In consequence of the sudden illness of Dr. J. W. AYRES,

DR. CALVIN M. FITCH

Will conclude the appointment in person, and REMAIN IN PITTSBURGH until

Saturday Evening, June 29, 1856,

When he can be consulted daily (Sabbath excepted) between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 4 P. M., at his rooms at the

ST. CLAIR HOTEL,

Corner of Penn and St. Clair Streets,

☞ *Entrance to rooms on Penn street.* ☜

For Diseases of the Throat & Lungs,

And all affections predisposing to them.

DR. FITCH will open his permanent office at 459 MAIN STREET, BUFFALO, on the first of July, where he may be addressed after leaving Pittsburgh.

The Invalid's Guide and Consumptive's Manual,

Or suggestions for the prevention and relief of Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Dyspepsia, Female Complaints, &c., by CALVIN M. FITCH, A. M. M. D.

Price in muslin 50 cents. It can be sent by mail to any part of the United States. my28

TERRA COTTA OR STONE

WATER PIPES,

From two to six inch calibre.

PRICES from 12 to 30 Cents per Foot.

ALSO—ROCHESTER

PEARL STARCH

For Sale Wholesale at Manufacturers Prices by

HENRY H. COLLINS,

FORWARDING AND

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN

CHEESE, BUTTER, SEEDS, FISH,

AND PRODUCE GENERALLY.

No. 25 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH. [je16

JAMES A. FETZER,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,

FOR THE SALE OF

Flour, Grain, Dried Fruit, Seeds, Lard, Butter, Bacon, and Produce generally.

No. 89 Water Street, PITTSBURGH, PA.

REFER TO

Francis G Bailey, Esq., William Dilworth, Sr., S. Cuthbert & Son, Pittsburgh; Reid & Ott, Hezlebell & Swearingen, S. Brady, Cash. M. & M Bank, 1st & Howell, Cwangle & Co., Geo. W. Anderson, Donald, Paxton & Co., Wheeling. [my28

PEKIN TEA STORE,

NO. 38 FIFTH STREET.

FRESH TEAS.—A choice lot fresh Green and Black Teas, just received direct from the importers, which will be sold wholesale and retail, at prices lower than usual.

S. JAYNES.

my28

COTTAGE HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

THE undersigned (with a view of removing to another house in the immediate vicinity,) offers for sale the HOUSE AND LOT in which he now resides, situated on Mount Washington, on the brow of Coal Hill, opposite the lower part of the city. The lot is 125 feet front and 350 feet deep, and has growing on it a large number of fruit trees and shrubbery, consisting of apples, peaches, plums, cherries, apricots, currants, gooseberries, raspberries, grapes, &c. The house is 40 feet front, 36 feet hall, and 50 feet deep, with kitchen and cellar. There are 8 rooms, with bath room and finished garret. The house is built in modern style, neatly painted and papered throughout; the doors, windows and washboards of fir, all rooms and hall are grained. There is a good stable, sufficiently large for two horses and carriage; a well of good water; a cistern, and all necessary outhouses. The lot is enclosed by a paling fence 6 feet high. The location is one of the most beautiful and healthful in Western Pennsylvania.

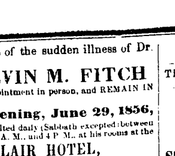
Possession given the 10th day of June if required.

Terms liberal

W. C. LESLIE,

jel4 No. 45 Fifth street.

FURNITURE!



RYAN'S BUILDINGS,

No. 31 Fifth Street.

The subscriber, having enlarged and fitted up in good style his

SPACIOUS FURNITURE WAREROOMS,

BY MADE

LARGE AND VALUABLE ADDITIONS

To his stock, and now invites his friends and the public to

CALL AND EXAMINE

Before purchasing elsewhere

HIS STOCK IS WELL ASSORTED,

Amounting to

$50,000 Worth,

Consisting of

EVERY CLASS OF GOODS:

RICH, MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

And embracing rosewood very fine

ROSEWOOD PARLOR SETTS,

Covered with French Bagatelle

OAK CHAMBER SETTS,

And a great variety of

New Styles of Bureaus, Bedsteads, Chairs, Sofas, Book Cases, &c., &c.

All of which he offers by retail, at WHOLESALE PRICES

☞ Every article warranted to give satisfaction, or the money refunded

H. H. RYAN,

my29 No. 31 Fifth street.

PEKIN TEA STORE,

No. 38 FIFTH STREET.

ONE DOOR EAST OF THE EXCHANGE BANK,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

GREEN & BLACK TEAS

Purchased direct from the Importers for CASH. The stock consists of all the different flavors and grades of TEA brought to the American market, and

SOLD WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

AT THE

VERY LOWEST CASH PRICES!

PACKED TEAS, PUT UP IN METALIC PACKAGES, expressly for the trade.

TEAS OF ALL GRADES, BY THE HALF CHEST

COFFEE, SUGAR, COCOA and CHOCOLATE of the best brands, for sale.

Long experience in the business is a sure guarantee that every article sold will be as represented.

AGENT, AT SPECIAL APPOINTMENT, FOR THE SALE OF DR. JAYNE'S FAMILY MEDICINES. S. JAYNES.

Pittsburgh, June 20, 1856.—je20

Two Medals and Five Diplomas Awarded.

ARTHUR'S Patent Air Tight Self-sealing tin cans and fire-proof Yellow Ware Jars. Henry Hurby is the Agent of the city and Western Pennsylvania for the sale of the above articles, at his China and Queensware store, No. 127 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa., where a new kind fruit and green glass jars at a low price, with large caps and corks, ready fitted for sealing strawberries and other fruits. Also a general assortment of China, Glass and Queensware, adapted to the wants of private families, hotel keepers, steam boats and country merchants, all at moderate prices. je17-3m

EDMUND WILKINS.

EAGLE MARBLE WORKS.

HEAD OF WOOD, ON LIBERTY SREET, and at the Cemetery Gate, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Monuments, Burial Vaults, Tombstones, Mantel Pieces Centre and Pier Table Tops, Washstands, &c. On hand and made to order, of every variety, Mantels, fencing for Cemetery lots, ornamental and plain, which is durable, and needs no painting, at from $2 to $6 per foot.

Having been engaged practically in this business for thirty years, twenty-three of which have been in this city, which I deem a sufficient reference, I will make new designs, and furnish any work in my line at reasonable prices.

je-13-1y.

DAVID M CARDLESS.....WILLIAM MEANS.....H. A COFFIN

M'Candless, Means & Co.,

(Successors to Wick & M'Candless,)

WHOLESALE GROCERS, and Dealers in IRON, NAILS, GLASS, COTTON YARNS, and Pittsburgh Manufactures generally, corner of Wood and Water streets, Pittsburgh. my8

Geo. Albree, Son & Co.

JUST RECEIVED—A prime assortment of Ladies' Kid, cloth, and French patent foxed gaiters, misses colored and black gaiters, children's fancy boots and low cut shoes, all made to special order.

je19-2w al

LINEN GOODS.—We have received another lot of the finest Damask Table Cloths, Napkins, Diapers, Towelling, Irish Linens, &c., &c., which will be sold at considerably less than the usual price.

A. A. MASON & Co.

je11

CONGRESS WATER—36 doz. Saratoga Water (Congress Spring,) just received by

JOS. FLEMING,

je14 Corner Diamond and Market st.

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS.—We have now on hand a very fine assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings; Silk, Lawn and other Cravats; Pocket Hdkfs., Hosiery and Gloves of every description, and other Goods for Gentlemen's wear.

A. A. MASON & CO.

je14

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

THURSDAY MORNING.....JUNE 26.

THE

SIXTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION

OF THE

PENNSYLVANIA STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY,

WILL BE HELD

AT PITTSBURGH

On SEPTEMBER 30th, and on OCTOBER 1st, 2d and 3d, 1856.

je24 ROBT. C. WALKER, Secretary.

The Abduction Case.

The following letter and statements will explain themselves.

PITTSBURGH, June 25, 1856.

TO THE HON. W. BINGHAM,
Mayor City of Pittsburgh,

SIR: Four days ago two ladies, one representing herself to be a Catholic and the other a Protestant, brought a child to St. Paul's R. C. Orphan Asylum whose name they gave as Mary Anne O'Connor and stating her to be an orphan of Catholic parents. They represented her to have been living of late with strangers, by whom she was very badly treated, and asked her to be received into the Institution. At the recommendation of one of the members of the Board she was provisionally received by the Sisters of Mercy, until her case would be brought before the President and Board. Circumstances have since occurred to make the Sisters fear, that the account given of her is a fabrication and that probably she is the Mary Crosby whose abduction from her parents was reported in the papers in the beginning of last week. The undersigned being informed of these things, requested the Sisters to make farther investigation, and this has only confirmed the suspicions already aroused, though there is yet no certainty of their being well founded. Before proceeding any farther however, he requests you to have the kindness to come up to the Asylum and examine the girl, or attend at the examination which is intended to be made. The Board as well as the Sisters of Mercy, will be very glad if you can attend at the very first formal interrogations that will be put to the child.

T. J. REYNOLDS,
President Board of Managers.

It appears that on Saturday last, after the departure from the city of the mother and step-father of this child, two persons brought her to St. Paul's R. C. Orphan Asylum. They said her name was Mary Anne O'Connor, and gave the statement which will be found below. The Sisters of Mercy never receive children into the Institution without an order from the President of the Board of Managers, but as he was not in town, on the recommendation of another member of the Board she was received until the Board would have time to act officially.

The Sisters of Mercy, in the meantime, thought they had reason to fear that some imposition had been practised, and they notified the President of the Board, Rev. T. S. Reynolds. He requested some more interrogatories to be put to her, and the opinion that she was Mary Crosby was confirmed. Before seeing, her, however, he wrote to the Mayor, informing him of the above facts, and requested him to institute an inquiry, as every one connected with the Institution is most anxious that no person be received under circumstances such as are alleged to exist in her case.

On yesterday at three o'clock, the Mayor, accompanied by High Constable King, Rev. T. S. Reynolds, President, with some other members of the Board, Bishop O'Connor, and Mr. Umbstaetter, Attorney at Law, invited by the Board as their Solicitor, visited the Asylum, on Webster street. The sisters in charge of the institution were first introduced. They gave the statements above alluded to—that she was brought to the Asylum by a Miss Turner and a Miss Ritchie, the former representing herself as a Catholic, and the other as a Protestant. They said the child was very badly treated where she last lived: that both parents were dead. The child herself had stated last evening, when questioned by the sisters, that she had come from Reeseville, near Lancaster county: was brought here by her aunt, Mrs. Foster, of Philadelphia, repeating the same account as given above.

It having now become evident that she was giving expression to a false account, suggested to her by others, the Bishop, with the Mayor's concurrence, appealed to her to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth: that the parties there knew her history well, but wished to hear it from herself: she was asked then to tell how she was brought there, by whom, &c. After a long struggle, during which she cried loudly, she admitted that she had been taken away from the cars, at the Allegheny station, on last Monday week, by a man whom she called a watchman, and remained in some house in the city, which she could not describe, until last Saturday, that this man's motive for taking her away was the cruel treatment by her mother and step father. That her mother had beaten her thoroughly, as also the step father, and she cried aloud, and said her mother would kill her if she went back to her. She frequently almost shrieked when she began to think she was going to be sent back to her mother. She said her step-father also treated her cruelly, but only when he was drunk. She was pacified, and assured she would be well cared for, and was then taken charge of by Mr. King, and removed from the Asylum.

It is to be remarked that almost all excitement on this subject had died away before she was brought to the Asylum. Those in charge of it were thrown off their guard. The child was timid, and seemed pained at every allusion to her antecedents. The Sisters were unwilling to push inquiries regarding her affairs until she should feel more at ease. She was only four days in the institution, and as soon as suspicion was excited, a thorough investigation was immediately instituted. This would have been done at any rate by the Board when the case came to be acted on officially. But it was thought best the Mayor should be present at the very first interrogatories put to the child, which resulted as above stated.

I do certify that the facts set forth in the above statement, so far as being notified by Rev. T. S. Reynolds of his suspicions, and the statement made by the Sisters, and also the statement made by the said Mary Ann Crosby, are true as made in my hearing.

W. BINGHAM, Mayor.

Mayor's Office, Pittsburgh, June 25th.

Buchanan and Breckinridge.—At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Buchanan and Breckinridge Club of Allegheny county, held on Wednesday afternoon, the following gentlemen were appointed the committee to make preparations for celebrating the coming Fourth of July:

Capt. John Birmingham, Jas. H. Hopkins,
Col. Jas. A. Gibson, Dr. Alex. Black,
Matthew Harbison, Porter R. Sawyer,
Col. M. M'Cullough, Dr. A. M. Pollock,
John T. Symms, Capt. David Campbell.

The following persons were appointed in addition upon the Collecting Committee:

East Birmingham—Esq. Hageman, A. Arbogast.
Duquesne—D. R. Williams, Geo. Burrows.
Sharpsburg—Law. Winchell, P. Connelly.
Manchester—Jno. Wagoner, Jno. H. Dubois.
Elizabeth—Jas. Scott, Dr. Jas. Power.
N. Fayette—Robt. Potter, A. B. M'Farland.
S. Fayette—P. F. M'Cabe, Jas. Dunlevy.
Franklin—S. Neely, F. Wiggans.
West Deer—Chas. Bryson, W. J. M'Laren.
Jefferson—M. Snee, Jas. Ralston.
M'Candless—H. M'Laren, H. Good.
Snowden—W. M'Cully, Wm. Stewart.
Versailles—Jno. Sill, Wm. L. Miller.
Sewickley—R. Stevenson.
Shaler—W. Graham, J. L. Blessur.
Wilkins—Ed. Thompson, John M'Kinney.
Reserve—Jos. Lofinch, Jos. Eckhart.
Plum—J. C. Stewart, Jas. Boyer.
Ohio—John Seibert, Jos. Birmingham,
Robinson—R. B. Guthrie, M. Harbison.
Chartiers—H. Ingraham, C. Scully.
Baldwin—W. H. Wightman, S. F. Curry.
Elizabeth bor.—Dr. Jesse Penney, R. C. Walker.
W. Pittsburgh—Jos. Rodgers, John Murray.
W. Elizabeth—Gen. J. H. Watson, E. D. Rodgers.
Findley—Dr. J. Pollock.
Moon—Geo. Sampson.
Penn—Francis Wilson, jr.
Patton—Jas. M'Ginley.

JOHN M. IRWIN, President.

C. MAGEE, Secretary.

Incorrect, of Course.—The *Chronicle* Reporter had another half column yesterday on Hugh Corrigan, "that unfortunate and wretched old man" who is to suffer the extreme penalty of law next month in Westmoreland county. The half column in question was prefaced by the remark that the statements in the morning papers to the effect that Corrigan was to be removed to Greensburg yesterday were incorrect. Of course the contradiction was unreliable, although the Reporter had for authority no less a personage than the prisoner himself, who, by the way being no longer a free agent is not so good authority as the Sheriff of Westmoreland, from whom we got the fact.

We invite attention to the sale of valuable real estate at corner of Smithfield and Second streets and also on Liberty street, Ninth Ward, this evening, at Merchant's Exchange, by Mr. Davis.

The Board of Licensers are still in secret session

Items of Interest.—There were 396 commitments to jail during the month just passed. Of these 286 were vagrants, drunken or disorderly persons, and 110 were for court offences.....A meeting of the Fillmore Americans is announced for this evening at American Hall. The action is to be in opposition to the late Philadelphia and New York pow-wows of the Cayennes and Republicans.....Alderman Donaldson on Tuesday evening committed Richard Beitler for an assault and battery on Catharine Duffy. He will have to take his trial before the Quarter Sessions for his unmanly act. Some of the spectators moved to pity exclaimed, "Alas, poor Richard;" but others in the crowd, more sensibly remarked:

The man who lays his hand upon a woman,
Save in the way of kindness,
Twere base flattery to call villain.

Hotel Improvement.—Geo. Aurentz, the polite and accommodating landlord of the Mansion House, Liberty street, Railroad Station, has built an addition to his Hotel, which gives him double the room for the accommodation of the public which he has had heretofore, besides which he has altered the interior of the whole building, having now one of the finest dining rooms in the city. The situation of the Mansion House is a very fortunate one for the proprietor as well as for the public, immediately adjoining the Pennsylvania Railroad passenger station. The culinary department is unexceptionable, which is attested by the crowds which daily rally around his liberal table. We have only one opinion of the Mansion House, and that is, that it is hard to beat.

Interesting Scene.—Yesterday afternoon, at four o'clock, Hugh Corrigan was conducted from the jail of this county, by the Sheriff, in an omnibus, to the cars, by which he will be taken to the new Greensburg jail, there to await the execution of his sentence of death on the 25th of July next. Before leaving Hugh bid adieu to all his fellow-prisoners, many of whom, especially his female partners in imprisonment, shed tears copiously, at which the old man became also deeply affected and wept bitterly his last farewell. Verily the way of the transgressor is hard, bringing many sorrows which, falling mainly upon the offender, shed at the same time sorrow and pain upon those around. Hugh still denies the murder.

Beautiful.—The bouquet at the St. Chair Hotel dinner table yesterday, was one of the largest and handsomest it has ever been our pleasure to scent and look upon for a long time. It was arranged in bowls dexterously set up to the height of three feet, and was the product of the skill and genius of John Thompson Fox, the steward, a spirit-stirrer and gentlemanly colored man.

The number of deaths in this city for the week ending June 23d, were twenty three. Of these died of consumption, three of congestion of brain, three of scarlet fever, two of cholera infantum, two of cramp, one each of bronchitis, dropsy, inflammation of bowels, marasmus, measles, at 1 months, one still born, and one unknown.

Railroad Meeting.—The Stockholders of the Ohio and Indiana Railroad held a meeting at Bayonne, Ohio, on Tuesday, at which five sixths of the stock was represented. A vote was taken on the propriety of confirming the consolidation with the Ohio and Pennsylvania and Fort Wayne Railroads, which resulted unanimously in form of the project.

Pittsburgher Drowned.—We learn from the Cincinnati papers that Mr. Frank Rudolphal, of Allegheny City, was drowned in the Ohio near that place on Monday, in an attempt to rescue a little boy who had tumbled into the water. The boy, in his struggles, dragged Rudolphal under, though he was finally saved.

☞ **Three bottles of Hostetter's CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS** will be sent for one dollar, and the bottle will cost no more than one dollar, if purchased of the agents, or of any respectable druggist in the country, and the worst form of dyspepsia, liver complaint, or general debility, will be cured by a use of the bitters. Hostetter's Bitters are prepared only by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and are sold by druggists everywhere.

☞ **Clark's Stomach Bitters** are a safe and sure cure for dyspepsia, liver complaint, and all diseases arising from a disordered state of the stomach. The proprietors do not publish a long list of cures they have performed, but prefer to let the merits of Clark's Bitters rest on their own intrinsic value. The following testimonial is from a gentleman well known in this community: PITTSBURGH, Nov. 17, 1855. Messrs. H. H. KEYSER & CO.: Gentlemen: I have been using your Clark's Stomach Bitters for a long time, and have found them a most valuable medicine. Yours, &c., JOHN M'CLURE. Sold by druggists generally.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE. J. C. FOSTER, sole Lessee and Manager. Wm. H. Rice, Stage Manager. Acting Manager, Thos. Flynn. Last night but one of the season. Boxes and Parquette, $1. Second Tier, 75 cents. Boxes to be secured previous to the day of performance. Certificates, no extra charge. THIS EVENING, JUNE 26, Will be presented the Comedy of THE MISER. Lovegold, Mr. Foster. Lockbrich, M. Rice. Brindle, Flynn. Jacob Wrench, Mr. Thomas. To conclude with the 3d and last Pas-de-bon-tuse, Miss Julia Wood. Jackson, Nelson; John Smith, Young; Mrs. A. W. Lee.

VAN AMBURGH & CO'S

GREAT CONSOLIDATED

CIRCUS & MENAGERIE!

The Largest Establishment in the World!

WILL BE EXHIBITED AT PITTSBURGH ON JULY 29, 30, 4TH AND 5TH DAYS OF THE AMERICAN HOTEL. FOUR EXHIBITIONS EACH DAY.

FOUR PERFORMANCES ON THE FOURTH

Doors open one hour previous to the Artistic Performances.

The Equestrian and Gymnastic Troupes

Comprise the principal Stars of Europe and America.

At the head of whom are the celebrated

CLOWN FAMILY,

From Astley's Royal Amphitheatre, London; the

FRANCISCO BROTHERS,

Four in number, from the Cirque Nationale, Paris; LE JEUNE LOUIS, the most Classic Equestrian of the age; FRANK CARPENTER, the Daring Horseback Rider; Messrs. HILDRETH, WADWELL, HORNELL, &c., and SEPARATE TROUPES OF VOLTIGERS, ACROBATS, PANTOMIMISTS AND DRAMATISTS

TWO STAR CLOWNS!

BEN STONE, the most Original Wit and pungent Joster in America, and H. CROWHURST, his English compeer, a "fellow of infinite wit," and the greatest Trick Clown in the world.

Leader of the Cornet Band ... HERMAN LUDWIG

THE MENAGERIE

Is the most perfect ever exhibited, and contains the LARGEST and MOST COMPREHENSIVE COLLECTION OF ANIMALS from

EUROPE, ASIA, AFRICA AND AMERICA.

Ever comprised in one Zoological Institute

Immediately after the arcadic performances,

PROFESSOR LANGWORTHY

Will enter the cage of his Trained Animals, consisting of LIONS, LIONESSES, TWO ROYAL BENGAL TIGERS, LEAPING TIGER, PANTHERS, LEOPARDS, &c.

And exhibit to the spectators the wonderful subjection in which he holds these savage denizens of the jungle and forest.

ADMISSION—25 cents; (to half price.) Reserved Seats 50 cents; Children 25 cents. je23

JOHN W. M'CARTHY, BILL POSTER and DISTRIBUTOR, will attend to the Posting and Distributing of all kinds of BILLS FOR CONCERTS, LECTURES, EXHIBITIONS, &c. All communications—either by mail, telegraph or otherwise—directed to the office of the Morning Post, will receive prompt attention. ap7

REMOVAL.

FRANK VAN GORDER HAS REMOVED to No. 78 MARKET street, nearly opposite to his old stand, and is now prepared to supply his customers and the public generally with anything they need in the way of Trimmings, Embroideries, Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery and Fancy Goods generally.

☞ Remember the No., 78 Market st. ap22m-ch

DIVIDEND.—Citizens' Insurance Company.—The President and Directors of this company have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of six dollars per share, upon the Capital Stock. Five dollars in cash, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, and one dollar credited to their stock on and after the 23d inst.

SAMUEL L. MARSHELL, Sec.

June 17th, 1856. je18-8w

$100 REWARD.—Stolen this morning, from the Allegheny House, my little girl, Mary Ann Crosby, 12 years of age, black hair and small eye, dressed with a red calico frock, blue sack and leghorn hat. The above reward will be paid for information that may lead to the conviction of the thief, or $25 for the return of the child to JOHN CHAMBERS,

je17-3td Emmet House, Allegheny City.

THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THIRTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION

WASHINGTON, June 25.—*Senate*—Mr. Wilson presented the petition of the officers of the Massachusetts Emigrant Aid Society, setting forth the objects of that organization, and stating that they had been much misrepresented by the majority report of the Committee on Territories. They say that this Society has not been the cause of the trouble in Kansas, having never infringed on any law, nor interfered with the peaceable execution of the law; they never invested a dollar in any munitions of war; never sent out persons to control the elections in Kansas, nor hired any man except as business agents to go there; never paid the passage of a single emigrant; nor is it within the knowledge of the company that any person has gone out there under their auspices with any other view than settling in the territory. They also represent their property as having been destroyed by the recent out-breaks, and pray that the offenders may be brought to justice, and that compensation be made for the losses and injuries they have sustained. The petition was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Johnston took exception to some of the comments of Mr. Seward yesterday on the conduct of Mr. Rusk in assaulting Horace Greeley some time ago.

Mr. Seward vindicated the correctness of what he said according to the facts, as they were within his knowledge and recollection. He did not, however, at the time, remember the precise grounds on which the attack was made.

Mr. Foster alluded to the passage of the Kansas-Nebraska Bill about the hour of midnight on the 25th of May, 1854. The darkness which then enveloped the earth yielded to the light of the coming day, but the darkness and gloom which had been caused by that bill did not pass away. They had been increasing till they now enveloped the whole land with a broad black shadow. He spoke with earnestness in defence of the Emigrant Aid Society and vindicated Professor Silliman and the Reverends Beecher and Dutton at the meeting in New Haven in the Rev. Mr. Dutton's church. It was to bid farewell to their friends who were about to leave for Kansas, and the arms furnished were merely for self defence. It was a significant fact that the party who were thus furnished with Sharpe's rifles had never been engaged in any of the disturbances in that territory. If Professor Silliman had no stone axe at him except by those who had done more than he for the good of his race, he would be much more likely to attain to the age of Methuselah than to suffer the martyrdom of Stephen. Mr. Foster maintained that over slavery in the States the general Government had no power; where there was no power there was no responsibility; and there should be no intermeddling with the existence of slavery in the territories it was an entirely different matter. Being unsuccessful in discovering what was the great principle in the Kansas-Nebraska, he had concluded that it conceived to be the true doctrine, viz: that Congress has exclusive power over the matter. If slavery was right he could be wrong. He would recommend that wherever slavery existed in the territories that it be abolished, and wherever it did not, it should be forbidden.

Mr. Benjamin expressed his gratification at the tone and temper of Mr. Foster's speech, being so different from what he had been accustomed to hear on those entertaining such opinions on the subject of slavery. The question had been discussed in a manner eminently becoming a Senator representing one of the sovereign States of the confederacy.

Mr. Wilson presented the Kansas Bill and all proposed amendments were recommitted to the Committee on Territories.

The Senate then adjourned.

House.—The Speaker announced a bill authorising the President to cause to be delivered, at the expense of the United States, to Utah and New Mexico, such arms as they are entitled to under the existing laws.

Bill establishing two additional land districts which prices will be 20 majority.

The bill for the admission of the State of Kansas into the Union, with the Topeka Constitution, as reported from the Committee on Territories, was considered.

Mr. Gow argued that the people made this request in order to relieve them from tyrannical and oppressive laws.

Mr. Smith, of Tenn., invoked a spirit of harmony and forbearance his preference for Mr. Toombs' bill.

Mr. Dunn earnestly opposed Mr. Gow's effort to keep the bill before the House, and wished it sent to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union.

Mr. Gow moved that they lay the bill thereon on the table.

Mr. Bocock moved to postpone, pending which the House adjourned, without taking a vote.

The Pawnee Indians, in Nebraska, have established a village of 400 lodges, on the Platte, within sight of the Rocky Mountains on Nebraska.

European Arrival at Quebec

QUEBEC, June 25.—The steamer Anglo-Saxon, from Liverpool, with dates to the 14th inst., arrived at this port at 7 o'clock this evening.

The news is of an unimportant character.

Cotton has been in better demand and prices have advanced about ½d, the sales of the week footing up 40,000 bales, of which speculators took 3,000 and exporters 2,000. The market closed quiet at the advance. The sales on Friday, Saturday and Monday were 15,000 bales, of which speculators took 1,000 and exporters 1,000. The market closed quiet at the advance. The sales on Friday, Saturday and Monday were 15,000 bales, of which speculators took 1,000 and exporters 1,000. The market closed quiet at the advance. The sales of the week include 2,000 bales of Surat at 3¼d, 2,000 Pernambuco at 7¼d, 2,000 Egyptian at 4¾d, and 1,000 Dhollerah at 3¼d. The stock in port is now reduced to 641,000 bales, of which 392,000 are American, and 249,000 are other kinds.

Breadstuffs have declined 1s. Flour is 1s lower, and Wheat 1s to 2s lower. Corn is 1s lower. Provisions are dull and prices have a declining tendency. Pork is 1s lower. Bacon is 1s lower. Lard is 1s lower. Tallow is 1s lower. Rosin is 1s lower. Spirits Turpentine is 1s lower. Linseed Oil is 1s lower. Other articles remain unchanged.

The Liverpool Brokers' Circular says the Cotton market has been more active, and prices have advanced ½d. The sales of the week have been 40,000 bales, of which speculators took 3,000 and exporters 2,000. The market closed quiet at the advance. The sales on Friday, Saturday and Monday were 15,000 bales, of which speculators took 1,000 and exporters 1,000. The market closed quiet at the advance. The sales of the week include 2,000 bales of Surat at 3¼d, 2,000 Pernambuco at 7¼d, 2,000 Egyptian at 4¾d, and 1,000 Dhollerah at 3¼d. The stock in port is now reduced to 641,000 bales, of which 392,000 are American, and 249,000 are other kinds.

Breadstuffs have declined 1s. Flour is 1s lower, and Wheat 1s to 2s lower. Corn is 1s lower. Provisions are dull and prices have a declining tendency. Pork is 1s lower. Bacon is 1s lower. Lard is 1s lower. Tallow is 1s lower. Rosin is 1s lower. Spirits Turpentine is 1s lower. Linseed Oil is 1s lower. Other articles remain unchanged.

The Tariff.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The Committee of Ways and Means is about making a full and clean sweep. Extensive modifications are to be made in the tariff, and it is proposed to be the extension of the duties on crude raw materials. The great difficulty in the way of such a change is divided views. Some are in favor of a horizontal tariff, with a maximum and minimum value, and others are for retaining the present duties on those enumerated articles, and reducing the duties on those not enumerated. There is a strong disposition to make a horizontal tariff, which is indorsed by some, even if sustained by the House.

Republican Ratification Meetings.

WASHINGTON, PA., June 25.—A large and spirited ratification meeting was held here by the Republicans last night. Wood, of Ohio, and other distinguished Americans were present, but refused to address.

WESTCHESTER, PA., June 25.—A large meeting took place in Westchester, Chester and Dayton was addressed last night. It was the largest political meeting ever held here. The platform was adorned with the beauty sheets. Addresses were delivered by Mr. Jadder, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Wayne, Mr. McVeigh, and J. S. Rowan.

No Fusion.

ALTANY, June 25.—The two Democratic Conventions met last night. The Softs made a proposition for a fusion on a platform, which the latter rejected, and nominated a ticket. The conventions, meeting at the same time and place, continuing to represent the two organizations.

Sumner vs. Brooks

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The Grand Jury to-day presented Brooks for assault and battery on Sumner. The latter appeared before that body and gave his testimony.

Fillmore's Ovation.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The Fillmore ovation was grand throughout. He was introduced by the Whig General Committee, last evening, and made a felicitous speech.

Municipal Election at Norfolk.

NORFOLK, Va., June 25.—The municipal election, yesterday, resulted in the Americans carrying their ticket by 100 majority. The Mayor elect is Finlay F. Ferguson.

Rumored New Governor for Kansas

WASHINGTON CITY, June 25.—It is unauthentically rumored that Gen. Lane, of Indiana, will be appointed Governor of Kansas, vice Gov. Shannon.

Destructive Fire.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The Fall River Massavit Flour Mills were burnt this morning. Loss $50,000; insured for $10,000.

Departure of the Steamer Arabia.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The steamer Arabia sailed at noon with 150 passengers and $1,000,000 in specie.

New Orleans Mails.

PALTIMORE, June 25.—The Southern mail brings New Orleans papers of Tuesday.

NINTH WARD LIBERTY STREET PROPERTY AT AUCTION.—ON THURSDAY evening, June 26, at 8 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, Fourth street, will be sold, that valuable and handsomely situated Lot of Ground opposite the Fair grounds, on the corner of Liberty and Clymer streets, having a front of 76½ feet on Liberty street, and extending along Clymer street 160 feet to spacious alley, being near the Outer Depot of the Pacific R. R., and one of the most desirable locations in the above Ward.

If desired, it may be divided into four Lots, a plan of which may be seen at the Auctioneer's Store.

Title good. Terms at sale. P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

je20

SHERIFF'S SALE OF A VARIETY STORE.—On Friday morning, June 26th, at 10 o'clock, at the store of Wm. Boyle, No. 66 Wood st., near 4th street, will be sold by order of Rody Patterson, Esq., High Sheriff of Allegheny county, the entire stock, comprising fine gold and plated jewelry, perfumery and soaps, looking glasses, superior violins, accordions and other musical instruments; razors, table and pocket cutlery, combs, brushes, port monnaies, hosiery, suspenders, spool cotton, work baskets, needle books, fancy and very extensive assortment of toys, gewhigs, toys, variety goods, &c.

Also, shelving, counters, show case, store fixtures, &c. P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

je19

COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE AND MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

President.

L. WILMARTH.

Vice Presidents.

T. S. CLARKE, GEO. W. CASS

Treasurer.

N. HOLMES, JR.

Secretary.

JAMES P. BARR.

Superintendent.

S. T. NORTHAM, JR.

Committee of Arbitration for June.

GEO. W. CASS, V. P.

JOHN S. COSGRAVE, JAMES O'HARA,
HENRY LAMBERT, THOMAS BELL.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST, Wednesday, June 25, 1856.

FLOUR...The sales to-day foot up 348 bbls., as follows: 20 bbls. extra from store at $5.55; 48 bbls. superfine from do. at $5; 100 bbls. superfine from store at $4.95; 100 bbls. extra from store at $5.75; 35 bbls. superfine from wagon at $4.80; 20 bbls. do. from wagon at $4.75.

GRAIN...Sales 150 bus. Rye from store at 48c.

MOLASSES...Sales 10 bbls. Sugar-House at 29c.

WHISKY...Sales 150 bbls. rectified at 26.

BACON...Market active; sales 95,000 lbs., as follows: 20,000 lbs. shoulders at 8c., cash; 9000 lbs. shoulders, sides and hams at 8½, ps½ and 10½; 50,000 lbs. sides at 9½; 10,000 lbs. shoulders at 8½; and 10,000 lbs. hams at 10½; 1000 lbs. hams at 10½; 12,000 lbs. shoulders at 8½, thirty days.

BULK MEAT...Sales 20,000 lbs. sides at 9c., cash.

OIL...Sales 20 bbls. No. 1 Lard at 58c., cash; and 4 bbls. do. at 55c., cash.

The Wool Trade.

The Milwaukee *American*, June 9, says: "There has been some excitement created among producers by the appearance of numerous buyers from Eastern houses, which has led them to look for 5 to 5c. advance on last year's prices, our oldest dealers refuse to yield to these demands, and trade has not been pushed ahead as fast as the excellent shearing weather would seem to indicate. The wool sold the past week has been in small lots, and in quite poor condition. We anticipate that many of the largest clips will be picked up at extravagant prices by traveling buyers and agents. The disposition among shippers is to allow from 2 to 3c. advance on last season's prices. We quote unwashed at 18@20c.; common 25@27c.; half blood 27@28c.; three-quarter 29@31c.; full blood 31@33c., and choice selected Merino 34@36c. These prices are only for clean wool, and when full of dirt and grease the proper deduction is insisted upon by buyers. Some of the best clips of this county have sold this past week at 30@32c."

The Cleveland *Plaindealer*, 13th, says: "The shearing season is now passing; the receipts of the new clip may be expected to occur very soon. A brisk trade is indicated here by the arrival of quite a number of Eastern buyers, who though they make excursions into different portions of the state, make Cleveland their head quarters. This is, doubtless the best market for farmers; the competition between buyers being active, and sufficient to insure the best going prices. We have no reported sales as yet, but from a conversation of views, we have that the following range of prices can be relied on as correct, for the present:

Common to quarter blood, lb	25@30	cents.
Half blood do	33@35	"
Three-quarter blood do	36@37	"
Full blood do	38@40	"
Fancy do	40@50	"

In giving these figures, we can confidentially say that there is a disposition in favor of Wool which has been well washed and clips which are perfectly washed and cleansed of impurities will command an advance upon the above quotations of two or three cents."

Wool Trade in the Interior.

The Detroit *Daily Advertiser* says that at the date of its last review "there were quite a number of wool buyers from the East in the market, who have since that time received large orders for Michigan wool, which purchased early last year, has also gone out of the market. Others, buying on large Eastern orders, have had some of their orders countermanded, and there seems to be a general disposition on the part of Eastern manufacturers to keep out of the market as much as possible for the present. One buyer, who had orders for $100,000 worth of wool, is limited to 35c. ℔ lb. for the best wools, with positive orders unless wools are to be bought at from 25 to 35c. ℔ lb. not to buy. Other buyers