The Pittsburgh Gazette.

WEDNESDAY MORNING NOV. 23, 1864

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Course of Sermons.

At a meeting of clergymen of the different evangelical denominations of the city of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, and vicinity, to take into consideration, and devise the best means of promoting a revival of true religion in the two cities and vicinity, the following, among other things was adopted:

Resolved, That a course of sermons on the following subjects, to be delivered by the clergymen whose names are annexed, shall be preached in this city on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday of each week, at seven o'clock, until the course shall be completed, commencing on the evening of Monday, the 28th of November, inst; and that the office of the use of the *First Presbyterian Church*, by its pastor, Rev. Dr. Paxton, as the place for the delivery of the course of sermons, be thankfully accepted.

Resolved, That the sermon, each evening, shall be immediately followed by a meeting for prayer and conference.

The following are the subjects selected for the course, and the names of the clergymen to whom they have been assigned:

1. The necessity for a revival of religion—Rev. W. D. Howard, D. D., *Presbyterian Church*, (O. S.)

2. The means by which a revival of religion may be secured. Rev. G. S. Chase, *Baptist Church*.

3. The state of the sinner by nature—Rev. John T. Pressly, D. D, *United Presbyterian Church of Allegheny City*.

4. The number and enormity of the sinner's damnation—Rev. C. A. Holmes, D.D. *Methodist Episcopal Church*.

5. The Gospel remedy—Rev. James Prestley, D. D., *United Presbyterian Church*.

6. The Gospel offer—Rev. Wm. A. Davidson, *Methodist Episcopal Church*.

7. The specific answer to the question, "What must I do to be saved?"—Rev. R. Hill, *Evangelical Lutheran Church*.

8. The constraining influence of the love of Christ on the heart of the sinner—Rev. John Cowl, *Methodist Protestant Church*.

9. The importance of the immediate surrender of the soul to Christ, and the dang of delay—Rev. Herrick Johnson, *Presbyterian Church (N. S)*

10. The work of the Holy Spirit in bringing sinners to Christ.—Rev. Wm. M. Paxton, D. D., *Presbyterian Church (O. S)*

11. On realizing the Holy Spirit—Rev. H. Wagner, *German Ref. Church*.

12. On confessing Christ—Rev. S. T. Stewart, *Cumberland Presb. Church*.

13. The fearful doom that awaits the finally impenitent—Rev. Thomas X. Orr, *Presbyterian (O. S) Allegheny City*.

14. The blessedness of the righteous—Rev. John Douglas, D. D., *Ref. Presb. Church*.

In accordance with this programme, the first sermon of the course will be delivered by the Rev. W. D. Howard, D. D., on "the necessity for a revival of religion," in the 1st *Presbyterian Church* (Dr. Paxton's), on the evening of Monday, the 28th day of November inst., at seven o'clock; to be followed immediately by a meeting for prayer and conference.

Pastors of the different Evangelical Churches are requested to give the proper intimation from their pulpits without further notice.

By order of the meeting.

United States Circuit Court—Proceedings in Honor of the Late Chief Justice Taney.

Before the Court adjourned on Tuesday, having finished the jury trials for the term, Judge McCandless said:

The Bar of Pittsburgh having taken no action upon the death of Chief Justice Taney, this Court cannot adjourn without expressing their regret at his decease, and their admiration of his great qualities as a statesman and jurist and sublime virtues as a citizen and a man.

After a long, laborious and distinguished practice at the bar, the keen sagacity of President Jackson singled him from the lawyers of the United States as a fitting successor to Mc. Chief Justice Marshall, an honor which he merited and which the profession justified even amid the rancor of political excitement.

His judicial life of nearly thirty years has vindicated the wisdom of the choice, and during that period and since his death his purity of character, his learning, his judicial integrity, his legal erudition and his unemployed knowledge of constitutional law has evoked, as it deserved, from the bar of the United States and of England, a general expression of reverential and professional admiration.

The late Chief Justice himself said, in the Supreme Court of the United States, upon the announcement of the death of our lamented brother, Mr. Justice Baldwin: "He was in no small degree the learning of the law, strikingly familiar with its records and decisions in ancient as well as modern times; and perhaps scarcely any one more fully appreciated his high station to respect, unless like ourselves, he had often met him in the calm discussion of the conference room, and heard him from time to time discussing the abstruse and difficult questions which there are continually arising."

We sincerely deplore his loss and deeply lament it, and will direct a proper minute of the death of Chief Justice Taney to be entered upon the minutes of this and the United States Circuit Court.

Judge Grier—I concur in what has been so well expressed by my brother M'Candless.

The Streets of the City.

The proclamation of the Mayor, notifying citizens to keep the pavements and gutters in front of their premises clean and in good order, has had the effect of placing the foot walks of the city in better condition than they have been for years. The city has been divided by the Mayor into three districts, and squads of the police patrol different sections daily and notify parties who have failed to comply with the proclamation that they will report them to the Mayor, and any neglect on the part of the occupants of houses to comply with the provisions of the city ordinance have subjected them to the penalties prescribed by law. The sidewalks of the city have been in a miserable condition for years. Even in some of our principal streets, many of the pavements are still some inches lower than the grade established by the Regarding Regulator, and it is the intention of the Mayor to prosecute the matter until this defect is remedied. His Honor may rest assured that his action in this matter will meet with the hearty co-operation of the citizens generally.

While in this connection we might mention that we understand the appropriation of the City Commissioners for the purpose of cleaning the street crossings has been exhausted, and that the Street Committee has notified the Street Commissioners not to incur any further expenses. We know we have been wrongly informed, but would direct the attention of the Councils to the matter. It is hardly to be expected that property holders will be willing to make the alterations required of them if Councils continue to exercise this uncalled for economy. The city appropriation should be increased at once, and the streets cleaned before the winter sets in.

Metropolitan Gift Book store.

To the book buyers and public generally, we would call attention to the above popular institution, located at No. 63 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, Penn's, opposite Concert Hall, where they now have in store the largest stock of standard and miscellaneous books, family and pocket bibles, prayer books and photograph albums to be found in the city. The books are all sold at regular retail prices, and with each purchase is given at the time of sale a handsome present, worth from $50 to $100. The presents which are given with the books consist in part as follows: Gold and silver watches, gold chains, silver tea pitchers, cake baskets, coffee urns, cream mugs, castors, claret pitchers, card receivers, butter dishes, wine stands, egg castors, goblets, call bells, salt cellars, silver mugs, sets of silver, table and tea spoons, silver forks, opera glasses, gold pins, rings, bracelets, and hundreds of other useful and valuable articles. Call and get or send for a catalogue, which will be mailed free to any address upon application.

The Launch of the Gunboat Mariotta.

Yesterday morning the work of launching the new gunboat Mariotta was re commenced. The experience of the previous day decided the workmen to adopt a new plan of operations. The ways upon which the vessel was lying had been greased with tallow some days ago, but it having become hard, hole were bored in the ways and melted grease inserted. Large screws were then placed at the end of the vessel, and upon being work a short time, the gave way and moved off its moorings splendidly, entering the water in excellent style. The launch was very successful, and the Mariotta may now be considered a success. She will be fitted up immediately, and will probably leave for the South-west during the present high stage of water.

Professor Millar's Entertainments.

We understand that the entertainments given by Prof. Millar at Masonic Hall have been well attended, and that, in consequence, he proposes remaining two nights longer in the city. The Professor has the reputation of being an adept in magic, and his tricks are said to be truly wonderful. Madame Millar's vocal abilities are also highly spoken of. She is said to possess a voice of exquisite sweetness, and her rendition of songs of a plaintive character have received the encomiums of artistes both in this country and in Europe. The entertainment will be repeated to-night, and we would recommend all who wish to see an excellent, mercenatic performance, coupled with artistic music, to be present.

The Coal Question—How to be Managed!

MESSRS. EDITORS: The question of fuel for the people of these two cities is one of very great importance and of immediate, pressing necessity. Your correspondent, W., has made a suggestion which may be of value, as leading to some action calculated to meet the demands of the case. As to any hopes of relief from the operations of the "Coal Exchange," or any measures they may adopt, if we are not greatly mistaken, they will prove delusive. Speaking to a prominent member of that Association, some time since, of the interest we felt in their discussions, and suggesting that prominent citizens ought to co-operate with them in their efforts to break down the "Miners' Union," his reply was that the "Coal Exchange is an association for the exclusive benefit of the coal merchants, and would not permit consumers to take part in their movements." That their interests and ours are in conflict cannot be doubted, and we will find out in the end, that if our interests are taken care of, we must look to ourselves, and not to that association. They already have concerted action, and it is a sad sign, if not directly in consequence of that concerted action, that fuel has been advanced to such an enormous rate. What we now want, as I suppose, is *concerted action* by which to checkmate theirs, or at least to adopt and carry out such measures as may promise the relief we require. How shall we obtain the necessary concert? Could not a certain number of persons from each ward of the city or of the two cities and neighboring boroughs, meet at an agreed time and place for the purpose of deliberating upon this subject, and adopting some plan of action which would be sustained by all those interested? As too large bodies of men are not so likely to agree and act in unanimity and vigorously, I would suggest that one person from each ward and borough constitute the committee for consultation, and that coal merchants be excluded therefrom. If no other better plan be proposed, will you allow me to ask attention to this? and that persons in the different way consult informally or call meetings for the purpose as they may deem best, and send to the office of the *Gazette* the names of one or more persons from their respective wards and boroughs, and to measures may be taken to make trial whether any feasible plan can be agreed upon. CITIZEN.

Court of Common Pleas—Before Judge Mellon.

The Court was occupied on Tuesday in trying the case of Kerr & Aikins vs. Robert P. Gordon. The plaintiffs allege that in December last they purchased the lease and furniture of the Bed Lion Hotel, on St. Clair street, from the defendant, with the understanding that they would take possession on the 1st of March, and in the meantime the hotel was to be managed with a view to sustaining its former position. Upon taking possession of the house, the plaintiffs aver that all the articles which they had purchased were not on the premises, and that the business of the house had been materially injured. Messrs. Bell, M. Brown appeared for the plaintiffs, and Samuel A. Parvience, Esq., for the defendants. On trial.

ENTITLED UPON HIS DUTIES.—Mr. Clawson, who was elected Coroner at the October election, received his commission from Harrisburg on Saturday, and was sworn into office yesterday by Judge Williams. Mr. Clawson can be found for the present at the Fort Pitt Works, Fifth Ward. We cannot but admire the many hard-earned votes he received from the late Coroner, John McClung, Esq., and his able and accommodating deputy, Esq. Donaldson. Mr. McClung has accepted the position of manager of the Mineville Passenger Railway, and we are confident that he will discharge the onerous duties of the office with satisfaction to the stockholders and the public generally.

ARRAYED TO BAIL.—Daniel Boyle, who was arrested on Saturday on a charge of embezzling goods from the dry-goods establishment of A. W. Barber & Co., No. 59 Market street, had a hearing before Mayor Lowry yesterday morning, which resulted in his being held in $500 bail to answer the charge at Court. The required bail was promptly furnished by a friend of the prisoner, when he was released.

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THE LATEST NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH.

INTERESTING FROM EUROPE.

The London Star Denounces the Seizure of the Florida.

BANQUET OF THE LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

Lord Palmerston on American Affairs.

GREAT FLOODS IN TUSCANY

THE LONDON MONEY MARKET.

THE PIRATE CAPTAIN SEMMES.

&c., &c., &c.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The London *Star*, in speaking of the Florida affair, denounces the seizure, and hopes that America will soon repudiate it.

At the banquet of the new Lord Mayor of London, Lord Palmerston made a speech, in which, in referring to the bloody war in America, he said he trusted the contending parties would soon find it better to be reconciled than to fight, and that these disputes which have bedewed that continent with blood, will be settled by amicable arrangements between themselves.

Great floods have occurred in Tuscany. Enormous damage has also been suffered at Florence by a tremendous flood. The street were flooded, foods laid waste and the roads broken up. But few lives were lost.

London Money Market.—The Bank of England, on the 10th inst., reduced its rate of discount from 9 to 8 per cent., an event fully anticipated and discounted in advance.

In the open market money was abundant and the funds continued upward.

Consols buoyant, and further advanced ¼ per cent., on the 9th inst.

Satterwaite's circular says that up to the 8th inst. there was a very firm market for American securities, and much disposition to improving prices; but on the 9th, upon the receipt of advices from New York, to Nov. 1st, reporting an advance in gold, free sellers of both stocks, appeared, and a decline was established. The market, however, closed firm, at 41¾ for 5-20s and 53¾ for Illinois.

The Confederate Loan rallied two per cent. under the news received by the City of Washington.

The following is a summary of the steamer Etna's news, which left Liverpool on the 9th and Queenstown on the 10th, for New York:

The Shipping Interest.—It is stated that the steamer which brought Captain Semmes and his man were transferred by the Laurel, off Madeira, was the Sea King, which recently cleared from London for Bombay.

Lord Wodehouse has been inaugurated as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Bombay letters of the 14th, and Calcutta of the 5th of October, fully confirm the disastrous effects of the late Cyclone.

Liverpool, Nov. 10.—Breadstuffs generally quiet and steady. Richardson, Spence & Co. and others report Flour quiet and steady. Wheat steady. Corn quiet and rising. Bigland, Aspinall, Bros. & Co., Wakefield & Co. and others report Flour heavy and declining. Pork has a downward tendency. Bacon steady. Lard firm at 48@50. Cheese has an upward tendency. Coffee quiet and steady. Petroleum steady at 1s10½d. Ais 114 per gallon. London Breadstuffs Ecm. Cora easier. Sugar advancing. Coffee firm. Tea steady. Rice firm.

Latest via Queenstown—Liverpool, Nov. 11.—The Manchester market is firmer with an advancing tendency, but the advance cannot be quoted. Breadstuffs steady and firmer. Corn dull, but no answer the charge at Court. The required bail was promptly furnished by a friend of the prisoner, when he was released.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF.

Cavalry Concentrating Under General Lee.

THEY ARE TO CO-OPERATE WITH SHERMAN.

Gen. Sickles to Have an Important Command.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The *Commercial Advertiser* says, editorially, that all the cavalry in the Department of the Gulf have commenced concentrating in their several departments under command of Gen. Lee, for the purpose, as is generally believed, of co-operating with Sherman, should Beauregard attempt to move southward, by the Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Washington specials say our fleet of gunboats have moved up towards Dutch Gap in readiness for any assault the enemy may see fit to make.

It is reported that the President has determined not to permit cotton to be brought out of seceded States, except as a prize to the Government. No other permits are to be granted to trade within the rebel lines, and those heretofore granted will probably be revoked.

Major General Sickles, it is understood, will be assigned and sent to an important command at the front.

Charleston Crumbling.

NEW YORK, Nov 22.—Sergeant Gibbon, of the 132d New York infantry, and another gentleman, who escaped from Charleston, report that the lower part of that city has become untenable, in consequence of car shells. The Court House, City Hotel, Guard House, St. Phillips Episcopal Church, Orphan House, and several other public buildings were struck by shells, and numbers are nearly demolished. A few fires have been occasioned by the bombardment. One shell exploded within three doors of Hampstead Hall. In the extreme north eastern part of the city, great numbers of shell were falling, and exploding as high up as Chapel and John streets. Few casualties has taken place, probable about twelve deaths in all.

Five thousand troops are in and around Charleston, eight heavy guns are mounted on the channel facing Fort Sumter, and six or eight batteries are mounted in the city on the wharves. Citizens are much troubled in consequence of the want of habitation, four or five families are living in one small house. It is expected that terrible suffering will take place this winter.

Blockade running continues with the greatest incredulity; several vessels make three trips each month, between Nassau and Bermuda, bringing clothing, provisions and various other articles, and bring out cotton, principally. Two vessels left Wilmington for Charleston, three blockade runners cleared. On the inward trips, they bring one third their cargoes to the government.

The Richmond *Enquirer* says: Colonel Ould, Commissioner of Exchange, authorized by the Confederate government, made a proposition to Grant, on the 11th inst., to send a thousand bales of cotton to New York city, provided the proceeds be appropriated to the purchase of supplies for Confederate prisoners, the sale of cotton and purchase of supplies to be made by Major General Trimble, a prisoner in Fort Lafayette, and Major General Beldadier General Wm. R. Beale, also a prisoner, who are to be paroled and allowed every facility to make advantageous sales, the outlay and distribution to be under the a commission of Confederate officers who are prisoners, to be paroled for that purpose, transportation to be afforded by the United States lines. Grant replied on the 13 h, and acceded to the proposition unhesitatingly, the cotton to be shipped at Mobile, within ten days.

The enemy's pickets are about one mile and a half below Hawlett's House, and killed, and wounded twenty-four and fifty captured, one hundred and twenty, including one Captain and Inspector General who happened to be inspecting the picket line at the time. General Sheridan's loss is two men killed. Seven wounded. The most efficient remedy known, and can be relied upon as a sure cure.

The *Dispatch* says there were indications on the north side yesterday, that the enemy is preparing for an attack, which it is pretty generally expected, we will soon make.

Yankee troops, reported to be deserters from Sheridan's army, are being massed on a line between Fort Harrison and the James river.

If Butler's canal is completed or anything near it, this will be one of the points of assault. The *Dispatch*, however, believes that the canal will not be completed for months to come.

Sherman's movement may be regarded as form doble, only because of its novelty. The similar movement by Sherman last spring, ended in putting Johnston's army, cold and Sherman to recall by privateers the commerce of any nation with which they may be at war, since the precedent will establish a claim to the right to pursue and capture every such vessel, whatever may be the port in which she may seek shelter or supplies.

FRANCE.—The Paris bourse on the 9th inst. was firmer. Rentes closed at 64f. 85c.

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TURKEY.—The debate on the convention and removal of the capital to Rome is still progressing in the Chamber of Deputies. The majority of the Chamber favor the convention as a virtual renunciation of Rome, while others regard it as leading to Rome at no distant period.

Fears have been great floods in Tuscany, and considerable damage done to property, particularly to the railroads at Florence.

GRANT'S CONNECTIONS PERFECT.

He Strikes the Enemy in Flank and Rear.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—By leaving the forts well garrisoned, the time now sightly miles long. General Grant can hurl his main body in force against any part of the rebel lines he may detor, while it is impossible to flank him, or cut his communications with any force short of the whole rebel armies.

General Egan's wound has proved more serious than was at first supposed.

The Navy Department is advised that the schooner Badger, from St. Marks and bound to Havana, was taken possession of by the steamer Adelia, on the 6th inst., off St. George's Sound.

Army Movements

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A City Point letter, of the 19 h, to the *Commercial Advertiser* says: A movement of the army has begun. Yesterday, while among the 5th Corps, on our extreme left, I learned that orders had been issued to prepare eight days' rations, with orders to be ready to march at any moment.

The infantry of that corps set out on a march, and by sunset encamped about eight miles nearer City Point, on the line of the Railroad. The infantry followed shortly afterwards, and reached the Battle of the Weldon Railroad about ten miles hence, and I learned that similar orders had been issued in the 2d and part of the 24 corps, for pulling up. However, it began to rain about 8 o'clock, last night, and has continued ever since, converting the country into a continuant of mud.

The line of march, yesterday, was toward the Appomattox river, which would probably strike two or three miles below Petersburg, if the design were to cross over to Gen. Butler's headquarters.

Contested Congressional Seat—Sixed Distillerlez—Soldiers Thanksgiving Entertainment.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The *Post's* Washington special says:

William E Dodge, of New York, has notified James Brooks of his intention to contest the seats of the 8th Congressional district in the house of Representatives. A large number of seats in the next Congress, will be contested.

The names of the proprietors of the breweries seized by the government for distilling without license, are Bernheimer, Schmid, Henry Clausen, and John F. Betz.

In the arrangements making for a Thanksgiving entertainment to the soldiers at the New England rooms, in this city, the Western soldiers will receive special attention at the hands of Colonel Howe and the ladies committee of the room.

Movement of Iron-Clads—Consternation at Sherman's Movements.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The Alexander, Virginia *Journal* says the iron-clads previously stationed at Fortress Monroe, moved up the James River on Friday to Dutch Gap, indicating an important movement. The *Commercial's* Washington special says there was great consternation in Richmond on Saturday, on account of Sherman's movements. It is believed he is sweeping onward in spite of all opposition. Is it impossible that Macon has already fallen, and that it may be one of the causes of the consternation in Richmond.

Governor Morton, of Indiana arrived in Washington to day, and had an interview with the President.

Dr. R. H. Thompson, late Health Officer, died suddenly at his residence, in Brooklyn a day or two since.

Steamer Lost in a Gale.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—The ship Minnehaha, Mattarozza and Arno were lost in a gale off Hawiand and Roker's Island, Oct. 6th. The ship White Swallow is also missing, and is thought to be lost.

General Canby Recovering.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 15.—New Orleans papers say that General Canby is recovering. The announcement of his death, as telegraphed from Cairo, was on the authority of the clerk of the steamer St. John. It is a false report.

Forgery on the Lock Haven Bank.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 22.—A check for $1000 on the Lock Haven Bank, purporting to be endorsed by Ludwig Knoedler & Co., was presented to Drexel & Co., yesterday, who gave the party a check on the Common wealth Bank for $1283, Payable to the order of Ludwig Knoedler & Co. The check on the Lock Haven Bank proves to be a forgery, but the forger was disappointed in getting Drexel & Co.'s check paid, at the bank would not pay.

Sherman Within Thirty Miles of Macon?

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Informat on received here, from rebel papers, state that S erman was within thirty miles of Macon, Georgia, on the 19th inst., and it is regarded as probable, that that city has been occupied ere this.

Union Mayor Elected.

DOVER, N. H., NOV. 22.—At the municipal election, to-day, Hon. Wm. Sikes, Union Republican, was re-elected Mayor, by 300 majority.

MARKETS

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Cotton firmer, at $1.81@1.82 for Middling.

Flour—State and Western 10@15c better, at $9.85@9.90 for Extra State, $ 8@11.95 for Extra R. H. O., and $11.20@12.00 for Trade Brands, the market closing quiet and scarcely so firm.

Whisky more active and firmer, at $1.71@1.74¼.

Wheat 2@3c better and moved ing, at $2 15 for Chicago and Racine p ing, $2 20 for No. 1 Milwaukee and Mixed Spring, $2.25@2.40 Winter Red Western, and $2.45 for fair Amber Michigan.

Rye firmer; Western, $1.06¾.

Corn to better; Mixed Western about, $1.37¼.

Oats 1@2c better, at 93¼@97¼c for Western afloat, and 98c do in store.

Coffee quiet and f m, at 40@42½c.

Sugar active and firm; 12¼@10¾c for Muscovado, and 10¾@10c for Porto Rico.

Molasses dull.

Petroleum steady: Crude, at 45¼@46½c; Refined in bond, 60c.

Hops quiet, at 30c.

Wool generally steady, but prices somewhat unsettled.

Pork opened heavy and lower, and closed with active demand; $27.00@28.25 for mess, $23.25@23.31 for New, cash and regular way, closing at $23.50 cash, $27.50@28.00 for Prime, and $27.50@28.25 for Prime Mess; also, 3,500 bbls New Mess for November, December and January, at $23.50@28.00, and 1,500 bbls Prime Mess, for December and January, part at $23@23.50.

Beef steady at about previous prices.

Lard a little firmer.

Cut Meats very firm, at 17@18c for Shoulders, and 18@21c for Hams.

Lard a shade firmer, at 21¾c—the latter price an extreme.

Butter firmer, and good inquiry, at 31@33c for Western, and 44@50c for State.

Cheese in fair demand and steady, at 15@16¾c.

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Money moderately active, at 7 per cent.

Sterling, at 109¾@110¾c for 2-d

Gold excited unsettled and firmer; opening at 225, advancing to 229, declining to 224¾, and closing at 225¾.

Government stocks firm.

Stocks lower; Rock Island, 100¾; North Western, 103¾; Michigan Southern, 70¾; Illinois Centralscrip, 140¾; Erie, 95¾; Reading, 137; Michigan Southern, 70¾; Illinois Central, 140¾; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 60¾; R. I., 100¾; Fort Wayne, 103¾; Ohio and Mississippi certificates, 30¾; Canton, 38¾; Cumberland, 46¾; Quicksilver, 34¾; Harlem, 160¾.

Gold after call 225¾.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, Nov. 22.—Flour active and prices unchanged.

Wheat dull; No 1 Milwaukee Spring, $2.00; Amber Michigan, $2.24; Winter Red, $2.10; No. 2, do, $2.12@2.15.

Corn dull, inactive and held at $1.75@1.80 for No. 1 and 2.

Whisky, $1.71@1.71.

Canal Freights unchanged.

Lake Imports—Flour, 2,914 bbls; Wheat, 140,684 bush; Oats 225 176 do; Barley, 1,170.

Canal Exports—Flour, 2,200 bbls; Wheat, 25,180 bush; Oats, 29,700 do; Rye, 3,000 do.

Oswego Market.

OSWEGO, Nov. 22.—Flour steady and in good demand at $11.50@11.95 for Double Extra, and fifty cents per barrel less for Single Extra.

Wheat quiet; No. 2 Chicago Spring, $2.10.

Canal Freights steady; Flour 60c; Wheat, 15c; Barley, 13½c to New York.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Flour dull.

Wheat dull and declined ¾@3c; sales at $1.76 for No. 1; and $1.50@1.70 for No. 2.

Corn dull at $1.36@1.40.

Oats dull and declined 1½c; sales at 63½@65c.

Provisions firm.

Whisky more active and firmer, at 70c.

Receipts—Flour, 5000 bbls; Wheat, 53,000 bush; Corn, 31,000 do; Oats, 29,000 do; 17,000 Rye.

Shipments—Flour, 3,100 bbls; Wheat, 20,000 bush; Corn, 20,000 do.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

The river is still receding steadily at this point with scant ten feet in the channel, by the plot marks last evenin. The weather yesterday was dark, cold and unsettled, with piercing winds, and an occasional spitting of snow.

There was little activity manifested at the landing yesterday, which was owing to the unpleasant condition of the weather, together with the fact that there was not a single arrival from below.

The Emma Graham cleared for Zanesville at her usual hour, and the Iron City, for Cincinnati was making preparations to leave at nine o'clock last night, but the latter was not fully loaded, we incline to the belief that she would leave out until to-day.

The Lexington and Virginia arrived from Oil City, and the Fabo and Ida Rose, left for that place last evening. The Echo had an excellent trip, while that of the Rose was light.

The Wm. Baker, Navigator and J. R. Gilmore from Oil City, left, and the Gladiator left for Parkersburg the first back-one here.

The *Wing* says: We believe whenever Grant shall make the attempt, he will be regular i with slaughter which all he has been subjected to hereto fore was mere child's play.

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—There is no change in the position of the money market. Gold opened and is the current quotation this morning, and closed afterward. The turn in the price on the highest point was about six per cent. above the closing rate of yesterday. The market was largely oversold during the few past days, and on gold quiet and scarce. This fact, with the absence of definite news from Sherman, tended to arrest the tendency very materially. Sold at one hundred and one, and then commenced, and was declined of 3½ from the extreme point. The market opened at 225, advanced to 228, and closed at 224¾.

The Stock market opened bu