LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SATURDAY MORNING.........AUGUST 16.

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.

Lecture of Mr. W. P. Cooper,
AT THE IRON CITY COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, DELIVERED AUGUST 15TH, 1856.

Subject—Commercial Education.

Mr. Cooper said, he proposed to give a few ideas of what the knowledge of a man ought to be to make him a business man. He did not propose to speak of commercial law. Something more than a mere knowledge of ledgers is necessary for a commercial education. He would not confine himself to commercial knowledge strictly. He would canvass the detail of commercial acquisitions in its broadest sense.

The business history of America covers the world. We accomplish much, but might accomplish more by better knowledge and less recklessness. A proper self-knowledge is necessary to success. This is attainable by studying our own powers and faculties, not by phrenology, but by experience. Land business knowledge involves a good acquaintance with his fellow-men—letters of credit are not the true credentials by which to judge a man. These may be in the hands of those who make knaves of themselves and dupes of their creditors. Men should be judged by their actions.

A commercial man should also have external instrumentalities. Agriculturists, tradesmen, manufacturers often fall into a chaotic mass of errors because of the erroneous application of instrumentalities.

A *thorough* knowledge of accounts ought to be the basis of collegiate education. *Thoroughness* of study may be a cross, but he who bears it will at last wear the crown. Self dependence is a principle which underlies all success.

It was matter of congratulation to his pupils that they were not taught by men whose object was to soothe them by flattering their mistakes. Their objects are to assist them to leap from one difficulty to another until advantageous partnerships and fortunate ownerships and substantial success should be theirs. There are no business transactions which are not governed by legal principles. The proper understanding of these will save those in possession of them from errors, losses, expensive fees, and innumerable troubles. There is not one business man in a hundred who knows the legal principles which govern his pursuits. This branch of knowledge is not acquired in a day, but by patient diligence.

The true business hero is a worker; not the bearer of concealed daggers, nor adorned with outward indications, but intrinsically possessed of industry.

The first step from the commercial college is to the counting room; not as a perfect man at this employment, but as having taken the preliminary course which fits him to go steadily on.

The commercial man should have a knowledge of products; this leads to a knowledge of producers. The great merchant is one of the wisest men and a true prophet of his kind. Such a man was Astor. Folly may accumulate wealth, wisdom only can keep it—what enterprise accumulates economy keeps.

The advantage of practical knowledge is better than book knowledge, for it leads to thought. A man engaged in business is obliged to think. A good place as clerk is only a school, but every man should aim to be more—to be a principal. A mere clerkship is not all he should aspire to. We must contend with competition—like Jacob, we must wrestle with God; like Lucifer, if we fail we will be hurled into hell. We live in a land of great advantage, and not to succeed is criminal.

We are aware that the above is but a very meager skeleton of the excellent lecture delivered by Mr. Cooper yesterday morning, and we only regret that our space will not justify us in giving it to the world at length. It was a beautiful, instructive and impressive treatise on the subject announced, and we hope Mr. Cooper will have it published for his own commendation and the use of all into whose hands it may fall.

THE IRON CITY COMMERCIAL COLLEGE is situated opposite the Custom House, on the corner of Fifth and Smithfield streets. Its Board of Trustees is composed of some of the best men in Allegheny county; its Faculty is full, and of men of the highest character for practical and theoretical scholarship in all that pertains to sound, commercial, business acquirements. The lecture rooms are airy, spacious and furnished with a view to neatness, utility and comfort. There is a female as well as a male department, and female teachers of uncommon worth in the former. We noticed a very large attendance at this season of the year, when pupils are least inclined to go to school, or parents to send them, and of course as the season advances the numbers will be much augmented. We were compelled to notice the marked intelligence and promising astuteness of the young gentlemen who composed the audience, and feel confident that under the auspices of such an institution and the instructions of such gentlemen as have charge of it, many useful, enterprising and distinguished men will be given to the world as its fruits.

That Pic-nic.—The pic-nic given by the Pennsylvania Infantry, yesterday, at Roup's grove, near East Liberty, far exceeded, in all that makes a pleasure party, the expectations of its most sanguine projectors. The cars which left the depot at 9:30 and 11 o'clock, A. M., yesterday, for the scene of festivity, were literally crowded inside, as were also the platforms outside, and a great many gallant young men, with their sweethearts, came in carriages. The Washington Battalion, composed of the Washington Infantry, Company A., Captain Theodore F. Wright, Pittsburgh, and Company C., Pennsylvania Infantry, Lieut. Alf. McDonald, East Liberty, commanding, made a very fine appearance.

Col. Thos. A. Rowley, who "smelled powder" in the Mexican war, commanded the battalion, assisted by Adjutant James S. Negley. Both officers, as well as the soldiers whom they commanded, reflected credit upon themselves and the colors they carried. The party, altogether, was a delightful one. The military made a fine display, the dinner was excellent, and the music and dancing could not possibly be beat, while, of course, the ladies with their "good clothes on" looked beautiful.

Trouble among the Midwives.—On Thursday afternoon Catherine Kuhns, who resides in the Fifth Ward, and follows the profession of midwife, was brought before Ald. Parkinson, for slandering Maria Gendt in her professional capacity. As her words were likely to curtail the usefulness of Maria in an occupation rendered illustrious by a "Mrs. Gamp," and her friend "Mrs. Harries," the Alderman yesterday proceeded to fine her, and after paying certain costs, altogether amounting to upwards of $3,00, the prosecutrix relented, and agreed to proceed no further.

Finally Committed for Burglary.—John Birney, who is frequently seen in our streets hobbling upon crutches, was brought before the Mayor yesterday, charged with burglary on oath of Francis Blountz. The defendant, it is alleged, opened the door of the prosecutor's house with a bullet mould, and visiting some of the sleeping apartments, picked the pockets of his boarders of some $14. Nine dollars were found in possession of the prisoner, all of which has been identified by the parties from whom it was stolen. Birney was finally committed for trial.

Fifth Ward Independent Police.—Joseph Hobaugh and Samuel Barton—two very efficient detectives, and guardians of the peace—have established an independent police office in the Fifth Ward. They will be found at all times—when not in pursuit of thieves and disorderlies—at the office of Alderman John A. Parkinson, No. 470 Penn street. From the reputation they have heretofore sustained, we feel justified in saying that Messrs. Barton and Hobaugh will promptly and faithfully perform all business entrusted to their care.

Female Squabbles.—A warrant was issued, yesterday, for the arrest of Catharine Breel, who, it is alleged, aided by her children, ferociously assaulted a Mrs. Bulger, who lived in the same house with them. The information was made by S. Bulger, the husband of the injured woman.

The Meeting of the Third and Sixth Ward Glee Club, at Wilkins Hall, last evening, was like all the rest of the assemblages of the friends of Buchanan, Breckinridge and the Constitution, enthusiastic and numerous.

The President of the Club, Will Black, called the meeting to order, when the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, That a Committee of seven be appointed by the President, to erect a speakers stand on Mrs. Fetterman's lot on Grant street, for the benefit of the Democracy of the Third Ward, said Committee to act in collecting funds to defray the expenses appertaining thereto.

In accordance with the above resolution, the President appointed the following gentlemen said committee: Thomas A. Pender, John McKeown, James Hawkins, John Magee, M. Foley, Dr. Oldshue, and John Layton.

Hon. A. Drum then addressed the Club in a speech replete with facts and arguments.

After Mr. D. concluded his remarks, the fact that Mr. M. McLaughlin, of Dubuque, Iowa, was in the Hall, became known, when he was loudly called upon to say something, which we are pleased to say he did.

Mr. McLaughlin was reared in Pennsylvania, and hearing that the friends of her favorite son were to have a meeting, he went to see and hear what tidings of the fight, not expecting to speak; but when it was whispered about be was there, those who knew him, *would* hear from him; and he responded in a manner which at this hour of the night we have not time to describe.

Every sentence of his eloquent speech contained "thoughts which breathe and words that burn." We understand that Mr. McLaughlin will speak at the Democratic poll raising, in the Second Ward, this evening.

Stealing Clothes.—Mary Johnson, residing near the corner of Webster and Logan streets, did her washing on Thursday, and hung the clothes out to dry. On Friday morning some thief in petticoats (as is suspected) did feloniously steal and carry away the following described property, to-wit: One calico dress, three petticoats, two gingham aprons, and one muslin chemizette. A search warrant was issued, and the goods were found in the yard of Ann O'Connor, whereupon she was sent up to the hill to answer.

City Mortality.—There were twenty four deaths in our city last week—twenty whites and four colored. Of the above, eighteen were children under five years, and six adults. The mortality among children is greatly disproportionate.

Discharged.—George E. Frank, supposed to be F. B. Chaworth, a fugitive from justice in Elmira, New York, has been set at liberty, as there was not a particle of evidence for his detention.

Tippling Houses.—Andrew Fontana and Lewis Cella, on Fifth street, opposite the Court House, were bound over to answer at Court yesterday, for selling liquor without license.

See the advertisement of Messrs. Wesbrook & Cooper, in another column, offering for sale a fine lot of mules. Those who want to make a good bargain will take notice.

Barn Burned.—The barn of J. Henry, Esq., of Clearfield township, Butler county, was destroyed, with its contents, by fire this week. Loss $1,500.

Served Right.—James Bonner was fined $10 yesterday for driving over the children of Mrs. Haven. He will probably be more careful for the future.

The Courts meet this morning.

Dr. Bell's Opinion of Hostetter Bitters.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 14, 1856.

Some months since, while recovering from an attack of remittent fever, I was requested to try Dr. J. Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters, as an article peculiarly suited to the condition of convalescents from fever. It is but simple justice to say that it rapidly restored the powers of my digestive organs and at the same time kept my bowels gently open. I have no hesitation in saying that hitherto in using it in my practice, it has, in every case where I have ordered it, a test like a charm. In thus speaking freely of it, I far from puff a patent medicine, an article it by no means claims to be.

SANFORD BELL, M. D.

N. B.—We will not be accountable for numerous counterfeits of Hostetter Bitters, put up in the same shape bottle as the original. Purchasers will be able to tell the original by Dr. J. Hostetter's name being blown in full upon the bottle or by tasting it. HOSTETTER & SMITH. Sole Manufacturers and Proprietors, 267 Penn st.

And for sale by Druggists and Hotels generally throughout the United States and Canadas. jy12:daw

THE FILLMORE AND DONELSON CLUB will meet at AMERICAN HALL, corner of Fourth and Smithfield streets, on SATURDAY EVENING, 16th, at eight o'clock. [au15] S. MORROW, President.

GAS COMPANY DIVIDEND.—The Trustees of the PITTSBURGH GAS COMPANY have, this day, declared a Dividend of Five per Cent. of the profits of the last six months, on the Capital Stock of the Company payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives forth with, at the Office of the Company.
JAMES M. CHRISTY, Treasurer.
Office of Pittsburgh Gas Co., July 14, 1856—[jy18]

DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK.—No. 65 FOURTH STREET—JONES' NEW BUILDING.—Deposits must be made with this Institution in the month of June, in order to draw interest from July 1st.
je30 CHAS. A. COLTON, Treas'r.

OHIO & PENNA. AND OHIO & INDIANA R. R. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.—On and after July 7th, Bills of Lading must be handed in at the Federal Street station before 1 o'clock P. M. of the day of shipment or otherwise, the Company will not pay charges, or in any manner be responsible for their collection. J. H. MOORE, jy7 Superintend't.

AUCTION SALES.

FINE COUNTRY SITE.—On Thursday evening, 21st inst., at 7½ o'clock, at the Merchants Exchange, Fourth street, will be sold, that very valuable and handsomely situated piece of ground in Plum township, fronting on the Allegheny river and the Allegheny Valley Railroad, adjoining lands of John McD. Crossan and Michael Fright, being part of the Greer Farm. The above, containing about twenty acres, is a most desirable site for a country home, embracing fine woods, and being a superior river bottom soil. For further information, apply at the Auction Rooms. P. M. DAVIS, au15 Auctioneer.

FRESH STOCK OF CHOICE BOOKS.—On SATURDAY evening, August 16th, at 8 o'clock, will be sold at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner Wood and Fifth streets, a large and choice selection of Books, lately received in addition to former variety, embracing the latest and best editions of standard authors in History, Poetry, Travels, Biography, Prose, Fiction, Science, &c., together with an extensive collection of the popular literature, both of England and America, recently issued from the press. This stock will be found to comprise an excellent selection of books adapted to the taste of every variety of readers, as well as beautifully illustrated works of literature and art.

Also, family Bibles of superior print, and in elegant Turkey morocco binding, with heavily gold plated clasps.
au14 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

AMUSEMENTS.

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

Summer Arrangement.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shortest and Quickest Route to all Points on the Allegheny River.

PASSENGERS, TAKE NOTICE—The trains will start from CARSON street, instead of Taylor street, as heretofore. TWO DAILY TRAINS leave Pittsburgh as follows:—*Morning Express*, at 8 o'clock, A. M., for KITTANNING, CLARION, FRANKLIN, RED-BANK, BRADY'S BEND, MAHONING, REIMERSBURG, BROOKVILLE, and all points North.

Evening Accommodation leaves at 5:45, P. M., stopping at all way-stations.

Fare to Kittanning, $1,25.

Middlesex	$1 75	Clarion	$3 25
Red-Bank	2 25	Reimersburg	2 50
Curlsville	2 75	Reedsburg	3 00
Brady's Bend	2 25	Mahoning	1 75
Kellersburg	2 00	Texas	2 25
Bethlehem	2 75	Mechanicsburg	3 00
Shannondale	3 25	Brookville	3 75

Passengers will please procure their Tickets at the Office, corner of Wayne and Penn streets. A. J. HOPPER, au13 Superintendent.

WANTED — Seventy-five COAL-DIGGERS, for a new work at Saw-Mill Run, in this County. Steady work and good wages given for one year from September 1st. Apply in Temperanceville, to
au13—chD&L75 M'GILVRAY & SMITLEY.

TEACHER WANTED—A Male Teacher, to take charge of a County Seminary in Virginia. Applicants must be competent to teach the Languages and higher branches of Mathematics. Address, with references, LOCK BOX, No. 169 Pittsburgh Post Office. au13

WANTED — Three energetic MEN, of good address, who are willing to work for good wages. No "capital" but a good character is required.
Apply at No. 18 WYLIE street, between the hours of 6 and 8 o'clock, A. M. au13:1w

READABLE BOOKS—FOR THE SUMMER SEASON—For sale by H. MINER & CO., No. 32 Smithfield street:
Saratoga: a Tale of 1787—a Romance of American Border Life.
John Halifax, Gentleman; by the author of "Head of the Family."
Martins of Cro Martin; by Charles Lever.
Clara, or Slave Life in Europe; translated from the German.
Gabriel Vane—his Fortune and Friends.
Linda, or the Young Pilot of the Belle Creole; by Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz.
The Wanderer; by the author of "The Watchman."
MAGAZINES FOR AUGUST.
Harper's Magazine, Godey's Lady's Book, Putnam's Magazine, and all 25c. Magazines sold at 15 cents each, at the CHEAP BOOK AND NEWSPAPER DEPOT of
H. MINER & CO.,
au13 No. 32 Smithfield street.

DR. JACKSON'S CHOLERA MIXTURE. I have a large supply of this valuable medicine.
JOS. FLEMING,
jy25 corner Diamond and Market st.

THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Old-Line Whig Convention.

ALBANY, August 15.—The Whig Convention yesterday adopted a series of resolutions, and an address antagonistic to Mr. Buchanan, on account of the Cincinnati platform, and to Col. Fremont because of the sectional character of his party. The American platform was not endorsed, but the Whig organization and its principles are to be maintained. A full delegation to the Baltimore Whig Convention was chosen. Mr. Granger, the President of the Convention, spoke in the warmest manner of Mr. Fillmore, and the Convention adjourned amid much enthusiasm.

The resolutions were as follows:

WHEREAS, The old line Whigs of New York have, in mass meeting, duly considered their position as Whigs, in connection with their duty to the country in the present crisis, and have candidly examined also the merits of the three Presidential candidates now before the people, and the probable consequences of the election of either, therefore

Resolved, That we cannot support Buchanan, because we believe that an administration established on the Cincinnati platform will perpetuate internal agitation, and endanger our amicable relations with foreign powers.

Resolved, That we will oppose, to the utmost extent of our ability, the election of Mr. Fremont, believing that he is not qualified for the Presidency of this Union; we firmly believe his election would increase the internal strife — the party he represents being in spirit sectional, and inevitably tending to disunion.

Resolved, That in the election of Millard Fillmore, we find a safe guarantee that domestic agitation will be quelled, harmony between the States restored, peace with foreign nations secured, and the interests of agriculture, commerce and manufactures promoted; and therefore we will labor unitedly and earnestly for his election.

Resolved, That while thus lending our aid to promote the election of the American candidate, under the conviction that such is our solemn duty, we nevertheless retain inviolable the cherished Whig principles and organization, and as soon after the present contest as may be convenient, will resume separate party action.

The address and resolutions were adopted with enthusiastic applause, Mr. Fillmore's name being received with hearty cheers. One hundred thousand copies were ordered to be printed for circulation.

THIRTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.
FIRST SESSION.

WASHINGTON CITY, August 15.—*Senate*—The Senate took up and passed the bill from the House to reimburse the State of Vermont for expenses incurred in 1838 and 1839, by the payment of the militia in the preservation of the neutrality laws.

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to secure to actual settlers the benefits resulting from grants of lands for Railroad purposes, reserving to them the alternate sections at $2,50 per acre. The Senate then resumed the consideration of the civil appropriation bill.

The Senate made an amendment appropriating $750,000 for Capitol extension, and $500,000 for continuation of the Washington Aquaduct, and then took a recess of two hours.

House—The House took up and passed the Senate bill regulating diplomatic and consular salaries. Fifty thousand copies of the report of Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, on the subject of the modification of the tariff, were ordered to be printed.

The House passed the bill appropriating $200,000 to the establishment of a depot, at Brunswick, Georgia.

The House took up the Senate bill regulating the pay of members of Congress.

Mr. Orr offered a substitute, instead of paying $2,500 a year be proposed $6,000 for the entire Congress, leaving the mileage remain as it now is, with deductions made for voluntary absence, books voted for members to be paid for out of their compensation. Mr. Orr said members were poorly paid, and if there was a desire to preserve anything like purity they must be placed beyond the reach of reasonable temptation. After various ineffectual motions to lay it on the table, the bill passed as amended by Mr. Orr by a vote of 101 against 98.

A resolution giving the usual extra compensation to the House employees was adopted.

There was much confusion throughout the proceedings, and occasional desperate efforts by crowds of members to have their several bills taken up under a suspension of rules.

The presiding officer was frequently annoyed by a hundred voices at once crying "Mr. Speaker!" in order to secure an individual recognition, that they might move the consideration of their respective measure.

Amid the turmoil the House passed the bill providing for the appointment in the army of four surgeons and eight assistant surgeons.

The bill providing for the survey of the southern boundary of Kansas.

The Senate bill amendatory of the act regulating the fees, costs and general expenses of the judiciary, the bill making appropriations for carrying the mail in ocean steamers, and considered an amendment adopted in Committee authorizing notice to be given of the termination of the arrangement for an additional allowance for carrying the mails between New York and Liverpool in the Collins Line, and without disposing of the bill, adjourned.

Arrival of the Steamer Borussia.

NEW YORK, August 15.—The Dutch steamer Borussia has arrived from Hamburg.

Advices from St. Domingo, to the 5th, state that a revolution progresses there, growing out of the terms of the Spanish treaty, which favors the descendants of Spain.

The Spaniards, being most numerous, wish to hoist the Spanish flag again. The citizens and soldiers are hastening to the Spanish Consul to get registered as Spanish citizens. Great excitement has arisen in consequence. All the tribunals are closed and business suspended. The President and Cabinet threaten to resign. Foreigners and liberals are looking anxiously for a government vessel to protect them. The liberal flag shall never again be hoisted there, the Spanish Consul opposing the ratification of the American treaty, and threatening the American Consul.

Washington Items.

WASHINGTON CITY, August 15.—The Democrats anticipate that a sufficient number of Republicans will secede for all practical purposes from the Kansas restrictive amendment to the appropriation bills, while on the contrary, the Republicans declare they will continue in solid phalanx without wavering.

The last veto of the President is of a bill to improve the Patapsco river, Maryland. Vetoes have become so common as not to excite surprise.

The navy appropriation bill has been finally acted on by both Houses. It appropriates about $15,000,000.

The mileage and per diem to Mr. Reeder amounts to a little over $1000.

Great Fremont Meeting at Wooster.

WOOSTER, OHIO, August 15.—An immense Fremont and Dayton County Meeting is being held here to-day. There is great excitement and enthusiasm. The crowd is estimated at from 5000 to 10,000 persons, and "still they come." The streets are decorated with flags, banners and streamers. It is far ahead of any demonstration ever held here, 1840 not excepted. The speaking commences at 2 o'clock, P. M. Hon. D. K. Carter, W. H. Gibson, and other eminent speakers are present.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, August 15.—Mr. Blair, Solicitor of the Court of Claims, has appointed John D. McPherson, his Deputy, and it is said the President has appointed Daniel Ratcliffe Assistant Solicitor, as provided by the recent law.

There is no truth in the rumor that Mr. Dobbin, at present Secretary of the Navy, is to supercede Mr. Mason as Minister to France.

The Cabinet has not ordered the discontinuance of the Kansas prosecutions.

Accident to a Steamship.

HALIFAX, August 15.—The steamship Arabia, from Boston, arrived here this morning. She is leaking in consequence of having twice struck the rocks near Seal Island. She will remain here to day to ascertain the extent of the damage received, which it is feared is serious, as she is leaking considerably.

Collision.

BOSTON, August 15.—A yacht was sunk in the harbor yesterday, in consequence of coming in collision with a ferry boat. There were ten persons on board, and of them five ladies unfortunately perished. The names of the drowned are: Mrs. Samuel Robinson, Mrs. S. Ewing, Miss H. Greenough, Miss Mary E. Hamilton and Mary C. Hamilton.

British Ship in Distress.

BOSTON, August 15.—An English ship is reported inside of Cape Ann, apparently water-logged. A United States steamer is alongside.

Republican Meeting.

BOSTON, August 15.—The Republican County ratification meeting will be held at Faneuil Hall, on the 25th inst. N. P. Banks and others will be present.

PROPERTY near the CANAL BASIN.—We offer for sale a very good property on the corner of Penn street and Stevenson's alley, Fifth Ward, and adjoining the warehouse of Jos. Patterson, Esq., consisting of a Lot 24 feet wide and a 100 feet deep, on which is erected two three story Brick Buildings, at present occupied as dwellings and stores. The property is worthy the attention of persons desirous to obtain a valuable property and which will pay well.
Apply to BLAKELY & RICHEY,
au13 Corner Seventh and Smithfield sts.

25 HOUSES FOR SALE!—A neat two story House on Carroll street for $1400. A good House of four rooms on Mt. Washington, with large Lot of Ground, for $1600. A House in Manchester for $600. A Brick House on Marion street, $1500. A large Brick House on Front street, $5000. Two Houses and Lots in South Pittsburgh at $1000 each. A two story House in Manchester $3000. A new Cottage House of five rooms, on Mt. Washington, for $2000. Three Houses at corner of Franklin and Elm streets, $1700 each. Two Brick Houses on Pride street. Two Brick Houses on the Canal, Allegheny City. A Frame House on Resaca street, $650. A House on Robinson street, with good Store Room, $1200. A three story House on Ohio street. Three Brick Houses on Walnut street, Allegheny. A Brick House, No. 80 Liberty street. Two Houses on Darragh street, $1200 each.
For Houses, Lots or Farms call at our office.
au11 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market st.

GREEN AND BLACK TEAS, purchased from the Importers for *Cash*.—We have on hand the largest and best assorted stock of Teas to be found in the market, all of which will be offered at the *lowest prices*.
S. JAYNES,
au5 Pekin Tea Store, No. 38 Fifth st.

TO THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF Allegheny County.—GENTLEMEN: Your special attention is respectfully called to the following
List of Appointments for the Annual Examination of Teachers:
Upper St. Clair, Snowden and Baldwin: School House No. 5, Upper St. Clair, near J. V. Rowland's, Monday, Aug. 18.
North and South Fayette: Noblestown, Tuesday, Aug. 19.
Chartiers: School House (above Temperanceville,) Wednesday, Aug. 20.
Ross, M'Candless and Shaler: Perrysville, Monday, August 25.
Franklin and Pine: Plankerton's Inn, Tuesday, Aug. 26.
West Deer: Bakerstown, Wednesday, Aug. 27.
East Deer: Tarentum, Thursday, Aug. 28.
Indiana: Deer Creek, Friday, Aug. 29.
Collins and Peebles: East Liberty, Monday, Sept. 1.
Wilkins and Patton: Turtle Creek, Tuesday, Sept. 2.
Mifflin and Versailles: M'Keesport, Wednesday, September 3.
Elizabeth and Jefferson: Elizabeth, Thursday, Sept. 4.
Penn and Plum: Unity Associate Reformed Church, Friday, Sept. 5.
Robinson: Remington, Monday, Sept. 8.
Finley: Clinton, Tuesday, Sept. 9.
Moon: Presbyterian Church, (Rev. S. C. Jennings',) Wednesday, Sept. 10.
Ohio, Sewickley and Neville: Sewickleyville, Thursday, Sept. 11.
As no mention has been made with regard to the boros, it will be understood that their respective Boards will have the privilege of meeting at any of the above named places as will suit their convenience. The boros and townships adjacent to either city can meet with the Superintendent at the Third Ward School House, Pittsburgh, on Saturday, 30th of August; also on the 13th of Sept.
It is exceedingly desirable that the Directors should be present at the examination for their respective districts, and should require all who are applicants for their schools to be examined at that time.
Directors should examine each certificate, before giving employment to any one.
It might be proper to remark here that the time of commencing these examinations has been fixed so as not to interfere with the "harvest season," nor be interrupted by the call of the State Department for a Convention of County Superintendents at Williamsport, Lycoming Co., on the 12th of August; also State Teachers' Association, at same place, on the following day.
Applicants will please furnish their own stationery.
B. M. KERR, County Superintendent.
Pittsburgh, July 31, 1856. au2:daw

DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK, No. 65 Fourth Street, MIDDLE ROOM, JONES' NEW BUILDING.
IS NOW OPEN daily from 9 to 2 o'clock; also, on Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from May to October, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock; and from November to April, inclusive, from 6 to 8 o'clock.
Deposits received of all sums not less than ONE DOLLAR, and a dividend of the profits declared twice a year, in June and December. Interest was declared at the rate of six per cent. per annum, on the first of December, 1855; also on the 3d of June, 1856.
Books containing the Charter, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, furnished gratis, on application at the office.
President—GEORGE ALBREE.
VICE PRESIDENTS.

Hopewell Hepburn,	John H. Shoenberger,
George R. White,	Charles Knap,
William F. Johnston,	N. Grattan Murphy,
James W. Hallman,	Theobald Umbstaetter,
Alexander Bradley,	Isaac M. Pennock,
William Phillips,	William J. Anderson.

TRUSTEES.

John G. Backofen,	James Herdman,
Hill Burgwin,	James D. Kelley,
Albert Culbertson,	John M. Kirkpatrick,
Robert Chester,	William S. Lavely,
J. Gardiner Coffin,	John D. M'Cord,
Alonzo A. Carrier,	Walter P. Marshall,
John S. Cosgrave,	Wilson Miller,
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E. G. Edrington,	Henry L. Ringwalt,
Francis Felix,	Robert Robb,
George F. Gillmore,	James Shidle,
James S. Hoon,	George S. Selden,
William S. Haven,	Alexander Tindle.

Secretary and Treasurer—CHARLES A. COLTON. [au11:ly

NOTICE—TO SPORTSMEN AND HUNTERS.—Mr. THOMAS SMITH having received Letters Patent for his newly invented BALL for Rifles or Smooth-Bore Fire-arms, now offers it for sale to the public. The ball has a spiral cavity, which gives it a rotary motion and more accuracy of flight, longer range and greater fatality of execution than any other ball ever invented. It can be seen at BOWN & TETLEY'S, No. 136 WOOD street.
Persons wishing State or Territory Rights may receive them by calling on WM. BAKEWELL, Esq., Grant street, Messrs. BOWN & TETLEY, or THOMAS SMITH, No. 25 Irwin street, Pittsburgh, Penna.
au13:tocf1* THOS. SMITH.

A CARD.—The want of a good, reliable and skilful piano tuner having long been felt, the subscribers take pleasure in informing the public that they have secured the services of Mr. JOHN B. KYTH, a very experienced and competent tuner, and whose work we will WARRANT in every case. M. Kyth's method of tuning will cause the Pianos to stand in better tune than ordinarily, and give complete satisfaction to the most fastidious ear.
All orders left at the Music Store of H. KLEBER & BRO., 53 Fifth street, will be promptly attended to.
RECOMMENDATION.
The undersigned gladly testify to the skill and trustworthiness of Mr. John B. Kyth, as a Tuner of Pianos, and cheerfully recommend him to their pupils and the public for an excellent, experienced and reliable tuner.
V. DE HAM,
G. ANTON,
H. ROHBOCK,
N. SIEDLE,
JEAN MANNS,
M. SCHWAR,
jy23 and others.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—H. F. Rudd and R. C. Totten have this day become partners in the Fort Pitt Iron Works. The business of the concern will be conducted under the firm and name of Knap, Wade & Co.
The unsettled business of the late firm of Knap & Wade will be attended to by the new firm.
Pittsburgh, July 1st, 1856. jy16

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE, suitable for a family residence, having Five Acres of Land, well cultivated; a large Garden and good Orchard; a two story Brick House of hall and six rooms; a well of good water, a stable and other out-buildings, all in complete order. Immediate possession, if desired. The situation is healthy and pleasant, in about the middle of Sharpsburg. It would be profitable to sell out of it Building Lots, but very desirable for a family homestead. Price $5200. Terms easy. S. CUTHBERT & SON,
au13 No. 51 Market st.

PROPOSALS INVITED.—The Commissioners of Allegheny County having in contemplation Heating and Ventilating two of the Court Rooms of the Public Buildings, would invite Proposals for the same. Competent persons are invited to furnish plans and estimates of cost. Proposals will be received until MONDAY, August 18th, at 12 o'clock. By order of the Commissioners.
au12:3t JAS. GORMLEY, Clerk.

NEW GOODS.—A. A. MASON & CO. have just received 500 cases and packages Delaines, Prints, Bleached and Brown Muslins, Checks, Tweeds, Ginghams and Domestic Goods of every description, which will be sold at Semi-Annual prices. au11

1 CASE FRENCH PRUNES just rec'd and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au11 No. 39 Wood street.

FIGS.—100 boxes fresh Figs for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au11 No. 39 Wood street.

100 BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.
IN EAST-LIVERPOOL, OHIO.
64 BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE 60 feet by 130 feet, in James Blakely's third addition to the town of East Liverpool. Also,
THIRTY SIX
LOTS, 60 feet by 130 feet, in different parts of the town for sale on reasonable terms of payment. Apply to
S. S. HILL, Esq., East Liverpool, Ohio,
or to BLAKELY & RICHEY,
Real Estate Brokers, Pittsburgh.

HAVING PURCHASED the interest of THOMAS WIGHTMAN, in the Point Boiler Yard, on the first of May, I will hereafter carry on the Boiler Making and Sheet Iron work, in all their branches, at the old stand, Water street, below Penn. With the experience of thirty years in this business, I hope to render satisfaction to all who favor me with their trade. JAMES WIGHTMAN.
Pittsburgh May 28, 1856. my26:6md

NEW MUSIC.—"Now what shall I sing you," sung by Miss Louisa Pyne, for whom it was expressly composed and written by her sister, Mrs. Galton.
If loved by thee—My Prairie Flower—two new Ballads by W. V. Wallace.
I'll love thee in the spring time—Francis H. Brown.
You remember Ellen—J. M. Stewart, words by Thos. Moore.
I'll sing thee a song of a dear little heart—O. R. Barrows.
Come to this heart so lonely—for contralto voice—music by Sacre.
Yes, thou art like the flower of May—Ferd. Hiller.
Six Nocturnes pour le Piano—par W. V. Wallace. No. 1 Souvenir de New York.
Fairy Star Schottisch—Robt. Stopel.
Meet me in the forest shade—words by Clarence Melvin—music by W. H. Doane.
Moonlight Polka—Saml. M. Downes.
Elmswood Waltz—Berlyn.
The last meeting with the Old Folks—Baker.
Mount Vernon Polka—Hauser.
Farewell dear mountain home—Il Trovatore, by Verdi.
Avenue Polka—Kirschenheuter.
Les Bords du Loirut valse elegantes—Leduc.
Twinkling Star Polka—Antonio de Angnera.
Also, Fantasias and Concert pieces by Wallace, Gustave Satter, Ravina and others.
Just received by Express. CHARLOTTE BLUME,
No. 118 Wood st., second door above Fifth st.
Music mailed free of postage. au7

VALUABLE BOOKS BY EXPRESS at DAVISON'S BOOKSTORE, 65 MARKET street, near Fourth street:
Daniel and the Revelation, viewed in their mutual relation; by Auberlin.
Sermons by Rev. C. H. Spingrow, the modern Whitfield.
The Mystery, or Evil and God; by Young, author of Christ of History.
Gilbert's Wold—a new book, by author of Trap to Catch a Sunbeam.
Fremont's Life—best edition.
Life of Buchanan.
Hertha—Miss Bremer's new book.
Tennyson's Poems, complete in one volume—only 75 cts, gilt.
New S. S. Library, No. 4, being 100 vols. for $10. au7

CHOICE LANDS IN IOWA.—We have some Lands for sale in Johnson county, five miles from Iowa City, on the Fort Des Moines road, of a very excellent quality—400 acres in one body.
Also, Eighty Acres in Mills county, twelve miles from Council Bluffs; two miles from Glennwood, the county seat.
Also, One hundred Acres in Cedar county, half way between Iowa City and Muscatine, and only one mile from M. & M. R. R., which is now in operation. For terms and price enquire of [au6] BLAKELY & RICHEY.

A FARM FOR SALE, in Patton township, on the waters of Turtle Creek, and one mile from Stewart's Station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, sixteen miles from Pittsburgh—*One Hundred Acres*: thirty-five of which are prime bottom land. Improvements consist of a hewn Log House, a Frame Stable and Log Barn—young Orchard, &c. This Farm would divide well, as the creek runs about equally through it. Apply to
au6 BLAKELY & RICHEY.

COUNTRY SEATS.—I offer for sale, on accommodating terms, two very desirable locations for country seats, situate near East Liberty. To persons wishing a country home, these Lots offer great inducements, being located on a good carriage road, and near the passenger station of the Pennsylvania Railroad at East Liberty.
Enquire of THOMAS WOODS,
au6 75 Fourth street.

PARASOLS—We are now offering our extensive assortment of Parasols, in Silk, Tunic, Satin, Moire Antique and other materials, at a reduction of one-third the usual rates. jy25

THE GOLDEN GUN is taking the trade, and it is not much wonder. Our stock of Guns, Pistols, Rifles, &c., &c., is unsurpassed in the city. In the way of Fishing Tackle we have such an assortment that would make old Isaak Walton's eyes water, could he return to this world. Pocket and Table Cutlery in great abundance. Dog Muzzles, and too many articles to be mentioned here are to be found at the sign of the Golden Gun.
jy26 BOWN & TETLEY, 136 Wood st.

WANTED—Four or five Agents to canvass for the sale of Land in the gold region of Virginia. Wanted—Two Girls, to do housework for small families in Allegheny City.
Apply to G. W. BUNN, north side of Ohio street, fourth door east of the Diamond, Allegheny City. au9

COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE AND MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

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MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

TO SAIL.

Ships	*Leave*	*For*	*Days*
Hermann	New York	Bremen, &c	July 12
Edinburg	New York	Glasgow	July 12
Canada	Boston	Liverpool	July 16
Baltic	New York	Liverpool	July 19
Africa	New York	Liverpool	July 23
Lebanon	New York	Liverpool	July 24
Fulton	New York	Havre via Cowes	July 26
Barcelona	New York	Havre	July 28

TO ARRIVE.

Ships	*Leave*	*For*	*Days*
Fulton	Havre	New York	July 2
Niagara	Boston, &c	Liverpool	July 5
Ericsson	Liverpool	New York	July 9
Persia	Liverpool	New York	July 12
City of Baltimore	Liverpool	Baltimore	July 16
Washington	Southampton	New York	July 16

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST, Friday, August 15, 1856.

FLOUR...Sales of 24 bbls. extra from wagon at $6,50; 30 bbls. do. do. at $6,50; 40 bbls. superfine from depot at $6; 20 bbls. fine from store at $6,50; 20 bbls. extra from store at $6,75; 18 bbls. extra family from store at $6,95; and 75 bbls. extra, in lots, from store, at $6,75.

GRAIN...Sale 100 bus. shelled Corn, from wagon, at 50c.

SUGAR...Sales 5 hhds. good fair at 9¾c., cash.

WHISKY...Sales 50 and 60 bbls. rectified at 32@33@35.

BACON...Sales 5000 lbs. shoulders and hams at 10¼@10¾; 6000 lbs shoulders at 10c, cash; 2000 lbs. shoulders, in lots, at 10½c, cash; 3000 lbs. do. at 11c., sixty days; 5000 lbs. hams at 11½, cash; and 6000 lbs. shoulders at 10½, 30 days.

CHEESE...Sales 60 boxes Western Reserve at 9½.

METAL...Sales 50 tons, charcoal, at $31, on time.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, August 15.—Cotton market firm; sales 500 bales. Flour market reported buoyant; sales 12,000 barrels at $5,80@$6,05 for straight State. Wheat improved; sales 82,000 bus at $1,56 for Western red. Corn dull; sales 26,000 bus. Pork unsettled; sales 700 bbls. Beef drooping; sales 650 bbls. Lard in active demand; sales 1000 bbls. Bacon unchanged. Butter dull; sales Ohio at 14@17½. Whisky dull; sales 150 bbls. Coffee quiet. Sugar firm; sales 1500 hhds Orleans at full rates—Muscovado at 8¼@8¾; Havana white at 9½@9¾. Molasses quiet. Linseed Oil firm; sales 10,000 gallons at 89½. Lard Oil quiet. Spirits Turpentine heavy; sales 300 bbls at 43. Rosin active; sales 3500 bbls. Rice is dull; sales 100 tierces. Scotch Pig Iron steady, with sales 275 tons at $31,50@$32. Sales 100 hhds Kentucky Tobacco at 9@14 ⅌ lb. Tallow firm; sales 30,000 bbls at 11½. Freights dull. Stock market dull; Canton Co. 22; Cleveland and Toledo 74½; Erie 60¼; Illinois Central 108⅞; Michigan Southern 88½; N. Y. Central 87¼.

Stock Market—Stocks firm; Chicago and Rock Island, 90½; Cumberland, 20¾; Michigan Southern, 58; Reading, 86½; Missouri Sixes, 86¾; Canton, 22¼; Cleveland and Toledo, 74¼; Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, 102½; Erie, 60¼; Michigan Central, 91; Illinois Central 108¼; Galena and Chicago, 110¾; Virginia Sixes, 92. Sterling Exchange firm.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, August 15.—The Flour market is steady but quiet, with a very limited demand; sales bbls. Wm. B. Thomas' fresh ground from new wheat at $6,75, and small lot old stock at $6,25. There is a fair demand for the supply of the city retail trade at $6,25@7,75 as in quality. Rye flour steady, with small sales at $3,50@3,62½. There is but little Corn meal offering; market bare of Pennsylvania fresh ground; a lot of 500 bbls. Brandywine sold at $4,75. There is a good demand for Wheat and prices firm; sales 6000 bush at $1,50 for prime new Southern and Pennsylvania red, and $1,58@1,60 for prime white. Rye in fair demand and steady; sales 1200 bush. Pennsylvania at 75c. Corn has advanced with a limited supply and fair demand; sales 2000 bush. good yellow at 65. Oats dull; sales 2000 bush. prime old at 37@38½, and new Southern at 37. Bark scarce and advanced $2 ⅌ ton; small sales No. 1 Quercitron at $35 ⅌ ton. Whisky dull; small sales at 37@38 in bbls. and hhds at same price.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, August 15.—Flour continues active, and prices are again higher; 320 bbls at $5,75; 300 sold last evening at $5.75—receipts 2315 bbls. Wheat held higher, but no transactions heard of. Whisky steady; sales 650 bbls at 26@26½. Groceries in moderate demand, but without change in prices.

Baltimore Cattle Market.

BALTIMORE, August 15.—At the Cattle Market to-day, 810 beeves were offered; of these 210 were driven eastward, and the remainder sold at $6@8.50, being an advance of 25 cts. Hogs coming forward freely; sales made at $8@8¾.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, August 15.—Flour steady; sales 5000 bbls. at $6.50. Wheat firm. Sales of Corn at 60@62 for white, and 60@65 for yellow.

Nausea, Indigestion AND NERVOUS DEBILITY.—"I do not wonder at the popularity of BERHAVE'S HOLLAND BITTERS now.

"For months previous to its use, my ordinary food caused such *extreme* nausea, when placed before me, that I almost dreaded the sound of the dinner bell. Everything I eat disagreed with me. My digestive organs seemed to have lost all power, and my nervous system was so completely shattered, that I was unable to write five minutes at a time."
A PITTSBURGHER.

CAUTION!—Guard against purchasing an imitation. To prevent imposition, be careful to ask for Borhave's *Holland* Bitters.

Sold at $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5, by the proprietors, BENJAMIN PAGE, JR. & CO., Manufacturing Pharmaceutists and Chemists, Pittsburgh, Pa.; R. E. SELLERS & CO., corner of Second and Wood streets, and Druggists generally. au16:1w

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—Two Frame Houses in the Fifth Ward, fronting on Liberty street, with large and eligible lot.
Also, one in the rear of the above.
Also, nine lots of Ground on Webster street, 20 feet front by 110 feet deep.
Also, ten Building Lots on Summers street, 20 feet by 185 feet. Apply to [au6] BLAKELY & RICHEY.

DRY GOODS REDUCED.—A. A. MASON & CO. have marked down the whole of their immense stock. Every article will be closed out at from 20 to 50 per cent. less than usual prices. je30

PATENT ELASTIC PACKING FOR ENGINES.—Engineers and others interested are invited to call and examine a new article of packing for the parts of steam engines, pumps, &c., where soft packing is required. The advantages of this article are: great durability, saving of tallow, reduction of friction, consequently saving of power. *It does not require to be taken out of the stuffing boxes*, but, being packed in a cone, the packing is gradually consumed, thus saving time and material. Specimens of the various sizes may be seen at
W. S. HAVEN'S Stationery Warehouse,
my31 Market st., corner of Second.

WHITTLING.—Persons fond of this national pastime can be provided with one of the best POCKET KNIVES in the country at
BOWN & TETLEY'S,
jy19 No. 136 Wood street.

FILLMORE MEN ATTENTION! 200 copies of the PHILADELPHIA NEWS, received daily. Price two cents.
For sale by B. T. C. MORGAN,
jy4 41 Fifth st.

SHAWLS AND MANTILLAS REDUCED.—A. A. MASON & CO. are offering their entire stock of Summer Shawls and Mantillas, comprising the newest and most fashionable styles to be found, at a reduction of 33 per cent., at No. 25 Fifth st. jy28

GREEN AND BLACK TEAS.—We have on hand the largest and best assorted stock of TEAS to be found in the market, all of which will be offered at the LOWEST PRICES. S. JAYNES,
jy14 Pekin Tea Store, No. 38 Fifth st.

JOHN WOODS, BANKER AND EXCHANGE BROKER, Dealer in Exchange, Commercial and Bank Notes. Stock bought and sold on commission. Collections carefully attended to. Interest paid on Deposits. No. 17 JONES' NEW BUILDING, Fourth street. je30

FINE DRESS GOODS.—A. A. MASON & CO. would invite the attention of the ladies to their stock of Figured and Plain Beranges, Lawns, Brilliants, &c., which they are closing out from twenty-five to fifty per cent. less than the usual price. au4

PEARL TAPIOCA—500 lbs. in store and for sale by [jy7] FLEMING BROS.

LINSEED OIL—500 galls just received and for sale by [au2] FLEMING BROS.

BLUE MASS—50 lbs. in store and for sale. au2 FLEMING BROS.

PURE LINSEED OIL.—The subscriber having engaged in the manufacture of Linseed Oil, would inform consumers and dealers, that he is prepared to supply them with a strictly prime article.
jy26 J. SCHOONMAKER, 24 Wood st.

FINE TEAS!!—A few more customers for those PURE and FRESH TEAS can be accommodated at—F. R. DRAVO'S,
jy18 Nos. 82 Market st. and 1 Diamond.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislature of Pennsylvania, at the next session, for a Charter of Incorporation for a SAVING FUND BANK, to be located in the Borough of Birmingham, Allegheny County, to be styled "The Birmingham Saving Fund," and to be a Bank of Deposit and Discount, with a Capital Stock of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

LUDLUM'S SPECIFIC—5 gross in store and for sale by [je21] FLEMING BROS.

10 DOZ. RASPBERRY SYRUP.
10 dozen Strawberry Syrup.
5 " Pine Apple "
50 " Lemon Syrup.
Just received and for sale by
REYMER & ANDERSON,
jy29 No. 39 Wood street.

5 CASES PRUNES, in jars.
5 doz. fresh Strawberries, in bottles.
10 " Blackberry Brandy. Just rec'd and for sale by
REYMER & ANDERSON,
jy29 No. 39 Wood street.

PAINTING.—WILLIAM CLAYTON, Ornamental and Fancy Painter, 107 FOURTH street, between Wood and Smithfield streets.
All work done in the first style of the art. au7

BLUE LICK WATER.—10 bbls. fresh Blue Lick Water received this day by
JOS. FLEMING,
jy9 Corner Diamond and Market st.

MAGAZINES all received for AUGUST. PRICE ONLY FIFTEEN CENTS.—We will sell Frank Leslie's Gazette of Fashion for 22 cents; Knickerbocker, 15 cents; Household Words, 15 cents; Schoolfellow, 10 cents; Putnam's Magazine, 15 cents; Graham's Magazine, 15 cents; and all the other Magazines CHEAPER than can be purchased elsewhere. We have a large supply of the, above Magazine on hand, so that you are sure of getting them when you come.
Remember and buy them at W. A. GILDENFENNEY'S LITERARY DEPOT, on FIFTH street, opposite the Theatre. au5

RIVER NEWS.

THE RIVER, yesterday, by the metal mark, had only 17 inches in the channel—about enough water for keel-boats. Capt. Billy Forsythe has been engaged in putting down ring bolts to the depth of seven feet, for the benefit of the sheriff, so that with locks and chains they be safe for use. We would suggest to the Wharf Committee the propriety of first clearing out the channel, so that boats now laying up will have sufficient water and not ground at the shore.

IN regard to the pin-cushion life preservers we shall have something to say in a few days.

THE barge "Jas. D. Forman" leaves this afternoon for Portsmouth, in charge of responsible young river men of this city.

FROM the Louisville *Courier* of the 14th we take the following:

The river continues to fall, the late rain having, thus far, had no effect, with but about eight inches water on the falls, in the pass. The weather was cloudy yesterday, with no rain. The mail boats that arrived from Cincinnati yesterday report that the river had risen four or five inches, and a slight swell was reported in the Kanawha.

The steamer Rescue left Memphis on Friday, the 8th, at 5 o'clock, P. M. Met Editor at 25; met two boats in the night, names unknown, lying to at 31. 10th—passed Thos. Scott, with four barges in tow, above Cairo; met Helen Mar at Paducah; passed Nettie Miller at head of Hog Island; met Blanche Lewis at head of Sisters. 11th—met the Dr. Robertson at Casoyville; Rochester in Cypress Bend; Ella in Henderson Bend; Raven at Henderson; Eclipse above Evansville; Cuba lying to at Three-mile. 12th—Arkansas Traveler and Wm. Knox aground at Scuffletown; Swallow aground at French Island; passed City of Cairo above French Island; met Lucy M'Connell at Lewisport. 13th—met Princess at Gaines' Landing; Kate Sarchet below New Albany; arrived at Louisville on Wednesday evening.

STEAMBOATS.

CINCINNATI.

For Cincinnati.
The steamer MARINER, Capt. C. A. DRAVO—Clerk, B. G. LEIPER—will leave for the above and intermediate ports THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board. au9

For Cincinnati.
The steamer COMMERCE, Capt. J. J. ROBINSON—Clerk, HARRY MASON—will leave for the above and intermediate ports THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board. au9

LEMON & CO.—TRANSPORTATION LINE.—Having made extensive pre[illegible] parations this winter, we are now prepared [illegible] to do a HEAVY BUSINESS by PENNSYLVANIA CANAL and RAILROAD, THROUGH TO AND FROM THE EASTERN CITIES. We can assure our friends and all those disposed to patronize the Penna. Canal and Railroad, that no pains will be spared to render general satisfaction to Shippers of Eastern and Western Freight. The AVOIDANCE OF THE INCLINED PLANES ON THE ALLEGHENY PORTAGE RAILROAD will give increased despatch to the transmission of freight.
Office on PENN street, at the Canal Basin.
mh14 LLOYD & LEMON.

KIER'S TRANSPORTATION LINE.—Anticipating the want of facilities for [illegible] transporting Freights to and from the East[illegible] ern Cities, via Pennsylvania Canal and Railroads, we have increased our stock of Boats, &c., on same, to a DOUBLE DAILY LINE, which gives us a capacity of over 1500 tons per month each way.
We assure our friends, and those disposed to patronise the State improvements, there will be nothing spared on our part to render general satisfaction in forwarding Eastern and Western Freights with promptitude and despatch.
KIER & MITCHELL,
aug11:y Canal Basin, Pittsburgh, Pa.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership existing, heretofore, between JAS. COLLINS and J. BANKS KNOX, under the firm of JAMES COLLINS & CO., has been dissolved, this day, by mutual consent.
The business of the late firm will be settled by James Collins, who is authorized to use the name of the firm for that purpose. JAS. COLLINS,
Pittsburgh, June 14, 1856. J. BANKS KNOX.

THANKFUL to my friends for past favors, I beg to solicit a continuance of their patronage for my late partner, JAMES COLLINS, who will carry on the FORWARDING AND COMMISSION, TRANSPORTATION AND PRODUCE BUSINESS under the style of JAS. COLLINS & CO. (jy2) J. BANKS KNOX.

DAVID M'CANDLESS....WILLIAM MEANS....H. A. COFFIN
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(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

R. M. HUNTER,
(SUCCESSOR TO KERR & HUNTER,)
Receiving, Forwarding, Commission Merchant
AND
STEAMBOAT AGENT,
54 COMMERCIAL STREET,
jy31 St. Louis, Mo.

MEADVILLE AND ERIE EXPRESS AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.
THIS COMPANY, having on the 1st of July commenced carrying the U. S. Mail from Pittsburgh to Erie, through Butler, Mercer, Meadville and Waterford, have now perfected such arrangements as will enable them to carry passengers or packages to any point on the route in less time than the same service was ever before performed on this road, and at cheaper rates. Those wishing to engage passage or forward packages from this city will find an Agent at all times in readiness to wait upon them at the St. Clair Hotel, corner of Penn and St. Clair streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Time through from Pittsburgh to Erie, thirty-two hours.
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READ—READ—READ.
20,000 Agents wanted to sell in every town in the United States,
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NOTICE.—Mrs. SARAH ANN BEALL begs leave to announce that her SCHOOL will re-open on MONDAY, August 18th, inst., at her residence, PRIDE st., No. 42, Eighth Ward. The course of EDUCATION will embrace SPELLING, READING, WRITING, ARITHMETIC, GRAMMAR, GEOGRAPHY, (with the use of Globes;) PHYSIOLOGY and BOTANY; also, PIANO MUSIC, (with use of Piano,) by Mr. BOWEN, of this city, a well known Teacher,
TERMS PER QUARTER:

1st Class, including foregoing branches	$4.00
2d " " "	3.00
3d " " "	2.50
Piano Music extra	8.00

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Fresh Arrival of Salt Oysters.
JUST received at STEINRUCK'S, No. 111 WOOD street, where all the delicacies of the season can be had, served up in any desirable style. He is also in daily receipt of New Potatoes, Peas, Lobsters, Frogs, Shad, Sea Bass, and a great variety of Lake Fish, which will be sold to families, hotels and restaurants on the most reasonable terms.
Just received, a large and fine lot of Lemons, Oranges and Pine Apples. S. STEINRUCK,
jy4 No. 111 Wood street.

BANKING HOUSE OF
CHUBB BRO., BARROW & CO.
DAVENPORT, IOWA,
Make Collections on all points on, and west of the Mississippi River. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to their hands.
REFER TO—
S. JONES & CO., Pittsburgh;
R. K. SWIFT BRO. & JOHNSTON, Chicago;
E. W. CLARK & CO., Philadelphia;
CITIZENS' BANK, Baltimore;
E. W. CLARK, DODGE & CO., New York;
GILMORE & BROTHERTON, Cincinnati. [jy17:1m

M. McLAUGHLIN, LAND AND REAL ESTATE AGENT. Land Warrants located. Property bought and sold; also, Shipping Agent for the Black Star Line of Packets from Liverpool. Drafts on the Banks of England, Ireland and Scotland. Office, No. 1 Jones' Building, entrance on Sixth street, DUBUQUE, Iowa. [dec3:ly

FOR SALE—A desirable property in the City of Allegheny: Three contiguous Lots, situated on the West side of the East Common, containing in front seventy-two feet nine inches, and extending back (cornering on Gay Alley) to a depth of ninety feet. There are on the premises one elegant three story Brick Dwelling House and two frame tenements. Price, six thousand five hundred dollars—twenty-five hundred dollars in hand, and the balance in four equal annual instalments, with interest, secured by bond and mortgages.
If this property is not disposed of during the month, it will be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, on Tuesday, the second day of September next. For information in regard to the property, reference may be had to MORRISON FOSTER and JOHN FLEMING, Esq., Allegheny City.
au1:d1m WM. B. FOSTER.

J. B. Canfield,
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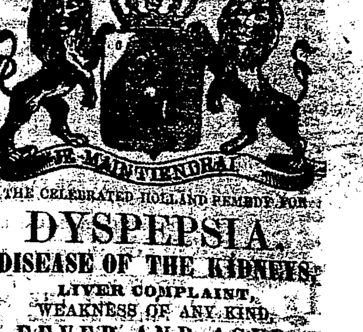

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