# Pittsburgh Gazette.

FRIDAY MORNING: .....APRIL 8, 1864.


## CITY AND SUBURBAN.

### Arrivals and Departures of Trains.

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL.

| Departs. | | Arrives. | |
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| Thro' Acm'n | 3:50 a m | Bald'n Exp's | 12:50 p m |
| Thro' Mail | 8:30 a m | Phila. do | 1:20 p m |
| Thro' Express | 4:22 p m | fast Line | 1:30 a m |
| Fast Line | 8:35 p m | Thro' Mail | 1:00 a m |
| Johnst'n Acm'n | 3:00 p m | Johnst'n Acm'n | 10:05 a m |
| 1st Wall stat'n | 6:30 a m | 1st Wall sta's | 6:25 a m |
| 2d do | 11:50 a m | 2d do | 8:35 a m |
| 3d do | 3:50 p m | 3d do | 1:55 p m |
| 4th do | 4:00 p m | 4th do | 6:05 p m |

The Church Train leaves Wall Station (on Sunday) at 9:05 a m; returns at 12:45 p m.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO.

| Departs. | | Arrives. | |
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| Fast Line | 1:45 a m | Chicago Exp's | 9:20 a m |
| Express | 1:45 p m | Phila. do | 2:10 p m |
| Mail Train | 6:30 a m | Cin'ti do | 7:40 p m |
| Alliance Acm'n | 2:15 p m | Crestline Mail | 7:00 p m |

The New Brighton Accommodation leaves Allegheny Station at 9:15 a m, 12:00 m, 4:30 p m, 5:40 p m. Returning, leaves (New Brighton Station at 5:50 a m, 7:00 a m, 12:30 p m, and 5:00 p m.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE.

| Departs. | | Arrives. | |
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| Mail | 7:55 a m | Mail | 6:00 p m |
| Express | 3:00 p m | Express | 10:00 a m |
| 1st M'Keesport | 11:00 a m | 1st M'Keesport | 7:00 p m |
| 2d do | 6:15 p m | 2d do | 2:05 p m |
| Port Perry | 7:30 a m | Port Perry | 8:30 a m |
| Braddock's | 6:15 p m | Braddock's | 5:40 p m |

The Sunday Train to and from M'Keesport leaves at 1:00 p m, and arrives at 10 a m.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY.

| Departs. | | Arrives. | |
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| Mail | 7:00 a m | Mail | 7:00 p m |
| Express | 3:00 p m | Express | 8:35 a m |
| Accommodation | 4:00 p m | Accommodation | 8:15 a m |

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH.

| Departs. | | Arrives. | |
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| Cincinnati | 1:45 a m | Mail | 3:50 p m |
| | 1:45 p m | Cincin. Ex'ps | 8:05 p m |
| Wheeling | 6:20 a m | do | 2:10 a m |
| Steubenville | 1:20 a m | Steubenville Ac | 10:00 a m |
| Cleveland | 1:45 a m | | |
| do | 1:45 p m | | |

### Shocking Accident to a Young Woman.

On Wednesday morning, about half past eight o'clock, a terrible accident happened to Miss Mary White, a young woman residing near Industry Station, on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad. She got on the Mail train, at Beaver, and rode down to Industry, where the mail runs upon a siding to await the passing of the upward bound Accommodation. The young woman got out upon the track, but as soon as she had stepped from the platform, a gentleman who was sitting in the car, and who was acquainted with her, raised the window and told her to "look out," as the other train was momentarily expected. She did not seem to hear him, and the next moment the locomotive of the Accommodation train was upon her, moving slowly up, as it also stops at the station. The woman, in endeavoring to get off the track, tripped and fell, with both legs lying across the rail. The cow-catcher caught her clothing, and rolled her over once or twice, when the two small wheels in front of the driving wheel passed over her legs, severing them both about midway between the knee and ankle. The engine stopped before the driving wheel reached the body.

The gentleman who sat at the window, in the other train, and who witnessed the accident, states that the engine was moving at so slow a rate of speed, that he could distinctly hear the bones crunching beneath the wheels. The cries of the poor woman were heart rending, and although a number of men stood close by, they were so appalled that they could not render any assistance. In a few moments, however, a gentleman approached her, and wrapping her skirts around her limbs, called for assistance and had her removed. The feet were held only by a few shreds of the muscles of the leg, which had not been severed. She exclaimed: "O! you have murdered me; you have murdered me!" She was conveyed to a hotel, where medical aid was promptly rendered. Amputation was of course necessary, but we have not learned whether she survived the operation or not.

The gentleman from whom we obtain these facts, states that the Accommodation train approached the station without blowing the whistle or ringing the bell, either of which might have attracted the attention of the girl, and saved her from injury. Approaching a station in this way, without a note of warning, and when passengers are leaving another train, is certainly censurable, and if the facts are as alleged the engineer should be promptly discharged. The case is one which calls for investigation on the part of the officers of the road.

### Blasted Martyrdom.

The terrible death of Maggie Baer, the "lager beer girl," who was shot dead in a private box at the Continental theatre, Philadelphia, by an insane "lover," because she had abandoned him and received the attentions of another, has created an unusual feeling among her own class, and a considerable sum has been raised to give a splendid funeral. The *North American* says:

"The proprietors of the theatre where the murder took place, it is said, have made a very handsome contribution, and an enthusiastic soldier who had known the girl in her life-time gave a carte blanche order to the undertaker to make for her an ostentatious display. A rosewood coffin has been prepared, to be covered with superfine cloth and mounted with silver ornaments. At the undertaker's the body is to lie in state, and carriages sufficient to convey to the cemetery all her late sisters in iniquity are to be provided, to secure a large attendance. In doing this, people forget that the beer girl drew on to ruin a young man who now awaits his death in a lonely prison cell. They forget that this young man, for the sake of the Continental syren, abandoned his aged parents, and because it did not yield sufficient money for the demands upon his purse, relinquished an honest calling for the avocation of a gambler. The lager beer girl, who cared for the unfortunate wretch only as his purse was distended will have magnificent obsequies."

### Great Experiment in Gunnery.

As our citizens are greatly interested in the manufacture of heavy ordnance, they will of course be pleased to hear of their successful working when put to practical tests. A naval officer at New York has received a letter from Wilmington, stating that the immense charge of fifty pounds of powder had been successfully fired on board of the Sangus. This fact leaves no doubt of the feasibility of working the great gun, and justifies the assumption that the experiment is successful. This is one of the most important events connected with the organization of our iron-clad navy. We believe this is the first time in the history of naval affairs that so large a charge has been placed in a gun on ship-board. When the 11-inch gun was first fired on the Monitor, the twelve or fifteen pounds of powder was considered revolutionary, and subsequently the thirty pound placed in a Dahlgren gun excited wonder all over the world. The latter, with fifty pounds of powder, will be, probably, the most formidable weapon in any navy. The Sangus, which has two such guns, will be able to do more damage than any four of the Monitors now off Charleston.

NARROW ESCAPE.—On Tuesday a man named Sweeny, a boarder at the Farmer's Friend Tavern, on Penn street, while eating dinner, made a very narrow escape from being choked to death. He was eating a piece of meat, and on attempting to swallow, it lodged in his throat, all efforts to get it down proving unavailing. As soon as possible Dr. M'Donald was called in, but before he arrived, life was apparently extinct. The physician, however, succeeded in removing the meat from its lodging place, and although restoratives were immediately applied, it was fully an hour before any signs of life were perceptible. Sweeny is now lying in a very critical condition.

ERIE & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.—The Erie *Dispatch* says: A largely increased business will make it necessary to soon place an additional passenger and freight train on this road. Coal trains are now running regularly to Middlesex, Mercer county, and the construction from that point to New Castle is in an advanced state. When this part of the road gets into the hands of the track layers, Messrs. Ousement and Clayton, it will not be long before it will be completed, and this party always finishes up a road as fast as the iron can be delivered.

BRIDGEWILLE RAILROAD BRIDGE.—The work on the Steubenville railroad bridge across the Monongahela river is being pushed forward. The span over the Connellsville railroad is already in its place, and the work on the other spans will be shortly commenced. Two of the piers and the abutment on the South side are not yet finished, but are progressing satisfactorily.

THE NEW NICKELS.—There will soon be an abundant supply of new cents. The present small nickel cent weighs seventy-two grains, and contains eighty per cent. of copper and twenty of nickel. The new cent will weigh only forty-eight grains, and will consist of ninety-five per cent. of copper and five per cent. of tin.

### Homicide at a Wedding.

On Sunday evening, a young man named Jno. Shoemaker, was killed by another named Rouchelander, both of Randolph township, Crawford county, under the following circumstances: Rouchelander had been married on that day, and in the evening a number gathered around his house to engage in a "serenade," as is the custom in some communities, composed of all manner of hideous noises. In this amusement, Shoemaker, as we understand, was not engaged, but was inside of the house, being a particular friend of Rouchelander. About 11 o'clock several of the serenaders entered the house, which so incensed Rouchelander that he seized a stick of firewood and aimed a blow at one of them, which being evaded, struck the deceased upon the head, from the effects of which he died the same night. Rouchelander was committed to jail on Tuesday.

### The Criminal Court.

The following cases were disposed of this forenoon by Judge Sterrett:

John Taggart, charged with forcible entry and detainer, on oath of Nicholas Trimmer, was declared guilty. Sentence deferred.

Sarah Snyder, alias Fannie Burke, was convicted of perjury, in swearing that she had no connection with a certain man named Chas. Hoffman, who was tried for adultery last week and convicted. Sentence deferred.

Susan Ulrich, who was also a witness for the defense, in the Hoffman case, was arraigned upon a similar charge, having sworn to other facts alleged to have been false. The jury found a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was remanded for sentence.

CORRECTION.—We have received a note from Mr. H. W. Cimiotti in which he states that the watch which was reported to have been stolen from his office by C. H. Coffin, late sutler at Camp Copeland, has been returned to him by another party, and he wishes to relieve Mr. Coffin from the accusation. We are informed that the party returning the watch states that he found it in his pocket the next morning, but cannot account for the manner in which it came into his possession.

TWO MEN KILLED.—Nathan Sugar and Thos. Bulloch, whilst sinking a shaft at Moselem Ore Mines of Messrs. Hunter & Peacock, near Leesport, in Berks county, were killed on Thursday night, at about 11 o'clock. It appears one of the buckets unhooked and fell down the shaft, killing the two unfortunate men. Sugar was instantly killed. Bulloch lived about fifteen minutes after being taken out.

A RIDE ON A RAIL.—The Reading *Journal* states that Philip Huber, of Golden Circle renown, was treated to a ride on a rail by some veteran soldiers in the vicinity of Reamstown, Berks county, on last Monday. The affair happened at a vendue, and occasioned considerable excitement. Except the indignity, and a little rough handling, Huber was not injured.

IN A FILTHY CONDITION.—The attention of the Street Commissioner is directed to the filthy condition of Irwin's alley, between Liberty and Penn streets. There are other avenues of travel in equally bad condition, and now that warm weather is approaching, the authorities should set to work and have them cleaned.

THE small-pox has become so prevalent in the mining districts of Northumberland county that it was deemed prudent to adjourn court, which met in Sunbury last week. The jurors were discharged, and the civil suits continued until next term.

RELIEF MONEY.—The Relief Board of the Second Ward, Allegheny, will pay the amount due to the respective families entitled to the same, on Saturday morning next, at the school house, between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock.

SCOTCH FIVER.—This so called disease broke out in Herrick township, Susquehanna county, last week, and sixteen persons died within a few days. Six members of one family, and four of another, were among the victims.

TO BE PAID OFF.—We understand that the 102d veteran regiment, at present in this city, will be paid off to morrow. The pay rolls have been made out, and the Paymaster is expected to arrive in the city this evening.

FINED.—Mayor Alexander fined John Thornton five dollars and costs this morning, for depositing filth on the Commons, contrary to a city law.

SAM'L WRIGHT, Esq., late editor of the Columbia (Pa.) *Spy*, has been appointed an Assistant Adjutant General with the rank of Captain.

DR. J. M. LINDSEY, the inventor of Blood-Searcher, can be seen at Fulton's drug store, where he is preparing Blood-Searcher.


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REMOVAL.

FRANK VAN GORDER,

Produce and Commission Merchant, has removed to No. 19 SMITHFIELD STREET, corner of First. ap2s

REMOVAL.—Alderman J. DONALDSON has removed his office from No. 55 St. Clair street to JACKSON'S BLOCK, next door to the Waiting Room of the Citizens Passenger Railway, Penn street. mh26


## COMMERCIAL RECORD.

### PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

[Reported Expressly for the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

THURSDAY, April 7, 1864.

GRAIN—There is but very little Wheat offering, and the market is inactive and prices are unchanged. We continue to quote at $1,30 for Red and $1,35 for White. Corn is firm, with a brisk demand and higher; last sales on track were at from $1,16 to $1,20 for new and old. Oats—sale of 1 car, sacked, at 83c; also, small sales from store at 85@87c. Barley is nominal at $1,20 for Spring and $1,40 for Fall. Rye—last sale at $1,35—on track.

PROVISIONS—The demand for Pork continues fair and the market is firm, while prices are gradually advancing. We continue to quote at 22c for Shoulders; 12@12½c for Ribbed Sides, and 12½@13½c for Clear do; 14½@14½c for Plain Hams; and 15½@16c for Sugar Cured. Canvassed Hams sold at 17c and quoted at from 17 to 17½c. There is a moderate local demand for Lard at 14c. Mess Pork—Small sales at $23,50@24.

GROCERIES—The grocery market continues very much excited and unsettled, and prices have again advanced. Brown Sugars are now held at from 18 to 20c for Cuba and New Orleans. Refined Sugars are also higher, but it is impossible to give quotations. It is rumored that Crushed sold at 25c in New York. Coffee has again advanced, with small sales at 42@45c. New crop New Orleans Molasses are held at the even dollar. Syrups range all the way from $1,00 to $1,40; sale to the trade of 40 bbls common "Extra Golden" at $1,00.

WISH—There is but little inquiry for Mackerel, though prices remain unchanged. Sales of 100 half bbls Lake Herring at $5,00 and 50 half bbls White Fish at $7,75.

FLOUR—The demand for this article continues light and the market is quiet and unchanged. We note small sales at $6,75@6,90 for Spring Wheat Extra Family and $7,00@7,25 for Winter Wheat do.

CHEESE—Steady, with sales of Western and English Dairy at 15@15½c.

SEEDS—There is an improved demand for Clover Seed, and prices have advanced; several sales on speculation, were made at $7,00@7,10; but the regular dealers are asking from $8,25 to $8,50. Flax Seed is firm with a good demand and full little offering, at $2,80@2,85. Timothy Seed is unchanged.

BUTTER & EGGS—Butter is steady, with regular sales at from 34 to 42c for common to prime Roll. Eggs in fair demand at 22c.

POTATOES—Sale on track of 1 car "Peach Blows" at 85c per bushel.

HAY—Firm with sales of loose at $23@30 and baled at $30@32.

DRIED FRUIT—Sales at 9½@10c for Apples and 16@17c for Peaches.

WHISKY—Common is excited and higher; holders are asking from $1,00 to $1,10 per gallon.

FREIGHTS—Are steady; we hear of 1 Extra, from store, at $2,25 per bbl.

### Pittsburgh Petroleum Market.

APRIL 7.—There is a continued fair demand and shipping demand for Crude, and while the general tone of the market is firmness, there is no perceptible change in prices. Quotations may be fairly given at 23¾@23 in bulk and 24@24½c in bbls; sales of 149,200 and 100 bbls at 23c; 300 bbls, in lots, at 28; 300 do at 28½c and 150 "Tight Barrels" at 27½c. Refined is quiet but very firm at full rates—45 to 46c, in bond, and 55@56c, free. There is a good Western demand for small lots of free oil, say from 25 to 50 bbls, at an advance of from 2 to 3c above our quotations. Naphtha is steady with a demand in excess of the supply; we quote at from 23 to 25c. Residuum remains about as last quoted.

The receipts by the Allegheny river, during the twenty-four hours ending last last evening, are as follows:

Jas Wilkins, 150 bbls; Brewer, Burke & co, 34; Fisher & Bros, 127; Strickler & Baxter, 180—total, 792 bbls.

### New York Petroleum Market.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, April 7.—There is a moderate demand for Refined in bond, and prices are firm but unchanged; sales on the spot at 55c, and 55c, for April and May delivery. Free Oil is firm, with a fair demand at 61@62c on the spot, and 62½@64 for future delivery. The market for Crude is dull and heavy, but holders, in order to effect sales, seem unwilling to make concessions; the nominal quotation, on the spot, is 32c. There is a moderate demand for Naptha, but prices are a shade lower; sales of refined at 31c.

### Bull Creek Oil Region.

A friend who visited, last week, the Horse Neck Oil Region, commonly known by the name of Bull Creek Oil Region, and situated in Pleasant's county, West Virginia, twenty miles from Parkersburg, and five miles from the Ohio river, on a branch of Bull creek, informs us that the excitement about the great Gilfillen flowing well increases daily and hundreds of persons are visiting it. The company owning the well are erecting three large wooden cisterns capable of holding twelve hundred barrels each. The pipe conducting the oil from the well is so plugged as to leave an orifice of a half inch for the oil to flow out. On Wednesday morning last this half inch stream was turned into cistern number one, and in three days and nights it was brimming full. Surrounding the well are a number of pits with an aggregate area of an acre now filled with oil to the depth of ten feet. A quantity of oil upon tapping the oil stratum, flowed off into Horse Neck Run and was lost, and the pits were therefore dug for retaining a portion of the flowing flood of oil, which could not by a y means be entirely restrained. Experienced oil men assert that if the well was permitted to flow to its full capacity its yield would be from twelve to fifteen hundred barrels a day.

We have also learned from an interested party that one half of the Gilfillen flowing well has been sold to a company of eastern capitalists for ninety thousand dollars.—*Wheeling Intelligencer.*

### New York Grocery Market.

[From the Post, April 6.]

Coffee—Continues firm with a moderate business. Sales of 200 bags St. Domingo at 39¾c. Stock of Rio and Santos Coffee on the 5th of April, 1864, 25,115; Java do do, mats, 5,560, do do, cov. bags, 1,333; 11,913; Maracaibo do do, 2,850; Laguayra do do 3,500; St Domingo do do, 200. Total mats and bags, 42,476.

Molasses—The supply is only moderate, and with a good demand prices are decidedly better. Sales of 30 hhds Porto Rico at 47c; 50 hhds Cuba at 45c, and New Orleans at 83@84 per gallon.

Rice—Is firm but quiet. We quote at 8¾@9½c. The stock on hand is 9,402 bags cleaned East India and 1 500 mats and bags uncleaned do.

Sugar—Raw continues firm and in fair demand at 18¾@19½c for fair to good refining. Sales of 600 hhds Cuba at 19¾@19¾, brown New Orleans 17a18¾, common clarified do 19a19¾, and New Orleans (not Clair white) at 21½c. Refined are also firmer at 23 for hards.

Fish—Dry Cod are more active and firmer. Sales of 3 800 qtl St George, here to arrive, at $7—there is now but one bid under $7.25—and 1,000 do Grand Bank at $6 50. Mackerel are also in better demand and prices have advanced. Sales of 8,000 bbls at $16,50 for No 1 Bays, $12,25 for No 2 do; $11,25 for Nead Shore, and $8 for No 3 do. Smoked Herrings are in demand; some 12,000 boxes changed hands at 45c for small and 55c for No 1. Pickled Herrings are plenty and dull.

### New York Provision Market.

APRIL 6—There is still a very good demand for pork, and prices are decidedly firmer.

For future delivery we note 2,500 bbls new mess: seller's option, May, at $24,25 and 1,000 bbls prime mess, seller's option, May, at $23.

The sales on the spot are 3,000 bbls at $22,75@22.87½ for old mess; $24,25@24,50 for new mess; $21.-50@21.62½ new prime mess; $24,25@25 for western prime mess.

Beef is quiet, but without essential change in price. Sales of 300 bbls at $14@16 for plain mess, and $16,25 @18 for extra do.

Tierce beef is inactive.

Beef hams are fairly active at full prices Sales of 350 bbls at 24,00 for western.

Cut meats are in good demand and prices are firmer. Sales of 1,000 packages at 10½@11c for shoulders—the latter rate for sweet pickled, and 14@14½c for hams—the latter rate extra.

Bacon is in pretty good demand and firm. Sales of 2000 boxes at 11¾@11½c for Cumberland cut; 12½c for Shoulders; 12½c for short ribbed and 13½c for short clear.

Lard is steady and in good demand. Sales of 3000 bbls and tcs at 13¾@13½c for old and 13½@13¾c for new.

### St. Louis Tobacco Market.

April 4.—The market was very steady and firm during the first three days of the week; and on Thursday it was stiff at an advance of 25a30c on logs and 50c to $2 per 100 lbs on leaf; since then steady and prices fully sustained. Sales of the week number 552 hhds, as follows: 94 hhds Missouri, 94 hhds including 4 stems at $5 2 scraps at $2,40a2,90; 8 green and damaged lugs at $1,70a2; 350 hhds Factory do at $5,10a6,10; 9 plantation do, at $7 to $9; 5 common shipping leaf at $9,50 to $16, 3 medium do at $14,70 to $17,00; and 1 common manufacturing leaf at $20,75 and 9 bxes at $4,60 to $14,10 per 100 lbs. Rejected bids of the week, 921 hhds. Very little fine tobacco has been sold this week. Of the sales over 2 hhds at $40; 1 at 40,50 and 1 at $42,25 per 100 lbs.

### Philadelphia Fish and Seed Market.

April 5.—There is a better feeling in the market, and more disposition to operate—$17, $11 and $8 ⅌ bbl being offered and refused for the three numbers of Shore Mackeral; and 50c ⅌ bbl more asked. Store prices are also better. Herring are quoted at $4,50 @5 for Eastport, and $5,50@7 ⅌ bbl for Labrador. Dry Cod are firmly held at $6 ⅌ qtl.

Seeds—There is very little Clover Seed offering or selling, and the market is firm but quiet at $7,25a 7,50 ⅌ bush. Timothy is unsettled, and quoted at $2,50@3 ⅌ bush, but we hear of a sale the particulars of which are not made public. Flaxseed comes in slowly, and finds more ready sale at $3,25 ⅌ bush.

### Imports by Railroad.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD April 7.—87 sks mill feed, 80 sks corn, Hitchcock, McCrory & co; 6 bbls dry apples, Sprister & Lister; 1 pkg gundries, J F Scott; 253 bgs malt, Josh Rhodes; 20 sks barley, Speicer & McKay; 1000 pcs bulk meat, F Sellers & co; 1 car reapers, Isaiah Dickey; 8 bbls glue, Waring & King; 50 bbls whisky, J T Colvin; 2 bbls butter, John Dash, 11 bbls apples, C H Dierker; 45 bxs soap, D L Fahnestock & co; 12 do do, J Painter; 25 do do, J Ross; 3 bbls eggs, 8 do apples, L H Volgt & co; 6 sks potatoes, White & bro, 14 sks flax seed, W Adams; 24 pkgs yarn, H Gerwig & co; 45 sks potatoes, J Glow; 4650 pcs bulk meat, F Sellers & co; 30 tcs hams, McDonald & Arbuckle; 6 hhds shoulders, Shomaker & Lang.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R., April 7.—100 bbls flour, Seghmyer & Vockamp; 30 pkgs fish, J Mills; 210 tar buckets, T J Orr & co; 236 sks rye, Thos Moore; 158 bbls apples, Culp & Shepard; 40 do tobacco, Shomaker & Lang; 25 do do, Mortland & Connor; 107 bdls chairs, F G Walker, 10 bxs coffee, H W Rankin; 25 pkgs fish, Watt & Wilson; 8 do tobacco, O Cyrer; 30 do do, Means & Coffin; 15 do do, S Ewart & co; 56 pkgs pearl barley, Wm Haslage; 8 bxs cheese, H Riddle; 25 bxs pearl barley, E Hopkins; 10 bbls apples, Shomaker & Lang; 7 do do, O C Baisley; 25 sks oats, B McVicker; 189 bgs barley, W W Anderson; 35 pkgs molasses, J Frazier; 1 bbl do, Shuts, son & co; 248 sks oats, McNeam & Rogers; 142 bbls apples, L H Volgt & co; 60 pkgs fish, Grover & Lazear; 50 do do, S Ewart & co; 50 do do, Robinson & co; 7 bales hay, J W Strasburg; 37 bbls apples, F Vanpurder; 30 bxs cheese, Potter, Aiken & Sargent, 25 bbls tobacco, Mortland & Connor; 4 bbls dry apples, Lewis & Bickard; 3 bxs cheese, J Dodds; 125 bbls potatoes, P Gibbons; 187 bgs corn, Thos; 240 do oats.

### New Revenue Bill.

The Ways and Means Committee intend to report the new Revenue bill on Thursday next. No definite decision has yet been reached respecting the amount of tax to be imposed on distilled spirits, tobacco or petroleum. The Committee are divided upon this matter, a majority, however, favoring heavy taxation. The secretary of the Treasury urges upon them, in a recent communication, to impose a tax upon all articles that can stand it, carefully seeing that a general bill which they will bring in will be certain to issue a large additional increase of revenue.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

### Imports by River.

ST. LOUIS—PER ARGONAUT No 2—700 bbls flour, 150 do hams, 54 do lard, 183 sks flax seed, Clark & co; 200 hides, Chesnut & Delange; 1502 bloems, Singer, Nimick & co; 35 tons metal, Graff, Bennett & co; 15 bbls oil—B A Fahnestock & co; 1 sack corn, Dan Wallace; 35 bbls clay, Collins & Wright; 55 do sand, E D Ditbridge; 564 oil bbls Jas Wilkins; 49 carboys, Jas Irwin; 60 pigs lead, Bryce, Richards & co; 14 pkgs copper, O G Hussey & co.

## OFFICIAL.

### LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES

*Passed at the First Session of the Thirty-eighth Congress.*

[PUBLIC—No. 8.]

AN ACT authorizing the holding of a special session of the United States District Court for the District of Indiana.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That a special session of the United States District Court for the District of Indiana shall be holden at the usual place of holding said court on the second Tuesday in March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That suits and proceedings of a civil criminal nature, now pending in or returnable to said court, shall be proceeded in, heard, tried and determined by said court at said special session; in the same manner as at a regular term of said court, and the judge thereof is hereby empowered to order the empanelling of a petit jury for said session, but not a grand jury. And no case shall be considered which stands continued to the May term by order of the court.

Approved February 12, 1864.

[PUBLIC—No. 9]

AN ACT making an appropriation for rebuilding the stable of the President.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to enable the Commissioner of Public Buildings to cause the stable at the President's to be re-built forthwith.

Approved February 13, 1864

[PUBLIC—No. 10]

AN ACT amendatory of and supplementary to "An act to provide circuit courts for the districts of California and Oregon, and for other purposes," approved March thirty, eighteen hundred and sixty three.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the term of the circuit court of the United States for the districts in California shall be held in the city of San Francisco, in said State, on the first Monday of February, and on the second Monday of June, and on first Monday of October, of each year; and in the city of Monterey, in said State, on the first Monday of June, and the first Monday of April, and on the second Monday of August, and on the first Monday of December, of each year; and that a term of said circuit court for the State of Oregon shall be held at the city of Portland, in said State, on the first Monday of January, and on the first Monday of May, and on the 8 st Monday of September, of each year.

SEC 2 *And be it further enacted*, That whenever the circuit judge is absent, or, from any cause, in unable to hold a term of the circuit court as above provided, it shall be the duty of the district judge of the district to hold such term. No term of the circuit court in one district of the tenth circuit shall be deemed to be ended from the commencement of a term in another district. A circuit court may be held in the different districts at the same time.

SEC 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the circuit judge of said tenth circuit may, at his discretion, appoint special sessions of the circuit court, to be held at the places where the stated sessions thereof are to be holden, as provided in this act by an order under his hand and seal, addressed to the marshal and clerk of said court, at least fifteen days previous to the day fixed for the commencement of such special sessions, which order shall be published by the marshal in one or more of the gazettes or newspapers within the district where such sessions are to be holden. At such special sessions it shall be competent for the said court to entertain jurisdiction of and hear and decide all cases in equity, cases in error, or on appeal, issues of law, motions in arrest of judgment, motions for new trial, and all other motions, and to award executions and other final process, and to do and to transact all other business, and direct all other proceedings in all cases pending in the circuit court, except trying any cause by jury, in the same way and with the same force and effect as the same could or might be done at the stated sessions of such court. At said special sessions said court may also try and determine all issues of fact in cases which, by the stipulation in writing of the parties, or their attorneys, and filed with the clerk, a jury shall be waived.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the clerks of the circuit courts for the districts of California shall be appointed by the circuit judge of the tenth circuit. The appointment shall be in writing under the hand and seal of the circuit judge, and shall be filed in the clerk's office and entered at large upon the records of the court. The circuit judge may revoke the appointment at any time by filing in the office of the clerk a notice in writing under his hand and seal, stating that the appointment is revoked. The revocation shall be entered on the records of the court. The clerk, before entering upon the discharge of his duties, shall take the oath of office prescribed by the act entitled "An act to prescribe an oath of office and for other purposes," approved July two, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and such oath shall be endorsed upon his appointment. The clerk shall also execute a bond to the United States with two or more sufficient sureties in such sum as the circuit judge may direct, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties. In case of a vacancy in the office of clerk, the district judge shall have power to fill such vacancy by appointment, which shall continue until an appointment is made by the circuit judge.

SEC. 5 *And be it further enacted*, That the clerks of the circuit courts of the tenth circuit shall have power to appoint one or more deputies, who shall have the same authority, in all respects, as their principal. The appointment shall be in writing, and be signed by the clerk, and shall be filed in his office, and be entered at large upon the records of the court. The clerk may revoke the appointment of any deputy at will by writing filed in the office, and entered upon the records. Each deputy, before entering upon his duties, shall take the oath of office prescribed by the act entitled "An act to prescribe an oath of office and for other purposes," approved July two, eighteen hundred and sixty-two. And such oath shall be endorsed upon his appointment. The clerk may take from each of his deputies a bond with sureties for the faithful performance of his duties, but the clerk and the sureties on his official bond shall be liable for all the official acts of each deputy.

SEC. 6 *And be it further enacted*, That the clerks of the circuit courts and district courts of the United States for the districts of California and Oregon shall severally be entitled to charge and receive for the services they may perform double the fees and compensation allowed by the act entitled "An act to regulate the fees and costs to be allowed clerks, marshals, and attorneys of the circuit and district courts of the United States and for other purposes," approved February twenty six, eighteen hundred and fifty three.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That issues of fact in civil cases may be tried and determined by the said circuit court without the intervention of a jury, whenever the parties or their attorneys of record file a stipulation in writing with the clerk waiving a jury. Upon the trial of an issue of fact by the court, its decision shall be filed with the clerk. In giving the decision, the facts found and the conclusions of law shall be separately stated. The review of the judgment or decree entered upon such findings by the Supreme Court of the United States upon appeal or writ of error shall be limited to a determination of the sufficiency of the facts found to support the judgment or decree entered, and to the rulings of the court in admitting or rejecting evidence offered, and in the construction of written documents produced and admitted. The Supreme Court may affirm or modify or reverse the judgment or decree entered, or may, in its discretion, order a new trial or further proceedings to be taken.

[PUBLIC RESOLUTION No. 13]

JOINT RESOLUTION making appropriation for the payment of taxes on certain lands owned by the United States.

*Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That, to pay taxes on lands owned by the United States, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to report to Congress upon what lands such taxes may be paid and the amount so paid.

Approved February 22, 1864.

Sec. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That a term of the district court of the United States for the southern district of California shall be held in the city of Monterey, in said State, on the first Monday in February, and on the first Monday of June, and on the first Monday of October, of each year; and a term of the district court of the United States for the northern district of California shall be held in the city of San Francisco, in said State, on the first Monday of April, and on the second Monday of August, and on the first Monday of December, of each year; and a term of the district court of the United States for the district of Oregon shall be held at the city of Portland, in the State of Oregon, on the first Monday of March, and on the first Monday of July, and on the first Monday of November, of each year.

Sec. 9 *And be it further enacted*, That section four of the act entitled "An act to provide circuit courts for the districts of California and Oregon, and for other purposes," approved March third, eighteen hundred and sixty-three; and sections four and five of the act entitled "An act to provide for extending the laws and judicial system of the United States to the State of California," approved September twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and fifty, and all provisions of law inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec 10 *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect on the first Monday of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

Approved, February 19, 1864

[PUBLIC RESOLUTION—No. 12]

JOINT RESOLUTION tendering the thanks of Congress to Major General W. T. Sherman.

*Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the thanks of Congress and of the people of the United States are due, and that the same are hereby tendered, to Major General W. T. Sherman, commander of the department and army of the Tennessee, and the officers and soldiers under him, for the gallant and arduous services in the campaign to the relief of the army of the Cumberland, and for their gallantry and heroism in the battle of Chattanooga, which contributed in a great degree to the success of our arms in that glorious victory.

Approved, February 19, 1864.


STEAMBOATS

FOR ST. LOUIS.—The fine packet steamer ROSCOE, Capt. Dunlap; Sharp Hemphill, clerk, will leave as above on THIS DAY, the 8 inst.

For freight or passage apply on board or to

JOHN FLACK, J. D. COLLINGWOOD, } Agents.

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FOR CINCINNATI.—The fine new and magnificent steamer MAJOR ANDERSON, Capt. C. A. Davis; Clerk, Andrew Robinson, will leave as above on THIS DAY, 8th inst., at 4 o'clock p m.

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FOR NASHVILLE.—The splendid steamer CAMELIA, Cap