SELECTED PITTSBURGH IMPRINTS, 1807-1860, IN THE LIBRARY OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

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Although the products of Stephen Day's press, the earliest examples of North American printing, came off the press in the middle of the 17th century, the printing industry west of the Allegheny Mountains was to begin much later. It was on July 29, 1786 with the first issue of the Pittsburgh Gazette that the industry was established in Pittsburgh just 28 years after the first permanent settlement. This experiment in printing west of the Alleghenies preceded by seven years the completion of the new turnpike from Philadelphia, by way of Bedford, to Pittsburgh in 1793.

At the beginning of the 19th century the young nation was rapidly expanding its frontiers to the West and Pittsburgh was a center of supply for those seeking land and homes in the West. Many a Pittsburgh almanac, textbook, river guide or reprint of a literary work then in vogue traveled down the Ohio and Mississippi, and up the Missouri to the newly found home of the pioneer.

The third volume of Hugh Henry Brackenridge's picaresque novel, Modern Chivalry, printed in Pittsburgh in 1793 by the firm of Zadok Cramer, has long been considered the first book printed in the area. It was through the instrumentality of the printing house of Zadok Cramer that Pittsburgh was to enter one of its most creative and original periods of writing and printing. Cramer's short-lived periodical, The Western Gleaner of 1813, was one of the earliest magazines printed west of the Alleghenies and his famous river guide, The Navigator, went through a dozen editions, the first two being extremely rare today.

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1 Pittsburgh almanacs are not included in this list.
2 J. Cutler Andrews, Pittsburgh's Post-Gazette, "The first newspaper west of the Alleghenies" (Boston, Chapman & Grimes, 1936), 1.
3 Solon J. Buck, Planting of Civilization in Western Pennsylvania (Pittsburgh, University of Pittsburgh Press, 1939), 233.
In Pittsburgh the printing industry has had a long and noble history. In the year 1856 there were 35 establishments engaged in printing in the Pittsburgh area and 40 per cent of these firms were at least eleven years of age. Another 20 per cent had been in existence 18 years or more. The median age of these businesses was 9.2 which exceeded the median age of all other manufacturing concerns by 1.8 years. It was at this time that printing ranked third highest in age among all the various manufacturing establishments in Pittsburgh.\(^4\) All this was to change in less than a generation. With the simplification of the modes of travel and transportation, the printing industry became concentrated in the eastern coastal cities of the United States, particularly in New York, Philadelphia, and Boston.

An examination of the imprints of the period, roughly from 1800 to 1860, as represented by the holdings of the library of the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania, reveals that the printing done in early Pittsburgh was principally of three kinds. First, there were practical books such as textbooks that otherwise could have been supplied only by difficult transportation over the mountains. Next, those books were printed whose demand was great enough to make their printing profitable. This was especially true of popular British works which were unprotected by copyright. Finally, a number of works of local authorship were published whose only merit was often that the author was a figure of local prominence and therefore of some interest to members of the community. This last group constitutes perhaps the largest number and many of them were concerned chiefly with religious subjects. This was hardly to be considered unusual when one considers that religious topics dominated much of the literature of the time.

Gass, Patrick, 1771-1870.

A journal of the voyages and travels of a corps of discovery, under the command of Capt. Lewis and Capt. Clarke of the Army of the United States, from the mouth of the River Missouri through the interior parts of North America to the Pacific Ocean, during the years 1804, 1805 & 1806. Containing an authentic relation of the most interesting transactions during the expedition, — A description of the country, — And an account of its inhabitants,

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soil, climate, curiosities and vegetable and animal productions. By Patrick Gass, one of the persons employed in the expedition. With geographical and explanatory notes by the publisher . . . Pittsburgh, Printed by Zadok Cramer, for David M'Keehan, 1807. 262 p. 5
This is the first printed account of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

Brown, John, 1722-1787.
Select remains of the Rev. John Brown, late minister of the Gospel at Haddington, who died June 19, 1787 . . . to which is added, Address to students of divinity. Pittsburgh, Printed and published by Cramer, Spear and Eichbaum, at the Franklin Head Bookstore, in Market, between Front and Second streets, 1810. 187 p.

Cuming, Fortescue.
Sketches of a tour to the western country, through the states of Ohio and Kentucky; a voyage down the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, and a trip through the Mississippi territory, and part of west Florida. Commenced at Philadelphia in the Winter of 1807, and concluded in 1809. By F. Cuming. With notes and an appendix, containing some interesting facts, together with a notice of an expedition through Louisiana. Pittsburgh, Printed and pub. by Cramer, Spear & Eichbaum, 1810. 504 p.

One of the few first editions to be published in Pittsburgh. This work was, according to Reuben Gold Thwaites, "A picture of American life in the West at the beginning of the 19th century that, for clear-cut outlines and fidelity of presentation, has the effect of photographic representations."

Democratic Republican Committee.
Address of the Democratic Republican Committee of the borough of Pittsburgh, and its vicinity, favourable to the election of De Witt Clinton to the presidency of the United States, at the ensuing election. [Pittsburgh] Printed at the Office of the Statesman, 1812. 11, 17, 25 p.

Bound with: At a convention of Republican delegates from different counties in the State of Pennsylvania, held at Lancaster, on the 2d of October, 1812, the following address and electoral ticket, formed for the support of the People’s Nomination of

5 The entries are, for the most part, complete title page transcriptions.
President and Vice President of the United States, were unanimously agreed to, viz: The Hon. De Witt Clinton of New-York, as President, the Hon. Jared Ingersoll, of Pennsylvania, as Vice President. p. 18-25.

The vicar of Wakefield. A tale. Supposed to be written by himself . . . Pittsburgh, Printed and published by Cramer, Spear and Eichbaum, 1812. 2 v. in 1.

Walsh, Michael, 1763-1840.
A new system of mercantile arithmetick, adapted to the commerce of the United States, in its domestick and foreign relations; with forms of accounts and other writings, usually occurring in trade. 2d Pittsburgh ed. Pittsburgh, Cramer, Spear & Eichbaum, 1812. 249 p.

A highly popular work. This particular edition was reprinted four times in Pittsburgh between 1806 and 1814. The Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania also has the 3d Pittsburgh edition of 1815.

1814

Brackenridge, Henry Marie, 1786-1871.

1815

The Pittsburgh directory for 1815, containing the names, professions and residence of the heads of families and persons in business, in the borough of Pittsburgh, with an appendix containing a variety of useful information. Pittsburgh, J. M. Riddle, 1815. 156 p.

Pittsburgh’s first “formal” directory. Another directory appeared in 1819.

1816

Lewis, Freeman.
The beauties of harmony, containing the rudiments of music on a new and improved plan; including, with the rules of singing, an explanation of the rules and principles of composition. Together with an extensive collection of sacred music, consisting of plain tunes, fugues, anthems, &c. some of which are entirely new. To the whole is added an appendix, containing explanations of
musical terms, characters, &c. original and selected. Pittsburgh, Published by Cramer, Spear & Eichbaum, 1816. 200 p.
The 6th edition of this work was published in 1831 by Johnston and Stockton.

1817

Brown, John.
An essay towards an easy, plain, practical, and extensive explanation of the assembly's shorter catechism . . . Pittsburgh, Robert Patterson, 1817. 361 p.

[Patterson, Robert.]
The art of domesticity happiness and other poems by the Recluse, author of the Independency of the Mind, affirmed . . . Pittsburgh, Robert Patterson, 1817. 316 p.
Printed by Butler and Lambdin.

Presbyterian Church in the United States.

1818

Cramer, Zadok, 1773-1813?
The navigator, containing directions for navigating the Monongahela, Allegheny, Ohio, and Mississippi rivers; with an ample account of these much admired waters, from the head of the former to the mouth of the latter; and a concise description of their towns, villages, harbors, settlements, &c. With maps of the Ohio and Mississippi. To which is added an appendix, containing an account of Louisiana, and of the Missouri and Columbia rivers, as discovered by the voyage under Capts. Lewis and Clark. 10th ed. Pittsburgh, Printed and published by Cramer & Spear, Franklin head, Wood Street, 1818. 304 p. Maps.
One of the most distinctive and original works to be printed in Pittsburgh and the model for many river guides to follow. The earliest edition preserved, the third corrected Pittsburgh edition for the year 1802 mentions two previous editions which may have been printed in the same year. Other extant editions of this work are: 5th ed. 1806, 6th ed. 1808, 7th ed. 1811, 8th ed. 1814, 9th ed. 1817, 10th ed. 1818, 11th ed. 1821, 12th ed. 1824. HSWP has: 10th, 11th ed.

[Evans, E. B.]
The Republican compiler, comprising a series of scientific, descriptive, narrative, popular, biographical, epistolary, and miscel-

Meikle, James, 1730-1799.
Solitude sweetened; or, Miscellaneous meditations, on various religious subjects, written in distant parts of the world. By James Meikle. Pittsburgh, R. Patterson & Lambdin, 1818. 298 p.

1819

Black, John.
Church fellowship, a sermon, preached at the opening of the Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, May 16, 1816 . . . Pittsburgh, E. Pentland, 1819. 109 p.

The Pittsburgh directory for 1819. Containing the names, professions, and residence of all the heads of families, and persons in business, in the city of Pittsburgh and its suburbs and a variety of other useful information. By J. M. Riddle, and M. M. Murray. Pittsburgh, Butler and Lambdin, 1819. 122 p.

A new edition of the 1815 directory with additional material added, particularly that relating to suburbs and outlying districts.

1821

Swift, Elisha Pope, 1792-1865.
The Sacred Manual. Containing a series of questions, historical, doctrinal and preceptive, on the Sacred Scriptures. With which are interspersed such questions and answers on different subjects, as seem calculated to illustrate and explain them. In four parts. Pittsburgh, R. Patterson & Lambdin, 1821. 208 p.

1822

McHenry, James, 1785-1845.
The pleasures of friendship, a poem, in two parts; to which are added a few original Irish melodies; by James M'Henry . . . Pittsburgh, The author, 1822. 72 p.

Printed for the author by Eichbaum and Johnston, 1822.

Watts, Isaac, 1647-1748.
Contains also: Watts, Isaac. Hymns and spiritual songs. 1823.

Murray, Lindley, 1745-1826.
The English reader; or, Pieces in prose and poetry, selected from the best writers . . . with a few preliminary observations on the principles of good reading, by Lindley Murray. 4th Pittsburgh ed. Pittsburgh, Cramer & Spear, 1823. 264 p.
First published in 1799. Murray's English readers and grammars were the most widely used texts in the United States during our early national period. HSWP also has the 1829 Pittsburgh edition.

Watts, Isaac, 1647-1748.

A cloud of witnesses, for the royal prerogatives of Jesus Christ; or, The last speeches and testimonies of those who have suffered for the truth in Scotland, since the year 1680 . . . 15th ed., enl. and cor. Pittsburgh, Printed for David Reed, by Eichbaum & Johnston, 1824. 420 p.

Baird, Thomas Dickson, 1773-1839.
Introduction contains "a succinct sketch of the controversy on the subject of psalmody . . . from . . . its commencement in this country, until the present day."

Jones, Samuel, of Pittsburgh.
Pittsburgh in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-six, containing sketches topographical, historical and statistical; together with a directory of the city . . . Embellished with an engraving of the
The successor to the Riddle directories of 1815 and 1819. Between 1819
and 1826, no formal directory was published.

1829

McKisson, Robert.
Original poems on various subjects. Pittsburgh, Printed by L. S.
John, 1829. 150 p.

1832

Stockton, Joseph.
The western calculator, or, A new and compendious system of
practical arithmetic; containing the elementary principles and rules
of calculation in whole, mixed, and decimal numbers. Arranged,
defined, and illustrated, in a plain and natural order . . . In eight
parts . . . By J. Stockton, A.M., Pittsburgh, Printed and pub-
lished by Johnston & Stockton, Market Street. Stereotyped by
J. Howe, 1832. 203 p.
The author, the Rev. Joseph Stockton, was one of the first principals of
the Pittsburgh Academy. HSWP also has the 4th edition, 1851.

1833

Guthrie, William, 1620-1665.
The Christians great interest. In two parts: I. The trial of a
saving interest in Christ. II. The way how to attain it. By the
Rev. William Guthrie . . . To which are prefixed memoirs of the
author. Introd. essay by Thomas Chalmers. Pittsburgh, pub-
lished by John Patterson, 1833. 252 p.

A review reviewed. Pittsburgh, 1833. 18 p.
A work written in defense of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court after an
attack on this body appeared in the American Jurist and Law Magazine,
number 17, for July, 1833.

1834

Brackenridge, Henry Marie, 1786-1871.
Recollections of persons and places in the West. Philadelphia,

Cobb, Lyman, 1800-1864.
Cobb's explanatory arithmetick, no. 1 . . . By Lyman Cobb . . .

Cobb, Lyman, 1800-1864.
Cobb's sequel to the juvenile readers; comprising a selection of

Cobb was one of the first authors to conceive a graded series of readers. His first *Juvenile Reader* was published in 1830. The first *Sequel to the Juvenile Readers* in 1832.

Doddridge, P.

McClure, William B.
An address delivered at the Whig Festival, in the city of Pittsburgh, on the Fourth of July, 1834. [Pittsburgh] 1834. 21 p.

Murray, Lindley, 1745-1826.
Introduction to the English reader; or, A selection of pieces, in prose and poetry, calculated to improve the younger classes of learners in reading, and to imbue their minds with love of virtue. To which are added, rules and observations for assisting children to read with propriety. By Lindley Murray . . . Pittsburgh, Johnston & Stockton, 1834. 162 p.

This work was first published in 1801. The *Introduction* was to be used between a speller and *The English Reader* and to be followed by the *Sequel*.

Cobb, Lyman, 1800-1864.

His first speller was published in 1825.

Davis, J.
History of the Welsh Baptists, from the year sixty-three to the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy. Pittsburgh, D. M. Hogan, 1835. 204 p.

Front endpaper bears the book plate of R. Clark.

Merrick, S. V.
Report, upon an examination of some of the gas manufactories in
Great Britain, France, and Belgium, under a resolution passed by the select and common councils of the city of Philadelphia, January 2, 1834, authorising the gas committee to engage a competent person to proceed to Europe for the purpose of examining gas works, with a view of obtaining the best information as to the construction of works, the manner of manufacturing gas, and in general make such observations as may be useful, in the event of councils determining to adopt a plan for lighting the city with gas. Pittsburgh, D. M. Hogan, 1835. 32 p.

Thompson, Charles, fl. 1750.
Travels through Turkey in Asia, the Holy Land, Arabia, Egypt, and other parts of the world . . . By Charles Thompson . . . Pittsburgh, Printed by William D. Wilson, 1835. 496 p.

Veech, James, 1808-1879.
The beneficial influence of literary and scientific institutions. The annual oration before the alumni of Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa. Delivered September 23, 1835; the evening before the annual commencement. Pittsburgh, M. Maclean, printer, 1835. 16 p.

Williams, Thomas.

1836

Brackenridge, Henry Marie, 1786-1871.

Hull, J. H.
Lectures on the agreement and government of the English language; designed expressly for mutual or self instruction, in Lyceums, mechanic institutes, and families; also as a textbook for review in high schools, academies, and colleges. Containing exercises in syntax, critical notes and observations for advanced students: to which is added an appendix, with a brief lecture on rhetoric, logic, elocution, and epistolary composition. Pittsburgh, Johnston and Stockton, 1836. 178 p.
Presbyterian Church in the United States. Presbytery of Ohio.
The Presbytery of Ohio on the claims of the Christian Sabbath; a report read and adopted April 21, 1836, at a meeting of the Presbytery, held at Raccoon Church . . . Pittsburgh, Printed by William Allinder, 1836. 16 p.

1837
Harris' Pittsburgh business directory, Pittsburgh, 1837-1847.
Title and imprint vary. HSWP has a complete set of the five directories, 1837-1847.

Pressly, John T.
An address to the students of the Theological Seminary of the Associate Reformed Synod of the West, at the opening of the session, December 4, 1837. (Published at the request of the students.) Pittsburgh, William Allinder, 1837. 15 p.
HSWP has other addresses for the years: 1839-1842, 1846-1848.

Schabalie, John Philip.
The pilgrim soul; or, Dialogues between the pilgrim soul, and Adam, Noah, and Simon Cleophas. Comprising a history of the world, from the creation until the destruction of Jerusalem . . . 2d ed. Pittsburgh, Published by John Wilson, Printed by William Allinder, 1837. 312 p.

Wakefield, Samuel.

1838
Cleveland, Warren & Pittsburgh Railroad.
Proceedings of the Cleveland, Warren and Pittsburgh Rail Road convention, held in the City of Pittsburgh, on the 10th of January, 1838. Pittsburgh, Printed at the Daily Advocate Office, 1838. 18 p.

1839
Swift, Elisha Pope, 1792-1865.
Semi-centennial retrospect. A sermon, preached in the First Presbyterian Church, Allegheny, Pa., on the eighth of December, 1839, being the day appointed to be observed as the fiftieth anniversary since the meeting of the first general assembly of the Presbyterian


1840

Forward, Walter. Speech of Walter Forward to the Association of the Pittsburgh Board of Trade, on the occasion of the fifth anniversary. Pittsburgh, Printed at the Advocate Office, 1840. 16 p.


1841

Colored Freemen of Pennsylvania. Proceedings of the state convention of the Colored Freemen of Pennsylvania, held in Pittsburgh, on the 23d, 24th, and 25th of August, 1841, for the purpose of considering their condition, and means of its improvement. Pittsburgh, Printed by Matthew M. Grant, 1841. 16 p.

McCandless, Wilson. Annual address, delivered before the Board of Trade, of the city of Pittsburgh, on the 26th of January, 1841. Published by order of the Board of Trade. Pittsburgh, Printed by A. Jaynes, 1841. 34 p.


Riddle, D. H.
"The morning cometh"; Or, the watchman's voice. A discourse on the day of the National fast. Published at the request of the congregation. Pittsburgh, A. Jaynes, 1841. 28 p.

Smith, Edward.
Trial of the Rev. Edward Smith, before the Pittsburgh Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, at the conference of July, 1841: with the sermon on which the principal charge was mainly predicated. Pittsburgh, Printed by Matthew M. Grant, 1841. 80 p.

Williams, Thomas.

1842
Grant Street and Cherry Alley. The Common Council of the city of Pittsburgh having appointed a committee to take the advice of Messrs. Wilkins and Biddle on the long-pending difficulties as to Grant Street and Cherry Alley, the following letter was received from those gentlemen, and ordered, by a vote of Councils, to be printed. Pittsburgh, 27th August, 1842. 22 p.

Loomis, Augustus Ward, 1816-1891.
Annual address delivered before the Board of Trade of the city of Pittsburgh on 24th January, 1842. Pub. by order of the Board of Trade. Pittsburgh, Printed by A. Jaynes, 1842. 35 p.

Presbyterian Church of the United States.
The minutes of the convention of Ministers and elders from the Synods of Ohio, Wheeling, and Pittsburgh, convened at Pittsburgh, Nov. 17th, 1842. Pittsburgh, Wm. B. Stewart, 1842. 16 p.

1843
Bakewell, W. J.

McGill, Alexander T.
An inaugural address, delivered before the board of directors, at
their meeting in November, 1842. Pittsburgh, Published by Luke Loomis, Printed by A. Jaynes, 1843. 16 p.

Patterson, A. W.

History of the backwoods; or, the region of the Ohio: authentic, from the earliest accounts. Embracing many events, notices of prominent pioneers, sketches of early settlements, etc. Not heretofore published. Pittsburgh, 1843. 311 p.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

Address of the committee, appointed, April 9th, 1843, at a meeting of the general railroad committee, to correspond with the corporations of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, on the subject of a railroad from Pittsburgh to Cumberland, with proceedings of councils, Published by order of general committee. Pittsburgh, Printed by A. Jaynes, 1843. 24 p.

1844

American Republican Association of Allegheny County.


Popery and Puseyism: being two discourses prepared agreeable to a Resolution of the Synod of Pittsburgh of 1843; and preached before that Body, at Pittsburgh, September, 1844. By the Rev. Doctors Green and Magill. Pittsburgh, Published by order of the Synod, Luke Loomis, 1844. 103 p.

Williams, Thomas.

Address on the subject of the tariff, and the relation of the two great parties and their candidates thereto, delivered, by request, before the Clay Clubs of Allegheny and Pittsburgh: By Thomas Williams. Published by order of the clubs. Pittsburgh, Printed by George Parkin, 1844. 30 p.

1845

Burke, Andrew.

Address delivered before the Henry Baldwin Institute, on January 16th, 1845. The fifth anniversary, Published by order of the Institute. Pittsburgh, Johnston & Stockton, 1845. 18 p.

Foster, J. Heron.

A full account of the great fire at Pittsburgh, on the tenth day of
April, 1845; with individual losses, and contributions for relief. Compiled by J. Heron Foster. Pittsburgh, Published by J. W. Cook, 1845. 52, 16 p.

The last 16 pages consist entirely of advertisements with a few of the items illustrated. This account contains a map of Pittsburgh showing the area destroyed by the fire of 1845 and an illustration of the Monongahela House.

Gotteschalc.


Pittsburgh, her advantageous position and great resources, as a manufacturing and commercial city, embraced in a notice of sale of real estate. Pittsburgh, Johnston & Stockton, 1845. 40 p.

Swift, Elisha Pope, 1792-1865.

The calamity of Pittsburgh. A sermon, delivered in the First Presbyterian church, Allegheny city, April 24, 1845; being the day appointed by the mayor of said city, as a season of fasting, humiliation and prayer, in consequence of the appalling conflagration of a large portion of Pittsburgh, on the tenth of that month. By Rev. E. P. Swift . . . Allegheny (Pa.) Kennedy & brother, 1845. 27 p.

Upfold, George.

The last hundred years. A lecture delivered in the hall of the Western University of Pittsburgh . . . Feb. 4, 1845, at the request of the Philomathean literary institute, and published in aid of the library fund of that association, by George Upfold . . . Pittsburgh, Printed by G. Parkin, 1845. 62 p.

1846


Bigham, T. J.

Annual address, delivered before the Alumni Association of Jef-
ferson College, Canonsburg, on the 22d of September, 1846, the
evening before commencement. Published by order of the Asso-

Craft, James B.
Letter to Garrick Mallery, Esq. . . . As to the right of way from
Cumberland to Pittsburgh . . . Pittsburgh, March 10, 1846. Pitts-
burgh, Johnston & Stockton, 1846. 8 p.

Annual report of the president and managers to the Monongahela
Navigation Company . . . Pittsburgh, 1840-
Volumes in library of HSWP including 1860: 6th 1846; 8th 1848; 9th
1849; 11th 1851; 12th 1852; 13th 1853; 14th 1854; 15th 1855; 16th 1856;
17th 1857; 18th 1858; 19th 1859; 20th 1860.

The Olden time; a monthly publication, devoted to the preservation
of documents and other authentic information in relation to the
early explorations, and the settlement and improvement of the
country around the head of the Ohio. Edited by Neville Craig,

Rupp, Israel Daniel, 1803-1878.
Early history of western Pennsylvania, and of the West, and of
western expeditions and campaigns, from MDCCLIV to MD-
CCCXXXIII. By a gentleman of the bar. With an appendix,
containing, besides copious extracts from important Indian treaties,
minutes of the conferences, journals, etc., a topographical descrip-
tion of the counties of Allegheny, Westmoreland, Washington,
Somerset, Greene, Fayette, Beaver, Butler, Armstrong, etc. . . .
Pittsburg, Pa., D. W. Kauffman; Harrisburg, Pa., W. O. Hickok,
1846. 352 p.

Wakefield, Samuel.
The western harp: containing a collection of sacred music, original
and selected; and adapted to the use of worshiping assemblies in
general, together with a concise introduction to the art of singing.
Third edition, with valuable and large additions. By Samuel

By-laws of Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa. Pittsburgh, John-
ston & Stockton, 1846. 15 p.

This pamphlet contains two interesting engravings of contemporary scenes
in the village of Canonsburg and the grounds of the old Jefferson College.
Weaver, J. W.

1847

Ellmaker, Elias E.

Swift, Elisha Pope, 1792-1865.

1848

First published by Cramer's firm in 1816.

McHenry, James, 1785-1845.
The wilderness; or, Braddock's times. A tale of the West . . . Pittsburgh, M. P. Morse; Allegheny, J. B. Kennedy, 1848. 2 v. in 1.
In some earlier editions entitled "The wilderness; or the youthful days of Washington."

Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh.
Annual report of the managers of Western Pennsylvania Hospital. Pittsburgh, 1848-
With this is also bound: Rules and regulations of Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, 1853, 17 p., and 1857, 26 p.
Title and publisher vary. All these reports were printed in Pittsburgh with the exception of 1857 which was published in Harrisburg.
Library of HSWP has annual reports for following years: 1st 1848, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853-4, 1855-6, 1857, 1858.

1849

Allegheny Cemetery, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Annual reports of the managers of the Allegheny Cemetery, to-
gether with the charter of the corporation; its rules, regulations, lot holders, &c. . . . Pittsburgh, 1849-
HSWP has: 1st ed. 1849 and 2d ed. 1857.

Howard, W. D.
God's goodness, and our ingratitude. A discourse delivered in the Second Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, August 3d, 1848; the day appointed by the President of the United States, as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer, on account of the prevalence of the cholera. Pittsburgh, M'Millin & Shryock, 1849. 21 p.

McEwen, William, 1734-1762.
First edition, 1763, has the title: Grace and truth.

1850

Black, Samuel W.

Courtney, Margaret.
The poetical works of Margaret Courtney. Pittsburgh, Published by John L. Arthurs, 1850. 306 p.

Pittsburgh directory, for 1850; containing the names of the inhabitants of Pittsburgh, Allegheny, & vicinity, their occupation, places of business and dwelling house; also, a list of the public offices, banks, &c. Pittsburgh, Parkin, 1850.
Known as Fahnestock's directory. This directory contains a number of interesting illustrations of early Pittsburgh and a large street map of the city, 19¾" x 24¾".

1851

Craig, Neville B., 1787-1863.
The history of Pittsburgh, with a brief notice of its facilities of communication, and other advantages for commercial and manufacturing purposes. With two maps. By Neville B. Craig, esq. Pittsburgh, J. H. Mellor, 1851. 312 p.
The first formal history of Pittsburgh. Reprinted with some corrections in 1917 under the editorship of George T. Fleming.

Welling, D. S.
Information for the people; or the asylums of Ohio, with miscel-

1852

Loomis, A. W.

Shiras, Charles P.
The redemption of labor, and other poems. Pittsburgh, Published by W. H. Whitney, 1852. 120 p.

Woodward & Rowlands' Pittsburgh Directory for containing the names of inhabitants of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, their occupations, places of business, and dwelling houses; also, a list of public buildings, offices, &c. with other useful information. Pittsburgh, W. S. Haven, 1852.

Library of HSWP has: 1852.

1854

Allison, James.

Black, Jeremiah Sullivan, 1810-1883.
Address delivered before the Agricultural Society of Somerset County, at its annual exhibition, October 6, 1854. Pittsburgh, The Society, 1854. 16 p.

Craig, Neville B.

Foster, J. Heron.
The trial of David H. Hazen, Esq., Absalom Morris, Daniel T. Lawson, and David F. Davis in the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, Penna., on charges of conspiracy, arising from their instituting suits for violating of the 48th and 49th sections of the act of April 16, 1850, commonly called the small note law
Pennsylvania. General Assembly.


Williams, Thomas.
Address delivered before the Miami Union Literary Society of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, June 28, 1854. Pittsburgh, Printed by W. S. Haven, 1854. 38 p.

1855

Hoffmann, John M.

The library of the HSWP has another juvenile text printed by Backofen which is undated: *Fidel oder Erstes Lesebuch fur Kinder in deutschen Elementar— und Sonntagschulen.* Pittsburg, Backofen, n. d. 46 p.

Jacobus, Melancthon W.
The book of books. A discourse delivered before the Pittsburgh Young Men's Christian Association, on the First Sabbath Evening in April, 1855. Pittsburgh, Young Men's Christian Association, Printed by W. S. Haven, 1855. 23 p.

Osgood, Lucius.
... Osgood's progressive first- [fifth] reader ... By Lucius Osgood. Pittsburgh, A. H. English & co. [1855-58]

Library of HSWP has: 1st reader, 1855; 2d, 1855; 3rd, n.d.; 4th, 1856. The Osgood readers were more popular in Western Pennsylvania than the McGuffey readers.
1856

Jacobus, Melancthon W.
The Apostolic rule of preaching and ministering. A sermon preached before the Synod of Pittsburgh, October 21st, 1856, in the First Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh. Published at the request of the Synod. Pittsburgh, J. S. Davison, 1856. 26 p.

[Schaad, John Christian.]
Ocean waves in lyric strains, a requiem; and other poems. By the hermit of St. Eirene ... Pittsburgh, W. S. Haven, 1856. 88 p.

Swift, Elisha Pope, 1792-1865.
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