# SPECIAL NOTICES.

**EXTENSION OF STAY.**

***DRS. C. M. FITCH & J. W. SYKES,***

Will continue their office at

**No. 191 Penn street,**

OPPOSITE ST. CLAIR HOTEL, PITTSBURGH, PA.

*TILL APRIL FIRST*, 1858,

**Where they may be consulted daily,** (Sundays excepted,) for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS and ALL OTHER CHRONIC AFFECTIONS connected with, or predisposing to PULMONARY DISEASE.

DRS. FITCH & SYKES feel that they cannot too earnestly or too frequently admonish invalids of the EXCEEDING DANGER OF DELAY IN PULMONARY DISEASE—its symptoms often seem so trifling as to beget a delusive feeling of safety even while the disease is making rapid progress, and the patient neglects himself till a cure is next to impossible.

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☞ No charge for consultation.

A list of questions will be sent to those wishing to consult by letter. Address

DRS C. M. FITCH & J. W. SYKES,
fe12 191 Penn street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

☞ MORE CURES.

PHILADELPHIA, 3d mo., 20, 1856.

*Respected Friend*—I had for several years been afflicted with *Dyspepsia*, and occasionally a *General Debility*. I accidentally tried thy medicine, Hoofland's German Bitters, in the first place upon a daughter, she having a severe spell of sickness. Thy Hoofland's German Bitters had such effect upon her general debility, that I was induced to try it myself. I then got a bottle, and used it according to the directions, and it relieved me more than anything I had before used, giving general tone and strength to the stomach and system. Last fall I had a very severe spell of the Diarrhœa, which continued for some time. My life, for a time, was despaired of. Thy bitters again being used, acted very happily upon the stomach and intestines, and soon relieved me from the great pain I suffered, and gave me general health to the system. I consider it, doctor, one of the most valuable medicines I ever used, and shall take great pleasure in recommending it to others.

Respectfully thy friend,
SAMUEL HUTTON,
No. 5 Jennings Row, Catharine, above Third.

To Dr. C. Jackson, 120 Arch street, Philadelphia.

See advertisement.

For sale at FLEMING'S DRUG STORE, corner of Wood & Fifth streets, Pittsburgh. mr26-2-dawlm

☞ A RECIPE THAT RARELY EVER FAILS TO CURE A COLD.—Now, while winter, with its burthen of Colds and Coughs, is with us, we think a remedy that will relieve such visitations should be highly prized, and all who know the worth of this remedy, will do as we do—prize it doubly. Take a double dose of *Dr. Sanford's Invigorator*, and it will give greater relief than any other medicine ever tried, for we have rarely to repeat the dose to be entirely free from Cough, and as soon as the lungs have time to throw off the collected matter, the cure is complete. As a family medicine, for the cure of Bowel Diseases, Worms, Derangement of the Stomach and Liver, we can recommend it knowingly. mr12lmdaw

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH & BOSTON MINING CO.,
Pittsburgh, March 16, 1858.

☞ NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—The Stockholders of this Company are hereby notified that the number of shares into which the Capital Stock is divided, has this day been increased from *Six Thousand to Twenty Thousand* shares, in pursuance of authority granted by the Legislature of Michigan.

New certificates of stock in exchange for the old ones will be issued at the office of the Secretary, in the city of Pittsburgh, on and after the 1st day of April.

No certificate will be issued for the fraction of a share, but parties entitled to fract onal shares will be credited thereon on the books of the Company, and a certificate issued whenever assignments of such fractional credit sufficient to represent to the necessary as will amount to one or more shares.

Holders of old certificates will please present them for exchange as early after the 1st of April as may be convenient.

THOS. M. ROWE, Secretary,
mr22:3w Pittsburgh & Boston Mining Co.

☞ DAILY UNION PRAYER MEETINGS, WHICH have been held at the Central Presb. Church, corner Sixth and Smithfield streets, will close this morning. The exercises will be conducted by Rev. Dr. HOWARD, of the Second Presb. Church, and Rev. C. BYLLESBY, of St. James Episcopal Church.

Hours from 11½ to 12½ o'clock. All are invited. [mr22

OFFICE OF THE
PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R. CO.,
Pittsburgh, March 1st, 1858.

☞ NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The first annual meeting of the stockholders of the *Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company* will be held at the Rooms on the Board of Trade in the city of Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of March, at 12 o'clock, P. M., at which time the Report of the Directors and Officers of the operations of the Company, for the first seventeen months of the consolidation, will be presented and read.

The election for a new Board of Directors will be held at the same place, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st inst., between the hours of 9 A. M. and 6 P. M.

Stockholders, and the representatives of counties holding stock, will receive special PASS tickets to and from Pittsburgh, for the occasion, on application to the different station Agents. Blank forms of proxies may be obtained at the General office in Pittsburgh, or at the office in New York, No. 57 William street.

Stockholders of either of the three Companies now merged by the consolidation, who may not have converted their stock, will not be entitled to any votes at the above election.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th inst. to 1st prox. [mr1] T. D. MESSLER, Secretary.

## PITTSBURGH STEEL WORKS.

ISAAC JONES.....HUGH L. ROYD.....WM. McCULLOUGH

## JONES, BOYD & CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

**CAST STEEL.**

ALSO,

SPRING, PLOW AND A. B. STEEL, SPRINGS AND AXLES.

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CORNER ROSS AND FIRST STREETS,
PITTSBURGH, PA

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**Forwarding and Commission Merchant**

FOR THE SALE OF

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

**Corner of Market and First streets,**

PITTSBURGH, PA.

REFER TO—Francis G. Ball & Co., William Phillips, Sr. S. Quigley, Pittsburgh; Boyd & Orth, Hulsebell & Swearingen, S. Brady, Cash. M. & M. Bank, List & Howell, Mangle & Co., George W. Anderson, Dunlap, Paxton & Co., Wheeling. my26ly

## HARDWARE.

SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK, No. 74 WOOD street, Pittsburgh, has on hand a large

STOCK OF HARDWARE,

Which he will sell very low for CASH. In addition to his Locks, Hinges, Knives and Forks, and Spoons, and a large assortment of Carpenter's Tools, he has received a large supply of Sausage Cutters and Stuffers;
Shovels, Tongues and Pokers;
Sleigh Bells, and Enameled Preserving Kettles.
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**Office of Sealer of Weights and Measures.**

THE OFFICE OF THE UNDERSIGNED, *SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES*, May be found henceforth, in Cherry alley, between Third and Fourth streets, where orders may be left.

mr13:tf CHARLES BARNETT

## ARCHITECTURAL.—

**BARR & MOSER, Architects,**

No. 112 Smithfield street,
Opposite the new Post Office.

Execute Plans and Specifications for all kinds of building, and superintend the erection of the same.

Mr. BARR also continues to attend to the measuring of builders' work, and Mr. MOSER to the preparation of patent papers and drawings. mr11lm

**L. C. HEPBURN,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND CONVEYANCER

OFFICE WITH H. SPEDDEN,
fe18:m No. 50 Fourth street.

J. & T. GROUTT, Importers of Brandies, Gin, Wine, &c. Dealers in fine Old Monongahela Rye Whisky, Peach and Apple Brandy; also, RECTIFIERS AND DISTILLERS, corner of SMITHFIELD and FRONT streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## WILLIAM CLAYTON & CO.,

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## LIQUOR MERCHANTS,

No. 37 DIAMOND ALLEY,
Near Wood street,
*PITTSBURGH, PA.*

☞ A wave on hand, Blackberry, Cherry, and Cognac brandies, Old Monongahela and Rectified Whisky, of the so best quality. dafdep1

## DAVID H. WILLIAMS,

CIVIL ENGINEER AND CONTRACTOR FOR THE ERECTION OF GAS WORKS, for iron fire burners as 1 upwards, and for Heating Buildings, public or private, by Steam, Hot Water or Furnaces.

my8:ly18 PITTSBURGH, PA

## SPRING STOCK PIANOS.

H. KLEBER & BRO., have Just received and are now opening a splendid Spring Stock of PIANO FORTES, consisting all the LATEST STYLES and improvements of the Renowned Manufactories of NUNNS & CLARK, STEINWAY & SONS and DUNHAM, of New York. H. KLEBER has gone to New York, expressly to select some half dozen PIANOS which have been ordered by our Pittsburgh customers, and at the same time, will pay *particular attention* to select a number of PIANOS with great care, for this market. Purchasers are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock, before buying elsewhere.

☞ A written guarantee will accompany each PIANO.

H. KLEBER & BRO'S, Music Store,
No. 63 Fifth street,
Sign of the Golden Harp.
mr25

**For Rent.**

A HOUSE WITH SEVEN ROOMS ENTIRELY new, with Gas and Water Fixtures, suitable for a small family situated on Sandusky street, first door below Robinson. Rent, $150. Inquire of

R. WILLIAMS,
mr23:3t Second door from the above premises

## SPRING FASHIONS.

THE SPRING STYLE SILK HAT, IS now ready, at C. H. PARSONS',
mr24:3w No. 73 Wood street.

SIX BUILDING LOTS, on Overhill street. Price, $400, each—for sale by
mr19 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 61 Market street.

# LOCAL AFFAIRS.

**Country Items.**

On last Tuesday night, Ben Demos, a negro, who had been convicted of larceny, and sentenced to a years' imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary, at the last Armstrong county Court, escaped from the jail of that county. A reward of ten dollars has been offered for his apprehension and return.

A man named Cook has been arrested and is now confined in the jail of Somerset county, charged with setting fire to the steam grist mill of Daniel Lepley, Esq., in that county, some time last spring.

A little child of Thomas Duffie's, of Bairdstown, Indiana county, was so seriously injured on Saturday, by falling from the table, that its life is despaired of.

A man named Smith, residing near the county lines of Jefferson and Indiana, was killed last week by the kick of a horse.

A man named Walters aged about fifty-five, was frozen to death in Greenfield township, Blair county, on Tuesday night of last week, while attempting to go from Claysburg to his home, about three miles distant. When his body was found last Friday, a flask containing whisky was discovered in one of his pockets. It is supposed he partook of the article too freely, and being unable to proceed, lay down and died.

The residence of Dr. Alexander Johnston, of Hollidaysburg, was entered by burglars through a back window, one night last week, and clothing to a considerable amount was stolen. They also helped themselves liberally to provisions.

A fire occurred at Sarah Furnace, Blair county, on Thursday last, which consumed the coal house belonging to the furnace. It contained between three and four hundred wagon loads of charcoal, part of which was consumed, and the remainder so much injured as to be useless.

The Cambria Iron Works have resumed operations at their works near Hollidaysburg. Some twenty-five or thirty hands are engaged in raising ore, and the force will soon be increased to seventy five or eighty.

**Court of Quarter Sessions.**

Before Hon. Wm. B. M'Clure, President Judge, and Gabriel Adams and John E. Parke, Associate Judges.

Commonwealth vs. William Anderson *alias* Saml. Platt; indictment larceny, on oath of John Brayman. About the first of September, Brayman and Anderson were both boarding at a private house on Fourth street. Brayman was a resident of Louisville, Ky., and was on a visit to this city for the benefit of his health. Sometime during the first week of September, Brayman was robbed of $473 in gold, in $20s, $10s, $5s, &c. Suspicion fell upon Anderson, from the fact of his having disappeared shortly after the robbery. Anderson was not arrested until some four or five weeks since, in Louisville. The evidence against Anderson was conclusive, and the jury found a verdict of guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Robert J. Hamilton; indictment assault and battery with intent to commit a rape, on oath of Hannah Quail, a young married woman. The prosecutrix, with her husband, resided in Baldwin township, on a farm belonging to defendant. The assault was alleged to have been committed on the night of the 29th of October, in the absence of Mr. Quail. Verdict of the jury—guilty of assault and battery.

Some other trifling assault and battery cases were also disposed of.

*Rather Romantic.*—A young woman, who had grown weary of the monotony of this spring weather, donned the accoutrements of a male biped on Wednesday evening, and with a companion in her own proper attire, went to the Theatre, and took a seat in the boxes. The bearing of the couple was the subject of general remark in the house, but increased when, between the acts, she went to the saloon, drank freely, smoked cigars, swore like a trooper, &c., winding up by getting quite happy, and indulging in a good deal of noise. The eyes of the police officers had been upon her during the evening, and on her becoming disorderly, she was arrested and taken to the Mayor's office, where her sex was discovered. She was kept in the watch house all night. Yesterday morning the Mayor read her a severe lecture on her very improper conduct, and warned her that if she was again found in male apparel she would be sent to jail for disorderly conduct. She was then discharged. She is a character well known to the police.

*Benefit of Mr. Dubois.*—The many friends of this gentleman will have an opportunity of evincing their appreciation of him by giving him a bumper on the occasion of his benefit this evening. We have frequently expressed our opinion of his capabilities, and we will not repeat them now. Suffice it to say, that his place will not be supplied soon. The bill offered is a very good one, consisting of the comedy of the "Incentives," in which Mr. Dubois sustains the character of Young Mirabel, and the musical drama of "The Pilot, in which he will personate Long Tom Coffin. We heartily wish him a good benefit.

*Galvanized Sheet Iron.*—We direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. Moorhead & Co. They manufacture American plain and corrugated galvanized sheet iron; they are agents for Wood's Patent Imitation Russia Sheet Iron. This galvanized iron is a valuable article for roofing houses. At the recent fire in the Fifth Ward, a building which was in imminent danger, was only saved from having the roof covered with this material. Those about to build will do well to call and examine the article.

*Fatal Accident.*—On Tuesday morning, a young man, named Oli S. Bishop, residing in Brookville, Jefferson county, was killed in the following manner: He was coming down Redbank creek on a raft of lumber. Near the little town of New Bethlehem, there is a bridge, with a pier in the middle of the creek; the raft was thrown against the pier, and broken to pieces; some heavy pieces of lumber fell over on to Mr. Bishop, crushing him beneath their weight. He died in about fifteen minutes after the accident.

*Railroad Accident.*—An accident occurred to the express train on the Pittsburgh, Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad, a few evenings since. The train came in contact with a rock which had slipped on the track at Hanover Cut, eight miles from Newark, throwing the cars off the track. None of the passengers were injured, but the engineer, Jesse Doerlander, was considerably sprained and bruised. The engine was badly crippled, and another was procured before the train could proceed.

*District Court.*—The business which has been transacted in the District Court recently has been of only trifling importance. On Wednesday a verdict was rendered in favor of Thomas M. Wolf for $100 damages against Alderman William Wilson, of the Fifth ward. It seems that the Alderman had committed Wolf for contempt of court, he having refused to give his name in a case before the Alderman. Wolf sued him for false imprisonment, and the 'squire was beaten.

*A Row in the County Jail.*—A day or two since, a man confined in the county jail, named Simon Brady, had some difficulty with another prisoner named Jas. Mackorel, whom a quarrel ensued, in which Mackerel and Jack Kinsler, a turnkey, fell upon Brady and beat him shamefully. Brady made information against them yesterday before the Mayor, and true bills were found against both of them.

*The* extensive catalogue of books to be sold tomorrow evening, at Davis' new Auction Building, Fifth street, presents an unusually attractive collection of new and old works from valuable private libraries. The sterling character of this catalogue should secure it the attention of all careful readers and reamers. The books are now arranged for examination and catalogues ready.

*Maple Sugar.*—The fine weather of the past ten days has set the sugar water to flowing, and we shall soon have an abundance of maple sugar and molasses. It is thought the product this season will not be near so great as last, as the season will be short and prices considerably lower. The supply, however, owing to the hard times, will be equal to the demand. A good article will meet with a ready sale at paying prices in this city.

*Off the Track.*—On Wednesday evening a freight train going West on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad was thrown off the track when near Remington. The night mail and passenger train due here at nine o'clock, was delayed about two hours in consequence, not being able to get past. No one was injured.

*Court of Quarter Sessions.*—The present session of this court will be a short one—the cases are very few, and of little importance. A large proportion of the bills sent to the Grand Jury have been ignored, and the complainants charged with the costs. If this were done more frequently, our criminal records would not be burdened with such an immense number of petty cases.

*The Aqueduct.*—The report of the Aqueduct Committee in relation to the arch at the Allegheny end of the Aqueduct, having been referred back to them by Councils, they have ordered a brick arch to be erected under the stone one, which would probably fall when the water is let in. The contract for building the arch has been awarded to Messrs. Blackstock & Rauch.

*Post Office Appointments.*—A new Post Office has been established at Milligen's Mills, Westmoreland county, with R. T. Reed as Postmaster.

John Bower, formerly Postmaster at Bower Hill, Washington county, has resigned, and David Devorn is appointed to take his place.

*Country Fire Companies.*—Two fire companies have been organized by the young men of Greensburg recently. We understand they intend supplying themselves with hooks and ladders. The citizens of Kittanning have resolved to purchase a fire engine, and a committee has been sent east to buy one.

*First Arrival of Spring Goods at Carnaghan's, Allegheny City.*—A very full and elegant stock of cloths, new style cassimeres and vestings, furnishing goods, &c., for men and boys' wear, are now opened, to which the attention of cash buyers is invited. Terms being strictly cash, buyers may rely on the prices being favorable.

*A Distinguished Refugee in Pittsburgh.*—Yesterday a man called on Mayor Weaver, and informed him that Thomas Allsop, the person who was ringleader in the plot by which the life of Louis Napoleon was attempted last January, was in this city, and advised the Mayor to arrest him. The person, who seemed positive of what he stated, declared that Mr. Allsop had been in the city several days, and was residing in the house of a friend in the Eighth ward. The Mayor declared he had no authority whatever for interfering in the matter, and declined having anything to do with it. We believe his Honor acted quite wisely in this matter. It may be a fact, but we are inclined to regard the matter as a hoax.

*Mayor's Office.*—Yesterday there was nothing of an unusual character before Mayor Weaver. In the morning there were seven common cases on hand; six of these were committed, and one discharged on payment of his fine.

*Attention* is requested to the sale of a large quantity of handsome, new and second hand household furniture at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

☞ IF YOU ARE SICK, the probability is that the seat of your suffering is in the stomach. From a weak stomach proceeds Dyspepsia, Ague, Languor, Nausea, and a legion of other tormenting diseases. Indigestion produces thin blood, and therefore destroys the strength and vigor of the entire system. To restore the tone of the stomach, and enable it to throw off and dismiss forever all these troublesome and dangerous complaints, nothing is necessary but a persevering use of Dr. J. HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS. A trial of their power cannot fail to prove that there is no failure in their sanative effects. We cheerfully recommend them to the public, knowing, as we do, their many excellent qualities.

For sale by druggists and dealers generally, everywhere, and by

H. HOSTETTER & SMITH,
Manufacturers and Proprietors,
58 Water and 68 Front streets.
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# RIVER NEWS.

HARDY & M'GREW, Steamboat and General Agents, Corner of First and Ferry streets.

RIVER, WEATHER, ETC.—The river is again falling, with little feet large in the channel. The weather is quite warm, and for a while yesterday threatened rain, in fact it did sprinkle a little, but cleared off again. Business at the wharf was very brisk.

**PORT OF PITTSBURGH.**

FEET 9 INCHES WATER ON THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Lucerne, Jacobs, Brownsville.
Col. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
Telegraph, Woodward, Brownsville.
Rosalie, Doyle, Wheeling.

DEPARTED.

Steamer Col. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
Telegraph, Woodward, Brownsville.
Lucerne, Jacobs, Brownsville.
Rosalie, Doyle, Wheeling.
Iowa, Moore, St. Louis.
James Wood, Robinson, St. Louis.

# STEAMBOATS.

**NEW ORLEANS.**

**For New Orleans.**

ALMA ..... JOB SOY, Master.

The light draught, fast running passenger packet, ALMA—Robinson, Master—will leave for the above and all intermediate ports, on SATURDAY, the 13th inst. at 4 P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to
mr24 BLACK, BARNES & CO., Agents.

**CINCINNATI.**

**For Cincinnati.**

REGULAR PITTSBURGH AND CINCINNATI PACKET

The elegant side wheel, passenger packet SUPERIOR—Capt. RICHARD J. GRACE—will leave Pittsburgh for Cincinnati, every SATURDAY, at 10 o'clock, A. M. Returning, will leave Cincinnati every TUESDAY MORNING.

mr23 BLACK, BARNES & CO., Agents.

**ZANESVILLE.**

**For Marietta and Zanesville.**

The steamer EMMA GRAHAM, Capt. M. Kelley, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on every TUESDAY, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board. [jm8

**ST. LOUIS.**

**For St. Louis, Keokuk, Burlington, Muscatine, Rock Island and Davenport.**

The fine passenger packet ARIZONA—Capt. HERRON—will leave for the above and intermediate ports on MONDAY, the 29th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M.

mr24 BLACK, BARNES & CO., Agents.

**For St. Louis.**

IOWA ..... MOORE, Master.

The light draught, fast running passenger packet IOWA, Moore, Master, will leave for the above and intermediate ports, on THIS DAY, the 24th instant, at 4 o'clock P. M.

For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply on board or to HARDY & McGREW, Agents.
fe4 Corner First and Ferry streets.

## JOSEPH MEYER,

MANUFACTURER OF

**Fancy & Plain Furniture & Chairs,**

**Warerooms, 424 Penn street,**

ABOVE THE CANAL BRIDGE,

*PITTSBURGH, PA.*

☞ In addition to the furniture business, I also devote attention to UNDERTAKING. Hearses and Carriages furnished. mr23:4ly—1c

# AUCTION SALES.

DAILY SALES AT NO. 54 FIFTH ST. At the new Commercial Sales rooms, No. 54, Fifth street, every week day, are held public sales of goods in all curiosity, suited for the trade and consumers, from a large stock which is constantly replenished with fresh consignments, that must be sold to the highest bidder.

AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Dry Goods and fancy articles, comprising nearly every thing needed in the line for personal and family use; table cutlery, hardware, clothing, boots and shoes; ladies wear, &c.

At school and kitchen furniture, new and second-hand beds and bedding; carpets; elegant French china tea sets, stoves; cooking utensils; glassware, &c.

AT 7 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Fancy articles; watches; clocks; jewelry; musical instruments; guns; clothing; dry goods, boots and shoes; book stationery, &c. [jm8 M. DAVIS, Auct.

FURNITURE, &c., OF THE PERRY HOTEL, AT AUCTION.—On SATURDAY MORNING, March 27th, at 10 o'clock will be commenced, the sale of the entire stock of Furniture, Bar fixtures etc., of that extensive establishment, embracing Mahogany Sofas, Rosewood Tables, Chairs, Rocking Chairs, elegant large gilt frame French Plate Mirrors, Dressing and Plain Bureaus, Ward Robes, Wash Stands, Venetian Blinds, Closet furniture, Chamber and Hall Carpets and Oil Cloths, high and low post Bedsteads, Feather Beds, Mattresses, Bedding, Dining Room Furniture, Cutlery, Glassware and Queensware, Bar Fixtures, Counters, one large Cooking Stove and Fixtures, Parlor and Egg Stoves, Kitchen Furniture, etc. Sale positive, and will be continued until all is sold.

Terms at sale.
mr23 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

NEW AND OLD CHOICE BOOKS, BY CATALOGUE.—ON SATURDAY EVENING, March 27th, at 7 o'clock, will be sold by catalogue, on the second floor of the New Auction Building, No. 54 Fifth street, a very valuable collection, mostly from private libraries, of new and old choice Books, comprehending some of the very best English and American literature. The catalogue will be found each in the best editions of the respective Works, such as the Pantalogia, 14 vols; Rollin, Gibbon's edition of the British Poets, 10 vols; Fenimore Cooper's Novels and Tales, 32 vols; Walter Scott's complete Works, 10 vols; Encyclopædia Americana, 13 vols, etc. Also, the Works of Charles Lamb, 2 vols; Dean Swift, 2 vols; Lawrence Sterne, 2 vols; Lord Byron's Works, 4 vols; Joseph Addison 6 vols, etc., etc. Bryce's Edition of Beaumont & Fletcher, 2 vols; Kenny Meadows Edition of Shakspeare, 2 vols; Sharpe's History of Egypt, Lynch's Dead Sea Expedition; The Annual and Illustrated Keepsake; Comprehensive Little Commentator, 1 vols; Robinson's Hist. Great Works, 3 vols. Cotton Mather's Magnalia; Facsimile Copy of the Bible, printed in 1795; large Quarto Bible; Book of Engravings, Clarke's Ancient Mysteries, Stanzas, Expeditions to Gaza, 2 vols. Bohn's Fancy Stuff, Pictorial Gallery of Fine and Useful Arts, 2 vols; Illustrated London News, 3 vols; Wilson's French and English Pictionary; The Wonderful Magazine, 2 vols, etc., etc.

Catalogues are now ready, and the Books will be arranged for examination on Friday morning.

mr24 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, AT AUCTION.—On FRIDAY AFTERNOON, March 26th, at 2 o'clock at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, will be sold, a quantity of good quality second-hand household and kitchen furniture, from several families removing—among which are, Mahogany Parlor Chairs and Rockers, Mahogany Tables; Bureaus; Mahogany Hair Seat Sofas, Sofa Tables, Centre Tables; Wash and Work Stands; Walnut Cottage Bedsteads, Stick and low post bedsteads, one Walnut office "high; Carpeting, Looking Glasses, Mantle Clocks, China, Glass and Queensware, etc.

mr25 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

## EXECUTOR'S SALE OF STOCKS,

BY

## AUSTIN LOOMIS & CO.,

STOCK AND NOTE BROKERS, 58 MARKET STREET.

THE EXECUTORS OF THE REVEREND CHARLES AVERY, will offer at public sale, at the MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, in the city of Pittsburgh, on THURSDAY, the 15th of April proximo, at 5 o'clock, P. M., the following stocks, viz:—

2666 shares of the Capital Stock of the Pittsburgh and Boston Mining Company, (Cliff Mine, Lake Superior)
1000 do do of the Capital Stock of the National Mining Co.
5 do Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh.
400 do Allegheny Bank.
42 do Hand Street Bridge Company.
80 do Monongahela do do.
183 do Monongahela Navigation Company.
67 do Pittsburgh, Cin. and Louisville Telegraph Co.
50 do Allegheny Gas Company.
67 do Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad Co.
Dividend Scrip of ditto, of $72 40.
20 do Charters Valley Railroad Company.
20 do Wilkinsburg and West Newton Plank Road Co.
1 Scholarship Pittsburgh Female College

THOMAS M. ROWE,
WM M STINN,
JOSIAH KING, } Executors.
mr25:3w

EGGS.—6 barrels fresh Eggs to arrive this day, and for sale by JAMES A. FETZER,
mr19 Corner Market and First streets.

DRIED PEACHES.—20 bus. choice Dried Peaches for arrive this day, and for sale by JAMES A. FETZER,
mr19 Corner Market and First streets.

# COMMERCIAL.

**PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE AND MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.**

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## Weekly Review of Pittsburgh Markets

PITTSBURGH, March 25, 1858.

The opening of the navigation and the continued fine weather of the past week, have given quite an impetus to trade. The resumption is now complete, and in every department there is a satisfactory amount of activity. The steamers which leave this port are generally departing with good loads, while the cargoes from below are quite heavy. We have every reason to believe that the most sanguine anticipations of a prosperous spring business will be fully realized.

The money market continues easy, and good customers at the banks find no difficulty in getting their paper discounted. The rates of exchange on currency have declined from our last quotations, and may now be rated as follows: Sight drafts on New York, ¼ per cent. premium for par, and 2 to 2¼ on currency; on Philadelphia, ¼ per cent. premium for par, and 2 to 2¼ on currency; on Baltimore, par to ¼ per cent. premium; on Cincinnati and Louisville, par to ¼ per cent discount.

The following comparative statement of Bank averages is made up from the official statements of the Banks of this city for the last and previous weeks:

| ASSETS | March 20 | March 15 |
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| Loans and Discounts | $3,340,493 32 | $3,323,215 10 |
| Due by other Banks | 267,220 55 | 276,266 11 |
| Notes, &c., of other Banks | 126,002 06 | 122 826 73 |
| Specie | 1,271,835 63 | 1,293,661 21 |
| LIABILITIES. | | |
| Circulation | 1,163,251 00 | 1,157,536 00 |
| Due to other Banks | 90 342 42 | 98,07 06 |
| Deposites | 1,289,702 89 | 1,302,910 23 |

The above comparative statement exhibits the following results:—

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| Increase in Loans and Discounts | $17,278 22 |
| Decrease in Amount due by other Banks | 9,045 56 |
| Increase in Notes and Checks of other Banks | 3 175 33 |
| Decrease in Specie | 23,825 58 |
| Increase in Circulation | 5,715 00 |
| Decrease in Amount due to other Banks | 8,164 06 |
| Deposites | 13,208 34 |

ASHES...There is nothing doing in Pots, and our quotations are nominal at 5½c.; Pearls are also nominal at 6½c., on time; Soda A-h is steady at 3¾@4c.

ALKALI...Sales 250 cases of Concentrated Lye at 1¼ ℔ lb. Small cases of Canstic Soda at 6½c ℔ lb

APPLES...There is a good demand, but the supplies are rather light; some sales have been made on arrival at $1,50 @$2 ℔ bbl

BUTTER...The demand has been steady, and sales of prime roll have been made at 15@16c. ℔ lb., and common roll at 10@14c.; packed 11@12.

BACON...The demand has greatly improved, and we have several sales, in small lots, to note at 7¼c. for Shoulders 8¾@9c. for sides, and 9¾@10¼c. for Hams, the former for Western and the latter for city. Sugar Cured Hams 12½c. These are the cash rates.

BEANS...The demand has improved, and consid rable sales have been made during the week at 80c. ℔ bus for mixed, $1 for common white, and $1,12@1,25 for prime small white.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR...The season being now over, there is but little doing; a few trifling sales have been made at $16@1,25 ℔ 100 lbs.

BROOMS...There is a good supply in market; sales of common are regularly made at $1,25 and for better kinds $2; fancy lots command $2,25@$2,50 ℔ dozen.

BUCKETS AND TUBS...The Beaver manufacturers' prices are as follows: Buckets, common, $1,60 ℔ doz.; Buckets, three hoops, $1,75 ℔ doz. Extra large Tubs, three hoops, $7,75 ℔ doz.; do. do. two hoops, $6,75 do.; No. 1 Tubs, $6,00 do.; No. 2 do. $5,00 do.; No. 3 do. $4,75 do.; No. 4 do. $4,00 do.; No. 2 Keelers, $4,75 do.; Half Bushels, $4,75 do.

CORDAGE...

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| Manilla Rope, coil | 13 ℔ lb |
| Manilla Rope, cut | 14 ℔ lb |
| Tarred " " | 14 ℔ lb |
| Hemp " " | 16 ℔ lb |
| Tarred " " | 15 ℔ lb |
| Hemp Yarn, fine | 13 ℔ lb |
| Packing Yarn, coarse | 12 ℔ lb |

Hay Cords...Manil a $1,87, $2,00@$2,12 ℔ dozen; Manilla, 6 coil, 15c. ℔ lb.; Hemp $.87, $2,75@$3,50 ℔ dozen; Hemp, 9 coil, 12c. ℔ lb.

Patent Lines...Manilla 57c. ℔ dozen. Hemp 70c. per doz.

COTTON CORDAGE...Cotton Rope 8½ and upwards, 20; do below 8½, 22; Bed Cord $2,50@$3,62½@4,75 ℔ dozen; Plow lines $1,25; Sash Cords $6,00.

CANDLES...The following are now the current rates of city manufacturers: Moulds, 13c. ℔ lb.; Dips, 12½c.; Star 16½@17c. ℔ lb.

OILS...There is a full supply in the market, and the prices are lower; sales are now made of Western Reserve at 80@82c. ℔ gl.

CHAIN CABLES...The prices have experienced a further decline. The quotations are now as follows:—Water Crackers, ℔ lb. 5c.; Butter do. 6c.; Sugar 7½c.; Soda 6½c.; Boston do. 8c.; Wine Biscuit ℔ bbl. $4,00.

CRANBERRIES...The sales are but light; the quotations being $7,50@8,50 ℔ bbl.

DRIED FRUIT...The demand for Apples continues good; sales have been very freely made at $1,25@1,38 ℔ bushel from store. Peaches are selling at $3,00@3,75, but the scarcity restricts operations to almost a retail trade.

EGGS...The market is becoming well supplied; sales have been readily made at 10@11c. per dozen, packed in barrels.

FEED...There have been considerable sales at the mill and on arrival at from 40 to 80c. ℔ 100 lbs for Bran to Middlings.

FEATHERS...Regular sales of prime Western are made at 50@52c. ℔ lb.

FISH...No. 3 Mackerel, large, is now selling at $11,50 ℔ bbl; Baltimore Herring, $7,50; Halifax do. $6,50@6,60 White Common, $11; Lake Superior White, $12; Trout, $9,50@$10; in half barrels about 50c. per bbl. additional on these prices. Codfish 5@5½c. ℔ lb.

FIRE BRICK...Sales are regularly made at $35@40 ℔ M.;

FLOUR...The depression in the Flour market continues the supply in this market has greatly increased since the opening of the navigation, and in the absence of any Eastern demand, there is no probability of any improvement at present. From first hands, we quote superfine at $3,12@$3,15, although a few sales have been made as low as $3, extra is selling on arrival at $3,00@3,50. From store, the quotations are $3,62½@3,75 for superfine, $4 for extra, and $4,37½@4,50 for extra family. Rye Flour $2,87½@3. Corn Meal 80@85c. ℔ bus.

GRAIN...The supply of Oats has improved, and sales are readily made on arrival at 27@28c. Corn has declined, and is generally selling at 46@47c. for inferior and common, and 50c. for good. Wheat is steady at 70@80c. for prime red to white, with but light receipts. Rye is steady at 60c. Barley is inactive at 40@45c. for fall and prime spring.

GROCERIES...There have been large arrivals of Sugar and Molasses, and the transactions have been quite extensive, heavy sales having been made of Sugar at 7@8c ℔ lb. common, for fair to prime New Orleans, and large cases of New Orleans Molasses have been made to the trade at 35c., cash. Coffee, Rio, firm at 12@12½. Rice 5½@6c. ℔ lb.

HAY...There have been considerable sales of Timothy from store at $22 ℔ ton. The sales from the scales have been tolerably large at from $10 to $14 ℔ ton. Straw is selling at $7 from the scales.

HOMINY...There is a fair demand; a few sales have been made to retail trade at $5 ℔ bbl.

HIDES...There is not much change in the market, which is firm. Dry Flint have advanced to 15c. ℔ lb.; green would quote steady at 5, and Green Salted 6c. ℔ lb.

IRON AND NAILS...The manufacturers of Iron are as follows:—Common Bar 2½ to 2¾c. ℔ lb. Nails are selling at $3@3,25 for 10d. to 40d., according to quality; the terms are six months' credit, or 5 ℔ cent. discount for cash.

LARD...The prices are firmer, although the demand is still light. Prime city No. 1 is quoted at 10c., and country at 9@9½c. ℔ lb.

LEATHER...The prices have declined, with a quiet market. The following are now the quotations:—

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| Red Spanish Sole ℔ lb | 20@ | 25c. |
| Slaughter " " | 25@ | 27c |
| Skirting " " | 28@ | 30c. |
| Harness " " | 24@ | 26c. |
| Upper ℔ dozen | $28 | @30 |
| Brilliu " " | $36 | @42 |

LUMBER...The following are the quotations of seasoned lumber, from the yards in the city:—

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| Common 1 inch Boards, ℔ 1000 feet | $16 00 |
| Clear do " | 32 00 |
| Flooring dressed do " | 22 00 |
| Shingles, ℔ 1000 | 3 50 |
| Lath, " | 2 25 |
| Oak flooring, dressed, 1 inch—℔ 1000 feet | 30 00 |
| do do 1¼ do " | 32 00 |

MESS PORK...The demand is quite small; sales of small lots have been made at $16,25@16,50 ℔ bbl.

METALS...Pig Lead has declined 1 to 6, and