And you thought opera was tragic.

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As Others See Us

...Quotes about Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania

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Pittsburg [sic]... is, without exception, the blackest place which I ever saw.... The tops of the churches are visible, and some of the larger buildings may be partially traced through the thick, brown, settled smoke. But the city itself is buried in a dense cloud.... I cannot say that I saw the sun set, for there was no sun. I should say that the sun never shone at Pittsburg.

— English novelist Anthony Trollope, North America: Volume 2 (1862), chapter IV: Washington to St. Louis