Flasks, suitable for travelers. Those wishing anything of the kind can always procure them at
mh10 JOS. FLEMING'S,
cornerof Diamond and Market sts.

MRS. BETT'S SUPPORTERS—I have on hand a large assortment of these excellent Supporters. Those wishing anything in this line should call and examine them, before purchasing any other kind.
JOS. FLEMING,
mh12 Corner Diamond and Market st.

COFFEE—200 bags prime Rio, for sale by
mh17 CUTHBERT, MAIR & HUNTER.

PIANOS TO RENT.

An Excellent 6¾ octave PIANO FORTE, (Stodart, N. Y.) nearly new, and very handsome style of Furniture, will be rented to a private family at a moderate rent.

ALSO—A beautiful rosewood Piano Forte, (Woodward & Brown, Boston,) with iron frame, and of very superior tone, has been in use about two years, will be rented for six months or a year to a private family, at a low rate.

☞ The above fine Piano Fortes either for sale or rent by
JOHN H. MELLOR, No. 81 Wood street,
mh19 between Diamond alley and Fourth street.

Joseph White's Carriage Repository.

JOSEPH WHITE, now carrying on business in his spacious premises, (now lately enlarged), on the Pittsburgh and Greensburg Turnpike, near the Two Mile Run, between Pittsburgh and Lawrenceville, respectfully invites the public to inspect his stock of CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, &c., and he particularly informs gentlemen *purchasers*, that one price only is made.

Fourteen years' experience in the business enables him to place before his patrons the same choice collection of Carriages which, so many years past it has been his particular department to select, from the various and most talented Eastern manufacturers. The success of his new system is complete—the economy of his arrangements will supply the best and most fashionable manufactures at moderate prices.

Unencumbered by those heavy expenses, which the system for decorating houses of business has heaped upon the price of goods, (owing to large rents,) JOSEPH WHITE will sell for ready money only, at much less than the usual prices.

☞ Carriages repaired in the best manner, with despatch.
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NEW GOODS.

Consisting in part of
Plain and Figured Black Silks;
Plain and Figured Colored Silks;
Plain and Figured Black Mohair Lustres;
Plain and Figured Colored Mohair Lustres;
Plain and Figured Black Alpacas;
Plain and Figured Colored Alpacas;
Plain and Figured Black Bombazines;
Plain and Figured Colored Bombazines;
Plain and Figured Black Delaines;
Plain and Figured Colored Delaines;
Plain and Figured Black Cashmeres;
Plain and Figured Colored Cashmeres;
Plain and Figured Black Merinoes;
Plain and Figured Colored Merinoes;
Plain and Figured Black Poplins;
Plain and Figured Colored Poplins;
Plain and Figured Black Bareges;
Plain and Figured Colored Bareges;
Plain and Figured Black Grenadines;
Plain and Figured Colored Grenadines;
Plain and Figured Black Tissues;
Plain and Figured Colored Tissues;
Plain and Figured Black Barege Robes;
Plain and Figured Colored Barege Robes;
Plain and Figured Black Grenadine Robes;
Plain and Figured Colored Grenadine Robes;
Plain and Figured Black Tissue Robes;
Plain and Figured Colored Tissue Robes;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Robes;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Robes;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Mantillas;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Mantillas;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Points;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Points;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Collars;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Collars;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Sleeves;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Sleeves;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Veils;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Veils;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Scarfs;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Scarfs;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Barbes;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Barbes;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Capes;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Capes;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Cuffs;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Cuffs;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Flouncings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Flouncings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Trimmings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Trimmings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Edgings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Edgings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Insertings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Insertings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Bindings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Bindings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Braidings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Braidings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Fringes;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Fringes;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Gimps;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Gimps;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Ruchings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Ruchings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Ruffings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Ruffings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Ruffles;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Ruffles;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Quillings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Quillings;
Plain and Figured Black Lace Puffings;
Plain and Figured Colored Lace Puff