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BONDS.	Off'd	Ask'd	Div'd
United States 6's '81	103¼	103¾	
" 5-20	107½	107¾	
" 7-30	103¾	104	
" 10-40	99½		
" Certificates	95	96	
Allegheny Co 5's	77	80	
" Bonds, 6's		98	
Pittsburgh, 6's	97		
" 5's	90½		
Allegheny City 6's	100		
" 6's	68	70	
Allegheny V R R 7's		103	
Connellsville R R 6's	83	85	
Shenandoah R R 6's		61	
Fay Valley	Gas.		
25 Pittsburgh	83½	July 5 Pct	
25 Allegheny	34	May 6 "	
25 Birmingham	21	June 5 "	
INSURANCE.			
60 Citizens	61	Jan	$6,00
40 Workers		53	May	3,50
20 Monongahela		20	"	3,00
20 Eureka		20	"	4,00
20 Pittsburgh	81	82	Aug	4,00
25 Allegheny	25	26	July	3,00
25 People's		28½	"	4,00
10 Pennsylvania		90		
10 German Nat'l	15			
RAILROAD.				
8 St Clair Street	60	61	July 5 cent.	
50 Hand Street		50		
25 Manchester Street		16½	Sept 5 "	
25 Monongahela			Sept 5 "	
25 Birmingham		55	July 5 "	
RAILROAD.				
50 Allegheny Val	10			
50 Pennsylvania	71			
200 Fort Wayne			quar'ly	3½	Oct
100 Cleveland				
50 Connellsville		11½		
50 " Interest	12½			
50 Pitts & Connellsville		13		
50 Connellsville & Ind	12			
50 Sandy & Beaver C	60			
25 Birmingham		61½		
50 Chartiers		95		
BANKS.				
50 Allegheny Co		57½	May 5 cent.	
50 Commercial		50	" 5 "	
50 Citizens		71	" 5 "	
25 Pittsburgh		103½	" 4 "	
50 Mechanics		60	" 5 "	
50 Iron City		68	" 5 "	
50 Merch'ts & Manufact'rs		93½	" 4 "	
German Trust		28	July 5 cent.	
100 First National		107		3,75
100 Second		110		
100 Third		103		
100 Fourth				
100 First Nat Allegh'y		107	110	
100 Manchester Savings			48½	
MISCELLANEOUS.				
25 Lecono		23	Aug 12 cent	
10 North American		9		
10 Dr Self		8½	9½ monthly.	1 Wet.
20 Scio		18		
10 Allegheny & Pitts		12½	Sept 2	8 cent
50 Columbia		70		75
Ohio Valley		1¼		1½
6 Iron City				1½
8 Stella				1½
6 Federal		1¾		1½
5 Keystone				1½
6 Whitely Creek				1½
5 Fayette				¾
5 Silver				¾
4 Vieny & Blood Farm		4		4½
Chemical Oil Co				2½
Philips				2½
10 Dennison		1¾		2½
10 Make & Delamater		13		13½
Oil Bank				2¾	Sept 2 cent.
Merchants				3½	
Colorado		2¼		3½	
Linden		5		6	Div Sept 1 Pct
Rose Oil Co				1¾		2
Pitts & Boston Copp'r				3½		4
National				2½		3
North Western				1½		2
U S Telegraph				40		

THURSDAY, Oct. 20, 1864.

The decline in gold has suddenly stopped operations in stocks. The entire market is off, and almost nothing can be got doing at the decline. A few Government changed hands at a shade lower rates, but we failed to learn of a single sale of Bank, Insurance, bridge or railway stock, and in oils of but one sale of Dalzell at 9.

The decline in the New York market and at home is entirely owing to the violent fluctuations in gold, as money is abundant and seeking safe investment. Gold has become the most dangerous article to touch, dealt in at 4 or 5 per ct. It is more "fancy" than "mining stock" even, and they can't keep quiet scarcely long enough to write out a quotation.

Gold opened at 2.11, North-eastern, 207.

The following is the result of the sale of stocks at McClelland's Auction Room this evening:

Pittsburgh & Steubenville R R stock	17,50	
Hidsey Liberty Line	1,10	
Rose Oil	1,05	
Weber	1,55	
Fleming & Flood	2,10	
Banner	1,05	
Alley Valley	2,45	
Allegheny	2,45	
Ross Rock	2,45	
Oil Valley	1,10	
Stella	60	

The export of gold and silver from San Francisco from the 1st of January to the 20th of September, 1864, amounts to $42,105,795; same time in 1864, $31,593,070. Increase, $10,112,727. The whole product of the Pacific mines, centering at San Francisco, this year, will approach sixty millions, of which about $25,000,000 will probably be shipped from that port.

The Continental Petroleum Company of New York has declared its semi-monthly dividend of one per cent, and also an extra dividend of ½ per cent, making two per cent for the month ending October 15.

The Central National bank, at New York, has made a half yearly dividend of 5 per cent, payable 1st of November, on full capital of $4,000,000. The bank has been scarcely six months in operation. The half-yearly dividend of the Butchers' and Drovers' bank of New York is 5 per cent. The Philadelphia banks, it is anticipated, will also make large dividends in Nov. mber.

The New York banks, as compared with corresponding time last year, show a marked reduction in every item but that of capital, which has been increased about half a million of dollars. Notwithstanding the decrease on one year ago, the deposits line in the statement just published is nearly four millions higher than that published last week. The quarterly accounts for the very easy working of the money market through the past week, and we point to the many publications of legal tender currency in New York from the heavy September disbursements by the government to the army, as evidence that it is very certain that no serious pressure will be brought upon the demand for currency to pay on the 1st of November, when $10,000,000 on the 20th, and $20,000,000 on the 31st inst. become due. This is also up nearly half a million of dollars. The loss and discounts fall off nearly a million in the absence of any very active demand for money.

The preparation, says the New York Commercial, for payment of the first instalment due on account of the new loan has already affected the easy state of the money market, but the supply of money on call is still ample at 6 per cent, and easily obtained.

In some quarters it is apprehended that the payment of the second instalment will produce a temporary stringency, but the appearances appear to have no stable foundation. There are large unemployed balances in the hands of bankers, and the rate has for the last few days tended strongly towards 6 per cent, and the probability is that the payments on the loan, will only have the result of preventing a decline in the rate, while the supply will be ample at 7 per cent. There is a very good rate demand for discounts. The disposition to buy certificates is a matter on commercial paper keeps the rate of discount firm at 8@9 per cent.

Chicago Market—Mail Report.

Oct 18—The rally in Gold caused a firmer feeling in the Produce markets to-day, and prices for the leading articles ruled higher but there was a very unsettled feeling, and unfavorable reports from the East would at any moment cause a decline.

The market for Wheat was irregular and feverish. Prices ranged from $1,58@1,60, and at the close sales were made at 1,57@1,57½. The inquiry was almost exclusively for No 2 Spring, and the market for that grade was little more than nominal.

In Flour there was not much activity, and the market was about 25c @ bbl lower, with light sales of choice Spring Extras at $9,00

Corn was in moderate demand, but the light supply restricted sales. No 2 sold at $1,22@1,23, and Rejected at 1,20 in store, an advance on yesterday's figures of 1c @ bush.

Oats were in fair request and improved at 1a1½c, with sales of about 100,000 bush at from 66c for Canada to 68c and at 69c for No 2 in store. About 20,000 bush No 1 also sold at 67½@67½c. At the close the market for No 1 in store was quiet at 67½c.

There was not much done in Rye to establish a market. Nearly sales were made at $1,10 for No 1, and at 90c for R jected.

The market for Barley was very quiet, and prices remained as before, with sales of No 2 in store at $1,55.

Highwines were quiet and steady at yesterday's decline. About 450 barrels changed hands at $1,05 —Republican.

New York Tallow Market.

Oct 18—Sales 64,000 lbs, at 16al6½c, the latter rate for choice. The week's business in this line, Messrs Knight & Sons notice thus: "Since our last report the market has been very active, and the sales of all kinds have been nominal. During the fore part of the week the demand for export was very brisk, and Prime City and equal quality Eastern were sold at 16½@16c. On Thursday the market advanced still higher, and some large lots were disposed of at 16½c. On Friday and Saturday there was still a better feeling, and holders were enabled to obtain 16¾@17c for strictly prime lots in hhds. Yesterday, prices in sympathy with the rise in gold still advanced, and some Prime Eastern and City sold at 17a17½c for lots on the spot and to arrive. There seems to be a very firm feeling to-day, and holders are not demanding 17½c for choice lots. The stock of Prime is very small. No 2 is more plenty, but the demand is for home consumption. The arrivals of Western are small, and the stock held is very light, not enough what it was last year at this time. The inquiry for Grease of all kinds is small, owing to manufacturers not buying. We quote at the close, Tal ow in very active demand for export at our quotations. Prime this day, 1858, 16c; 1859, 16½@16½c; 1860, 16½c; 1861, 16½c; 1862, 15¾c; 1863, 15½c; 1864, 16½c D lb."

Cleveland Market.

Oct 19—Flour—Moderate request at a range of $9,50a10,00 for XX ref; 10,00a10,75 for XX white.

Wheat—The following sales were reported nearly or quite all made before the afternoon report from New York: 6,000 bu No 1 red on track at $1,75; 2,000 bu do do free on board at 1,73; 1 car No 2 white on track at 1,65. Market closing firmer but inactive.

Corn—Unsettled and irregular. Sales 1 car No 1 free on board at $1 22; 2 cars do at 1,20.

Oats—Dull and unchanged. Sales 2 cars from store at 72c.

Rye—Dull,

ALLEGHENY RIVER GUIDE—2 coal boats, J O Hildreth; 25 bbls liquor, I Stern; 2 pkgs mdse, S Hungerman; 1 box leather, Hitchcock, Frost & co; 4 pkgs wheels, Muir & Fawcus; 10 caddies tobacco, E DeZaldi & co; 10 bbls lard oil, Geo H Jones; 2½ for land, J P Haenny; 4 hhds spice, D A Fahrenstock & co; 24 bxs drugs, R M Bollen & co; 15 hhds lard, R H Myers & co; 17 pkgs steel, Jones, Boyd & co; 22 rolls leather, 150 bgs wheat, 548 bbls flour, Clarke & co.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

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There is an apparent improvement in the receipts of produce, both by river and rail, but the violent fluctuations in gold, has a tendency to retard operations, and the consequence is we have but few to report. There is no speculative demand for any of the leading articles of produce, and even consumers are restricting their purchases to their own immediate wants—or doing business commonly termed, "from hand to mouth." So far, however, as prices are concerned, there has been no change worthy of notice.

GRAIN—Wheat is in better demand and from first hand prices are a shade higher—$1 65 for Red and 1,95 @2 00 for White. Barley is not coming in very freely and our farmers will find no difficulty in getting 1,65 for spring, and 1 65 for Fall. Sales—sale of 3 cars on track; at 83, and 600 bush, in lots from store, at 85a86. Rye is dull and lower; sale of 1 car at 1,41.

FLOUR—There is no new feature to notice in regard to this article, and there is no improvement to notice either in the demand or prices. We continue to note small sales of Extra Family from store at $10,25a11 per bbl; also, a sale of 50 bbls "Prima Donna" brand, on the spot at $10,25.

GROCERIES—The demand continues very light and the transactions are very limited and unimportant. Sugar is quoted at 20a22c for Cuba and 23@24 for Cals, and prime New Orleans. Coffee is quiet but steady with regular sales of Rio at 41a41c. Molasses steady at previous rates.

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CHEESE—The demand continues light though prices are unchanged—26a28c for Western Reserve and Hamburg, and 24 for Goshen.

HAY—The demand continues fair and prices are firm but unchanged—$23@24 per ton.

CIDER-VINEGAR—Firm and a shade higher, owing to the light supply. We now quote at $5,50a6,00 per bush.

APPLES—Good qualities are in fair demand, while common and inferior are almost unsaleable. We quote at $2 50 to 3,00 per bbl.

SWEET POTATOES—

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Review of the New York Grocery Market.

(From the Commercial List, Oct 19.)

Coffee—Market has been very quiet since our last, but having gathered firmness with the late advance in gold, our quotations are generally advanced late per pound, closing steadily at the subjoined quotations. The Saxonia, for Hamburg Saturday, took 6,084 bags, viz: 4600 Maracaibo, 2000 Laguayra, &c, already reported sold for export or shipped from first hands—and 4101 Maracaibo are going to Havre. The only sales are 2500 bags Rio in lots (not before reported) within the week, a cargo of 4340 Santos, per Anita for export, on private terms; 100 Maracaibo at 37½c; 50 Laguayra, 39c; 50 Jamaica, 40c; and a small lot Java, 47½ @ 48c. The stock of Rio at the ports, as made up by Messrs Wilson Sprague & Co, is 163,000 bags, against 191,000 bags here, 2000 in Philadelphia and 20,000 in Baltimore.

Sugar—There has continued a steady fair demand for raw since our last, chiefly from Refiners, the trade buying sparingly. With the exhaustion of the sales on Monday the market was strong and higher, but settled yesterday and still off, lower prices were accepted, and the market closed irregularly. To-day there is more active, and prices are higher—other than Santa Cruz being quoted 19c@20c for fair, 20½@20¾c for choice, and 19@19½ for Yellow. The sales of the week are 3170 hhds Cuba at 18a19½c; 324 Porto Rico, 17¾c@c; 23 Martinique, 17; 40 New Orleans, 19½@20c; 29 Clarified do, 22; and 200 boxes Havana, 18a20, 4 mos. The stock yesterday was about 48,000 hhds, 36,000 bxs, 83,000 bags sugar, and 200 hhds Melado

Molasses—There is more inquiry, and the market is more active, and prices generally being well supported, especially the New Orleans. The sales are 205 hhds Porto Rico at 43a43c; 150 Barbadoes, part 40; 231 Cuba Muscovado, part 75a78; 389 bbls New Orleans, 93@1,12½; including to-day at 85c, 4 mos; and a cargo of 372 hhds 40 tierces 65 bbls Muscovado, in bond, on terms not made public.

Spices there is a moderate inquiry for the various descriptions, and the market generally is steady with little variation in prices. We notice 1100 bags pepper, in bond, before our last at 65c, in gold, 1000 bags do do at 30 do Gamis, 200 do do Penang, on private terms (Cassia is quoted 25@27 cents from second hands, Ginger Race, Pimento, 8@9c; 50 cases Mace, 1,62a1,80; 25 do nutmegs, 1,90a1,70; 50 bags Rice and African ginger, 60a61; and 50 do pepper, 37, cash.

Tea—Importers generally do not offer their stocks, but parcels are occasionally sold from second hands, and there is beside the usual jobbing trade among dealers. We notice 3000 half chests Oolong, resales, at about previous prices.

New York Flour and Grain Market.

(From Edward Bill's Circular Oct. 18.)

At the date of my last circular the market for breadstuffs generally was greatly depressed, but the upward turn in gold since then has quite changed the aspect of affairs, and the quotations below show a change in the value of both wheat and flour. The advance obtained has been more apparent upon extra State flour, as that description has suffered more by the decline in gold. For future delivery there has been no movement, but not to a large extent, at 6 75a7 for extra State for the first half, and for all November buyers' option. One or two sales of choice brands are reported at a little higher rate. The good shipping grades of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, are in light supply, and find ready sale. For family brands of western and Saint Louis the demand is good, and prices considerably better.

In wheat the transactions have been very light confined chiefly to the wants of the local millers. The English orders are at limits that do not admit of operation to advantage, particularly in the absence of the good qualities of spring. As I have before remarked there is but little doing you'll learn de getting the corn to the sea board before the close of navigation. The receipts at this port for the week past are on by 249,960 bush of all descriptions, and there is but little yet on the way. The late rise in value will stimulate to a certain extent, but not sufficient to give us our usual stock. Rye is dull at the quotations. Oats are in active demand for home use and government supplies. For Indian corn there is more inquiry, and considerable improvement in value, at the produce exchange yesterday the trade in all of the above articles was extremely irregular, higher prices having been demanded at the opening than could be realized at the close.

Imports by River.

LOUISVILLE PER GUIDE—2 plows, J O Hildreth; 25 bbls liquor, I Stern; 2 pkgs mdse, S Hungerman; 1 box leather, Hitchcock, Frost & co; 4 pkgs wheels, Muir & Fawcus; 10 caddies tobacco, E DeZaldi & co; 10 bbls lard oil, Geo H Jones; 2½ for land, J P Haenny; 4 hhds spice, D A Fahrenstock & co; 24 bxs drugs, R M Bollen & co; 15 hhds lard, R H Myers & co; 17 pkgs steel, Jones, Boyd & co; 22 rolls leather, 150 bgs wheat, 548 bbls flour, Clarke & co.

Exports by Railroad.

PHILADELPHIA PER WARE AND CLARKE'S R R, Oct 20—150 boxes bacon, Dunlap, Sellers & Co; 7 bags pecans, J J Whitehead; 1 cs do, W J Harper; 1 bbl cider, J Bailey, S E Young; 2 pcs 25 tubs lard, J M Thomas; 1 car scrap iron, W Mullen; 21 bbls apples, Jas O Kelly; 67 empty carboys, Jas Irwin; 18 bbls potatoes, McClellan, Hutton & co; 4 cars oats, Lloyd Col Orton, 2 saddle trees, Shriver & Lazear; 36 pcs chairs, Robt Dalzell; 25 do do, H Hissey; 1 bbl quinine, 5 bbls apples, J H Reynolds; 130 sks oats, Dan Wallace; 2 sacks barley, Joshua Sinnott; 2 cars wood, J S Liggett & co; 2 cars oats, Culp & Shepard; 100 bbls flour, shoemaker & Lungi; 4 pkgs rags, Godfrey & Clark; 30 bdls bandles, Hervey & co; 23 bbl rags, Godfrey & Clark; 10 doz pails, etc, etc, John Lloyd & co; 3 bbls eggs, J S Kirkpatrick & Bro.

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OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH BRIDGE COMPANY,
No. 53 Water street,
Pittsburgh, Pa., October, 1864.

PLANS AND PROPOSALS are invited for both Wooden and Iron Bridge Superstructure, and proposals for the masonry of the piers and abutments of the Monongahela Bridge to be erected over the Monongahela River, from Pittsburgh Point to West Pittsburgh. The bridge will consist of eight spans, 210 feet each, from centre to centre of piers, or 201 feet clear of masonry, and one span 5.7 feet from centre to centre of piers. The clear width of carriage way must be 19 feet, with 8 feet in clear. The structure must be proportioned to sustain, in addition to its weight, a uniformly distributed load of 2,000 pounds per lineal foot. The effort in the design of the structure under this maximum load must not exceed one-sixth of its breaking weight.

Plans and specifications of the masonry and superstructure may be seen at the office of the Company. Bids will be opened December 1st, 1864. The right to accept either wood or iron or any proposition, or to reject any or all bids that he may deem too high.

Payment to be made upon the completion of the contract, or as soon thereafter as the Depot Quartermaster shall be in funds.

By order of the Board of Directors of the Pittsburgh Bridge, (wood) or (iron,) and "Pittsburgh Bridge Masonry."

JOHN F. SINGER, President.

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Pittsburgh References:—Hall & Speer; Lloyd & Black Wm. McDuffy & Co., McDonald & Arbuckles, John S Holmes & Co., John Hall & Co., R. A. Fahnestock & Son & Co. oct17:1ydtw6w

COLLECTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Will be sold at Public Auction, on the premises, on the 27TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1864, the Tobacco Manufacturing Warehouse, situated on the corner of West street and Third alley, in the City of Allegheny, Allegheny county, Pa.

The building is of brick, 20 feet front by 50 feet deep, two stories high, and is erected on leased ground, having about twelve years to run, at a ground rent of $1,50 per foot front. The house, and the right to the lease, will be sold together.

Disturbed as the property of Caleb Parr, to satisfy United States Internal Revenue Taxes, due and unpaid, by authority of warrant from the Collector of the 23d District, Pa.

Terms cash, lawful money of the United States.

Sale will take place at 10 o'clock a. m.

oct18:td H. McELHENY, Deputy Collector.

PEEBLES' TOWNSHIP PROPERTY AT ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—On TUESDAY EVENING, October 25th, at 8 o'clock, will be sold, at Commercial Sales Rooms, 84 Fifth street, by order of Orphans' Court, the following property in Peebles Township, belonging to the estate of Malcolm Leech, deceased:

Lot 1 is immediate rear of the old Malcolm Leech homestead, each fronting 91 feet on Denny street, and extending back 137 feet to Park alley.

Lot 2 contains 1 A. 34 feet 6 inches front on Denny st, and extending back 178 feet to Park alley.

TERMS—One-third cash; balance in one and two years with interest, secured by bond and mortgage.

oct18:td A. McELWAIN, Agent.

OFFICIAL.

TREATIES.

Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru. Concluded at Lima, December 20, 1863; ratified by the President of the United States, February 24, 1863; exchanged at Lima, April 24, 1863; proclaimed by the President of the United States, May 19, 1863.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru was concluded and signed by their respective Plenipotentiaries at the city of Lima on the twentieth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, which Convention, being in the English and Spanish languages, is, word for word, as follows:—

Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru.

Whereas differences having arisen between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru, originating in the capture and confiscation by the latter of the two ships belonging to citizens of the United States, called the "Lizzie Thompson" and "Georgiana"; and the two governments not being able to come to an agreement upon the questions involved in said capture and confiscation, and being equally animated with the desire to maintain the relations of harmony which have always existed, and which it is desirable to preserve and strengthen between the two governments, have agreed to refer all the questions, both of law and fact, involved in the capture and confiscation of said ships by the government of Peru, to the decision of some friendly Power; and it being now expedient to proceed to and regulate the reference as above described, the United States of America and the Republic of Peru have for that purpose named their respective Plenipotentiaries—that is to say, the President of the United States has appointed Christopher Robinson, their Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Peru, and the President of Peru Don Jose Gregorio Paz Soldan, Minister of State in the office of Foreign Relations and President of the Council of Ministers, who after having exchanged their full powers, found to be in due and proper form, have agreed upon the following articles:

ARTICLE I.

The two contracting parties agree in naming as arbiter, umpire, and arbitrator, his Majesty the King of Belgium, conferring upon him the most ample power to decide and determine all the questions both of law and fact involved in the proceedings of the government of Peru in the capture and confiscation of the ships "Lizzie Thomson" and "Georgiana."

ARTICLE II.

The two contracting parties will adopt the proper measures to solicit and obtain the assent of his Majesty the King of Belgium to act in the office hereby conferred upon him.

After his Majesty the King of Belgium shall have declared his assent to exercise the office of arbiter, the two contracting parties will submit, through their diplomatic agents residing at Brussels, to his Majesty copies of all the correspondence, proofs, papers, and documents which have passed between the two governments or their respective representatives; and should either party think proper to present to said arbiter any other papers, proofs, or documents in addition to those above mentioned, the same shall be communicated to the other party within four months after the ratification of this convention.

ARTICLE III.

Both parties being equally interested in having a decision upon the questions hereby submitted, they agree to deliver to the said arbiter all the documents referred to in the second article within six months after he shall have signified his consent to act as such.

ARTICLE IV.

The sentence or decision of said arbiter, when given, shall be final and conclusive upon all the questions hereby referred, and the contracting parties hereby agree to carry the same into immediate effect.

ARTICLE V.

This convention shall be ratified and the ratifications exchanged in the term of six months from the date hereof.

In faith whereof the Plenipotentiaries of the two