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ICE BONDS BURSTING.

Property Endangered by Melting Ice and Swollen Rivers.

Twelve Barges and a Steamer Torn from Their Fastenings in Pennsylvania—People Driven from Their Homes by the Water.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 1.—The ice on the Youghiogheny and Upper Monongahela rivers has broken up. River men generally had made preparations for the protection of their property, but, notwithstanding their precautions, considerable damage was done.

In this city there has been no damage as yet, but the crews are rising rapidly, and the prospects are that the lower part of the town will be under water.

From Burgetstown comes the report that many families were driven out of their homes and that many houses were ruined.

At West Newton and Bradford the Baltimore and Ohio railroad tracks are covered with water and trains are greatly delayed.

At Williamsport, Feb. 1.—Fully three feet of snow covers the ground throughout the entire mountain region.

The Susquehanna is covered from the Chesapeake to its source with ice ranging in thickness from fourteen to twenty inches.

The point where immense ice jams generally form in the river when a break-up takes place, is at a short distance above Fairdale.

At present the ice is gorged here for miles to the depth of six or eight feet.

Superintendent Westfall, of the Eastern division of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, is already making preparations to combat the great ice barrier, in case the jam occurs.

A Destructive Ice Gorge.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 31.—At dark the ice bridges across the Mississippi river broke and the great mass commenced moving from a point just below the bridge.

The bill was finally reported to the house, after several attempts to kill it by amendments had been defeated.

Gen. Hancock at Home.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Gen. Hancock has again settled down at his quarters on Governor's Island, and has been decidedly improved by his jaunt through the west and south.

A Monument to Paine.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The frothing of this city celebrated the 17th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Paine, at the German Masonic Temple.

A Comparatively Small Event.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—B. H. Lander, who was dismissed from the service as post office inspector, from reports received obtained over a thousand dollars from various postmasters under false pretenses.

TO REINSTATE PORTER.

Text of the Bill Passed by the House after an Excited Debate.

Gov. Curtin's Brilliant Peroration—Fighting the Memorable Battle All Over Again—Gen. Garfield's Position in the Case.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Gen. Fitz-John Porter has at last been vindicated, the bill to restore him to his position in the army having passed its biggest stumbling block by a vote of 184 to 78.

"He is enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled; That the president be, and he hereby is, authorized to nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, to appoint Fitz-John Porter, late a major general of the United States' volunteers and a brevet brigadier general and colonel of the army, to the position of colonel in the army of the United States, of the same grade and rank held by him at the time of his dismissal from the army by sentence of court martial, promulgated January 27, 1862, and to place on the retired list of the army as of that grade, the retired list being hereby increased in number to that extent; and all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are suspended for this purpose only; but this act shall not be construed as authorizing pay, compensation or allowance prior to the passage of this act."

"The house dispensed with its morning session and devoted the day to debate upon the bill. Mr. Wolford, of Kentucky, speaking in support of the bill, said he hoped that no man who had served in the confederate army had got so angry over the fight that night as he had."

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LOSS AND GAIN.

Chapter I. "I was taken sick a year ago with bilious fever."

"My doctor pronounced me cured, but I got sick again, with terrible pains in my back and sides, and I got so bad I could not move! I shrunk! From 225 pounds to 120! I had been doctoring for my liver, but did me no good. I did not expect to live more than three months. I began to use Hop Bitters. Directly my appetite returned, my pains left me, my entire system seemed renewed as if by magic, and using several bottles I am not only sound as a roper but weigh more than I did before. To Hop Bitters I owe my life!"

Dublin, June 6, '81. R. FITZPATRICK.

Chapter II.

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