# THE CITY POST.

FRIDAY MORNING.....MAY 18.

THE EXCURTIONISTS to Layton returned at a late hour last night. A full account of the excursion will appear to-morrow.

A DELIGHTFUL SOIREE.—A private musical soiree was given by Mr. H. Kleber, at his new music rooms, on Fifth street, on Wednesday evening, which was one of the most delightful that ever transpired here. The company was not numerous, but select, and included amongst them some of the best vocalists and instrumental performers in the city. It would, perhaps, be invidious, where every thing was well done, to speak of the merits of any particular performer, but we cannot refrain from noticing the superior manner in which several pieces were executed by Mrs. Downing, (late Miss Kraft.) The luxuriance of voice and artistical skill displayed could not be surpassed, and the enthusiastic *encores* of the delighted listeners amply testified how well they were pleased. Mr. Kleber also performed and sang several pieces with admirable skill. In fact, all acquitted themselves in the most satisfactory manner, and were rapturously applauded. During the course of the evening, an elegant *dejeune* was set out, to which ample justice was rendered by the guests.

The whole affair was of an exceedingly agreeable character, and when, at a late hour, the assembled company dispersed they seemed to leave with evident reluctance.

The music rooms at present occupied by Mr. Kleber, are extremely handsome, consistent, and well adapted to showing off to the best advantage the fine stock of musical instruments he always has on hand. The first story is used as a sales room, in which are kept all the latest and most fashionable music, and musical instruments, a varied assortment always being found here. The second story is devoted almost exclusively to exhibiting his extensive supply of beautiful pianos and melodeons, specimens from every manufacture in the world being shown. We were particularly pleased with a large and elegant Grand Piano, from the factory of Nunns & Clark, New York, on which several pieces were performed by Mr. K.; its tone was as sweet as the most delicate instrument, and yet of sufficient power when occasion required to fill the largest hall in our city. It is a magnificent instrument. We also admired a curiously carved and sweet toned piano of German manufacture.

Mr. Kleber has gone to considerable expense in arranging his new store, and we are glad to know his prosperity has been sufficient to justify him for the outlay. He is an enterprising, accommodating and obliging gentleman, and we will always be pleased to hear of his continued success in business.

An hour spent in looking at Mr. Kleber's new store and warerooms would repay the musical amateur.

THE BEAVER JAIL AGAIN INHABITED.—The Beaver *Star* learns that the jail of that county has received three inmates from the south side of the river. On Friday evening last, they stole over a hundred weight of bacon from Mr. Michael Springer, in Raccoon township. The same fellows are supposed to have entered the store of John M'Kibbon, and stole two pistols, two empty pocket-books, some hair oil, about 100 lbs. of bread, &c. A horse was taken from Mr. Archibald Hervey for the purpose of carrying the plunder. The burglars have been arrested, and are now in jail awaiting their trial at the next Court.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Hon. H. W. Williams.

The Court was occupied until noon, yesterday, with the case of Wallace vs. Denny—action for an alleged breach of contract. No verdict.

James Pollock, administrator of Charles Morgan, deceased, vs. Daniel Morgan; George P. Hamilton for plaintiff, and Pettermann and Williams for defendant. Action for the recovery of $4,669 37, purchase money on two contiguous tracts of land in Independence township, Beaver county, containing two hundred and seventy-five acres and one hundred and two perches. On trial.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.—Before Hon. Robert C. Grier and Hon. Thomas Irwin.

In the case of Connell & Carter vs. The State Mutual Insurance Company, the jury returned a verdict of $8,750 for plaintiffs.

Five or three cases were called up, and, after the juries were sworn, were continued, on account of some informality. The remainder of the day was occupied in the transaction of business of a desultory character.

ELECTION.—At an election for officers of the Darlington Cannel Coal Railroad Company, held in Darlington, Beaver county, on Wednesday, the following gentlemen were chosen directors for the ensuing year: N. P. Fetterman, Pittsburgh; J. Henrichi, Economy; E. W. Roby and S. Chamberlin, Cleveland; George M. Young, John White, and John M'Cowen, Beaver county. A very able and satisfactory report was read by the President, N. P. Fetterman, Esq.

MR. ADDAMS' BENEFIT, last night, was an evidence of the estimation he is held in by our citizens—the house was well filled by an audience who applauded his performances in melo drama, farce and tragedy in a very enthusiastic manner. We hope he may make it convenient to pay our city a visit again before long. His short stay among us this time is regretted by all who have seen him.

EXTENDED HEARING.—William Shields and Charley M'Donald, the two men charged with robbing a boarding house in West Pittsburgh, had a final hearing before Alderman Boyd yesterday. The former was acquitted of all participation in the transaction, and the latter was committed to jail to await trial.

MR. BUCHANAN, the eminent tragedian, having been tendered a complimentary benefit, numerous citizens of Pittsburgh, will make his bow this evening. The house will doubtless testify to the appreciation of his numerous *friends*, and be of substantial benefit as well as complimentary to the actor.

VIOLATION OF SUNDAY LAW.—A man named A. Schocklefeer was taken before Alderman Major on Wednesday, to answer a charge of selling liquor on Sunday. He was convicted, and sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs, with which he failed to comply, and was consequently committed to jail.

COMMITMENTS for riot and assault and battery were yesterday lodged, by Alderman Major, against the parties implicated in misusing Valentine Felger, in the Ninth Ward, on Sunday evening. The injured man has so far improved, that his life is considered out of danger.

HUNG HIMSELF.—Mr. Levi Boadle, a resident of West Pikeson township, Washington county, committed suicide, on the 7th inst., by hanging himself in his stable. No cause is assigned for the rash act. He was upwards of advanced in years, and considerably property.

[illegible] the body of an infant, which was found [illegible] grave yard adjoining the Cemetery, some days [illegible] since, still remains where it was discovered. So [illegible] action should certainly be taken in the matter.

ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning a young man named William Stout, employed in Kingsley's foundry, Allegheny city, had one of his arms broken. It was set immediately afterwards by a physician.

WE direct attention to the card of Joseph White, Carriage Manufactory, whose establishment may be found between Pittsburgh and Lawrenceville, near the Two Mile Run.

A MAD DOG.—On Sunday last a dog belonging to Thomas Bell, which had taken a fit of hydrophobia, was shot by Amos Hawk, a short distance from the borough of Greensburg.

SINCE the 1st of January, the number of persons confined in the County Poor House has averaged one hundred and forty.

ROBBERY.—A lady had her pocket picked of five dollars, on Wednesday, while attending an auction sale on Federal street, Allegheny.


ALL THE MAGAZINES FOR MAY now ready at H. MINER & CO'S, No. 32 Smithfield street:
Frank Leslie's Gazette of Fashions for May;
Putnam's Magazine for May;
Graham's Magazine for May;
Godey's Lady's Book for May;
Leslie's New York Journal for May;
Ballou's Monthly for May;
Household Words for May;
Peterson's Magazine for May;
Blackwood's Magazine for April.
NEW BOOKS:
Kenneth; or, The Rear Guard of the Grand Army. By the author of "Heir of Redclyffe," "Heart'sease," "Cat's Holiday," &c.
History of Turkey. By A. De Lamartine, author of "Girondists," "Travels in the Holy Land," &c.
The O'Doherty Paper, by the late William Maginn, L. L. D.; annotated by Dr. Shelton Mackenzie, author of "Noctes Ambrosianæ," &c.
Robert Graham; A Sequel to "Linda; or, The Young Pilot of the Belle Creole." By Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz.
Legends and Stories of Ireland; by Lover; 25 cts.
Mammon; or the Hardships of an Heiress, by Mrs. Gore; 2 parts, paper, 75 cts.
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MANTILLAS.—A. A. MASON & CO. will open on Monday, April 9th, some splendid new styles of Mantillas, to which they invite the attention of the Ladies. ap9

HEMP SEED—33 bus. prime for sale by
B. A. FAHNES'TOCK & CO.,
my6 Corner Wood and First alley.

FLOUR—20 barrels Ex. Family received and for sale by
ap19 ATWELL, LEE & CO.


# NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Reported Expressly for the Daily Morning Post.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—New Orleans papers of Friday contain details of the Mexican news to the 5th. Santa Anna, as already announced, had left the capital for Michoacan. A report has got into circulation in the City of Mexico that a body of troops in Sonora revolted, and a pronunciamento had been made by the Mexican government, which ordered the suspension of all payments except those under treaties respecting foreign debt.

Sickness continued to prevail in the City of Mexico, particularly small pox, which made great ravages.

On the 28th April the supreme government had 40,000 troops concentrated in the capital of Michoacan.

Lieut. Don Jose Maria Flala has been pardoned by Santa Anna. He had been sentenced to six years imprisonment in a fortress, and dismissed from the army, for having fought a duel with the Spanish Consul at Tampico.

The Universel states that letters from Pernambuco gave accounts of great horrors committed by the Indians. The place was attacked by a band of one thousand; one of the houses of the place were sacked. The military commandant at Venezuela, and the Postmaster, were shot. Some of the principal inhabitants were beheaded, and many women were violated and carried off.

BOSTON, May 17.—In the Supreme Court an injunction being sought for by the Insurance Commissioner against the People's Mutual Insurance Company, on various grounds of mismanagement and failure to meet demands, the charges will be investigated on Monday.

The personal liberty bill, intended to nullify the Fugitive Slave Law, was taken up in the House to-day, and an amendment adopted forbidding any State officer holding the office of U. S. Commissioner. A motion made to strike out the section which incapacitates any attorney who acts for a slave claimant from practising in the State Courts, was rejected by a large majority.

The bill passed by a vote of 229 to 43. It had previously passed the Senate.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The steamer Cahawba arrived with two days later news.

The Gulf Squadron would return from Havana. The Princeton and Jamestown are cruising off the coast. Commodore Macauley is at Key West.

Gen. Concha will pardon Felix.

The arming and drilling of the colored population continues.

Yucatan Indians continue to be introduced into Cuba by consent of the Mexican authorities.

Governor Logan La Grand is restored.

The port of Havana is healthy and business is active.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 17.—Stark B. Taylor, of Washington, is appointed Messenger of the Court of Claims.

Judges Gilchrist and Scarborough left, to return on the 12th July, when the Court will sit for two weeks; will receive applications for docketing, and then adjourn to October. Judge Blackford remains. The Supreme Court rooms at the Capitol will be temporarily used.

The total applications for land warrants were 137,200.

Isaac D. Reed, flour merchant, of Georgetown, while returning from an excursion last night was drowned.

BALTIMORE, May 17.—A Savannah dispatch to the Richmond Dispatch, says that when the Jamestown was at Key West the division between the wardrooms and gun decks were taken down so as to clear the whole deck for action, which is not usually done except in time of war. It predicts, therefore, that the relations with Spain are in a critical condition.

NEW YORK, May 17.—The mate of the American schooner Bay City writes from Rio explaining an alleged outrage upon that vessel, by the British ship of war Buzzard. According to the mate's version of the difficulty, all was occasioned by the obstinacy of Capt. Watts, of the Bay City, in not showing his colors or hearing to.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—In the Episcopal Convention a Committee was appointed to inquire into the expediency of amending the Diocese, and the appointment of an assistant Bishop, as suggested by Bishop Potter in his pastoral charge.

NEW YORK, May 17.—There are no signs of the Baltic yet.

# COMMERCIAL POST.

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## WEEKLY MONEY ARTICLE.

PITTSBURGH, May 18, 1855.

The Money Market continues to exhibit but few symptoms of change. There is still an abundance of capital for all actual business requirements; hardly any street demand, and no pressing demand anywhere in fact. The month of Spring trade is pretty nearly over, and capital will continue to increase and consequently the demand for money will be less. Our business men are all satisfied, we think, with what they have done. The trade has been only tolerably active, and much behind last spring in magnitude. A safer mode of doing business has been pursued, however, which, with the general wise and conservative affairs in such a condition as to meet any contingency that may come, speaks well for our merchants, and they must reap beneficial results as the fruit of such precaution. The coming harvest is a question of much moment everywhere; so much depends upon a favorable one that we are not amazed at the anxiety manifested in all sections. Farmers are endeavoring to get a large portion of seed into the ground, and should the season continue as favorable as it has so far promised we may confidently anticipate considerably more than an average crop. We need a very large crop, and in fact more than an average one, in view of the famine prices we now have to pay for provisions. The foreign news speaks of unfavorable weather exciting fears in relation to the European harvest. Besides this, it seems to be a settled fact that the war is to go ahead, and England and France must help to fight it out. Our commercial interests are thereby disturbed, and suffering very much it has its influence upon us, and will keep up prices of all articles that should receive an increase of internal strength, by way of a good harvest, a continued contraction in business in every branch, and a decrease of our foreign mercantile indebtedness, we will be then able to *rise* in spite of it and maintain a healthy and prosperous condition. Until such a grip that strength everything will be dull and unsettled.

The present weekly Bank statement is a very favorable one, showing a reduction of liabilities and loans, with a fair increase of specie. The reduction of loans is larger than was anticipated. The figures are

| | Loans and Disc. | Specie | Circulation. | Deposits. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 5 | $93,693,243 | $14,323,050 | $5,057,669 | $8,214,109 |
| May 12 | 91,642,498 | 14,585,626 | 7,804,577 | 7,850,952 |
| Decrease | | $262,576 | | $363,157 |
| Incr'se | $1,050,745 | | $2,746,908 | |

The imports of Foreign Goods at New York continue to show a large decline as compared with last year. The receipts for last week, and from the 1st of January to date, were as follows:

| | 1854 | 1855 |
|---|---|---|
| Dry Goods | $ 900,219 | $ 572,423 |
| General Merchandise | 2,028,754 | 1,318,220 |
| Total | $ 2,928,974 | $ 1,890,642 |
| Previous eighteen weeks | 64,835,565 | 44,758,882 |
| Total, since January 1 | $67,764,539 | $46,649,514 |

We have advices from New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and all the principal cities, of ease in the money market, and of an abundance of capital.

The stock market every where is firm. Some civil engineering securities are purchased readily for permanent investments, while fancies are neglected. There is but little speculative movement. Money on call is about 6 per cent. The brokers are discounting all good business paper freely; while very little of any kind finds its way to the street. There is no change in rates, which range from 6 to 9 and 10 to 12 per cent. discount.

## WEEKLY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKET

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST,
Friday, May 18, 1855.

The dry weather, until within a day or two past, brought the river down to below the stage for active navigation, in consequence of which the amount of produce arriving at this place during the past week was not very large. The rush of the Spring trade is mostly over, and business matters generally are rather dull.

The receipts of Corn and Oats are falling off as well as Flour. Corn has consequently advanced and Oats are stiffer. The tendency of Flour is also upward. There is much disputo in regard to the quantity of Breadstuffs on hand in the principal depots. Some contend that the amount is greatly over-stated; while other tables are put forth showing it to be fully equal to what has been published. Our own opinion is, there is a sufficiency on hand to prevent Breadstuffs advancing materially until the next harvest is gathered. The coming crop still bids fair in all parts of the Union. In various parts of the North and West, particularly in Indiana, the severe frosts of last week injured the wheat, but the Corn and other cereals very generally escaped. Remains as last reported.

Bacon [illegible] also quoted at last week's figures. There are Groceries [illegible] bought in Louisiana and Florida having are reports of [illegible] the forthcoming crop. They should blasted the prospe[illegible] allowance.

be taken with a few g[illegible] and without change.

Lumber and Pig Metal are du[illegible] severity of last winter

As we stated some time ago, the [illegible] Pennsylvania destroyed a large number of [illegible] on average and Ohio, so that there regions will not prod[illegible] up to foryield of Wool. If other parts of the Union come [illegible] ble in mer years, however, the effect will hardly be percep[illegible] the price, as they comprise but a portion of the wool-pro[illegible] cing region. There is a good deal, two, of last year's pro[illegible] duct remaining in first hands.

APPLES—No sales are reported by wholesale. In the small way they command from $2,50 to $4,00.

ASHES—We have no change to notice in Pots, which are mess with ready sale at 3½@3¾ for common. Pots are not so firm; sales at 3¾ cash and 3¾ time. Pearls 6@6½. Saleratus 5½@6.

BACON is somewhat firmer in consequence of diminished receipts. In the early part of the week the sales were heavy, but this state of affairs was not maintained to the close; however, they foot up 184,000 lbs. which is rather above last week's mark. The quotations are 7¾, 8¾ and 10c for prime city smoked. Country smoked sold at ¾@½ below those rates. Sugar-cured Hams bring 12c ⅌ lb.

BEANS—Nothing doing and scarce. From store held at $2,75@$3 00.

BEESWAX—Sales on arrival at 24@25c; and from store at 26@27c.

BROOMS—Common Ohio, on arrival, sells at $2,50, and from store at $2,75@3. From store, Eastern at $3,00@3,25.

BUCKETS AND TUBS—Buckets at Factory $2, and from store $2,1 5@2,25. Large Tubs, from store, $7@7,50 ⅌ doz.; small do $4,50.

BULK MEAT—The only sales reported occurred on Saturday and comprised 50,000 lbs Shoulders at 6¾c on time; also, 40,000 do Hams (in dry salt) at 8½c, do.

BUTTER AND EGGS—Prime Roll is lower and will not bring more than 22 cents. Eggs are scarce and are ready sale at 12c.—in advance.

CANDLES—Sales of Star during the week at 9c ⅌ lb; Dipped 8c; rth 13½; and Mould 14½. Soap brings 5c.

CHEESE—Sales are occasionally made at 10@10½, for Western Reserve.

COPPER—We quote at 35@36, cash and time.

CORDAGE—The following are the rules now established

| | | | |
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| Manil, 's Rope, coil | 19 ⅌ lb. | Cut | 22 ⅌ lb. |
| White | 14 " | " | 15 " |
| Tarred | 13 " | " | 14 " |
| Packin g Yarn | 12 " | " | 11 " |

Bed Cord s—Manilla, $2,50, 3,75@5,00 ⅌ doz.

do ⅌ coil 19 cts ⅌ lb.
Hemp, $1,87, 2,75@3,75 ⅌ doz.
do ⅌ coil 14 cts ⅌ lb.

FLOOR LINES—Manilla, $1,25 ⅌ doz. Hemp, $1 ⅌ doz.

CORN MEAL—Sales from store at $4,25 per bbl and 92c ⅌ cwt.

COTTON YARNS, &c.—The following are now the ruling rates:

| FOUND YARN. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. 5 to 10, inclusive | 18c ⅌ lb | No. 16 | 23 ⅌ lb |
| " 11 & 12 | 20 " | " 17 | 24 " |
| " 13 | 20 " | " 18 | 25 " |
| " 14 | 21 " | " 19 | 26 " |
| " 15 | 22 " | " 20 | 27 " |
| DOZEN YARN. | | | |
| No. 500 | 8c ⅌ lb | No. 800 | 8½c ⅌ lb |
| " 600 | 8 " | " 900 | 9 " |
| " 700 | 7 " | " 1000 | 9½ " |

Carpet Chain: white 19@20, colored 23. Cover'd Yarn, 23@25. Candlewick, 18. Twine, 20. Batting, No. 1, 13: No. 2, 12; Family Batting, 15. Caulking, 15.

CRACKERS—The following are manufacturers' prices:

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| Water Crackers, ⅌ bbl | $6,00 |
| Butter do do | 7,00 |
| Pilot Bread | 5,75 |
| Sugar Crackers, ⅌ lb | 9 cts. |
| Soda do do | 9 " |
| Boston do do | 9 " |
| Pic-Nic do do | 9 " |

DRIED BEEF—Sugar-cured is worth 12½@13c, retail.

DRIED FRUIT—Very little doing. The only sale we note occurred early in the week at $1,60 for 50 bus Dried Apples

FEED—Sales from mill of Shipstuffs at $1,50 ⅌ 100 lbs; Middlings at $1,75 do; and Bran and Shorts at $1 40 do.

FISH—There is more doing of late in Fish. We quote Mackerel No. 3, large, at $16 50 ⅌ bbl, half do $8,50; White Fish $8,50@9,00, half do $5,00@5,50; Lake Superior Salmon $11; Halifax Herring $6,00@6,50 and Baltimore Salted Herring, to city trade at $7,75@8,00.

FLOUR—The sales are mainly to meet the home trade. Prices are stiffer and there are indications of an advance, if receipts are not heavier the coming week. Superfine is worth $9,50@$10,00 and Extra $10,00@$10,25. The inside figures ruling.

FRUIT AND NUTS—Foreign Fruits are exceedingly scarce and have advanced. The following are the rates at present:

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| Raisins, M. R., ⅌ box $3,25; hf box $1,50 qr box | 75 |
| Figs, ⅌ lb (new crop) | 13, 16 and 17 |
| Orange, ⅌ box | $5,00@$5,50 |
| Lemons, ⅌ box | $4,25@$4,50 |
| Almonds, ⅌ lb | 13, 16, 18, 20 |
| Pecans, ⅌ lb | 10 |
| Cream Nuts, Filberts & English Walnuts, ⅌ lb | 10 |
| Ground Nuts, ⅌ bus | $1,50@1,75 |

GLASS—We quote city brands Window at $2 ⅌ box for 9x8; $2,50 for 7x9; $3 for 8x10; $3,50 for 8x12. 9x12, and 10x12; $4,50 for 8x15, 9x14, and 10x14; $5 for 9x15, 10x15, and 10x16; $5,25 for 10x17; 5,50 for 10x18; and so on increasing in like ratio according to size.—10 ⅌ ct. off for cash. Country brands are sold at an average of about 50c less ⅌ box than city brands.

GRAIN—Corn has advanced and sales were made on Thursday at 90c to $1,00. Oats are firm at 58@60. Wheat ...A sale of 1300 bus Iowa is reported at $2 00. Rye brings $1,30@$1,35 readily.

GROCERIES—Are firm at last week's quotations, viz:—Sugar 6½@6¾ by the bbl and 6¾@7 by the bbl for the country trade. No change in Molasses, viz: cuba 30@32c, and refined at 34 to 36c. Rice 6½@6¾ and Coffee 12@12½. Tea varies as at wharf at $22 00@$32,00; from store $24,00@$26,00. The demand has fallen off.

HIDES—Green Slaughtered are worth 5¾@6c—a slight advance; and Dry Flint, 14½@15½c.

HOPS—Sales from store at 38@40.

IRON AND NAILS—Sales of common puddled bar at 2¾@3c, and in nails 10d, and upwards at 3¼@4c.

LARD—Prime city sells at 10c ⅌ lb and prime country at 9½c.

LEATHER—The store rates are now: Red Spanish Sole, ⅌ lb, 19@23; Slaughter Sole, 24@27; Upper leather, per dozen, $27@$33; Bridle do, do, $36@$40; Country Bridle do, $28@$36; Skirting leather, ⅌ lb, 28 cents.

MESS PORK—To the city trade sales are made at $15,50 @16, short time, and to the country at $16,00@$17,00.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits Turpentine is now held at 60c ⅌ gallon. Rosin at $3,25@3 50 for No. 2, and $4 for No. 1. A small sale of Tar at $4 50@$5.

OILS—Steady sales of Lard Oil No. 1 at 80c by the lot and in the small way. Linseed is firmer, and sales in the retail way are made at 85@90c.

OIL STONES—Are plentiful and somewhat lower.

PLASTER—Sales on Thursday of 325 bbls No. 1 and extra at $1,62@$1,75.

SEEDS—Timothy sells at $2,75 by the lot and $3,00 retail; Clover is dull at $6.50 by the lot and $6,75 small way. Flaxseed $1,00@$1 05, and firm.

SPIRITS—Are firmer at 35@36c. from first hands, on arrival, at shade lower, withdaled lirings

STEEL—Springsteel, Pittsburgh manufacture, 6¼@6¾c; Plow do, 7@7½; steel plough wings, 8; do, cut to pattern, $8@10½; A B steel, from rolled iron, 6¾; from hammered iron, 7½; B do steel, 7½; Pork do, 7; Sheet do, 8; steel dandy tire, 7; Elliptic Springs, 10½; seat do, 13@14; Cultivator teeth, 12½, 22@25; do 18x3½, 50@55 ⅌ doz.

TALLOW—Sales of several small lots were reported at 10½@11c.

TOBACCO—I C, $11,25, and I X, $13,25, cash; Pig $24; Bar $27½, cash.

TOBACCO—Virginia 5's range from 16@20, according to quality and lumps at 23@24. Virginia Twist, 16.

WHISKY—We note sales of Rectified, at 26@27c. The market is without animation.

## TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 17—Cotton firm; sales 1,000 bales. Flour a trifle lower; sales 6,000 bbls good ohio at $10@10½; Southern advanced 12½; sales 1100 bbls at $11,12½@$11 44. Wheat in mind firm; sales 2,000 bus Western at $1 15@$1,12½. Pork unchanged; sales 300 bbls. Beef steady; sales 1,000 bbls. Lard steady, but not quotably lower; sales 450 bbls at $11 12½@10,50. Whisky Ohio firm at 28@28½. Coffee dull. Sugar and Molasses firm. Stocks dull. Money unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—Flour continues quiet, prices unchanged, in exp ic demand, and sales confined to small lots for home consumption at $10,75@$11 for common and choice brands, and $11@11,25 for extra. Rye Flour and Corn Meal quiet, former held at $7,25 and the latter $4. Wheat dull at $2,05@$2 10 for red; white $2 08 — a sale of 500 bushels at the latter rate. Rye steady at $1,60; but there are limited offerings. Corn is lower; sales 5,000 bus yellow in parcels, reported: 1500 bus Southern sold at 66, incoming, steady business at former rates. Provisions have a small sale. Mess Pork at $15 50 ⅌ bbl. Bacon in fair request. Lard sales 300 kegs at 11½@ 00 days. Whisky unchanged; small sales in bbls at 30 and in hds at 31c.

CINCINNATI, May 17.—The river has risen six inches. Weather showery. Flour quiet at $9,50. Whisky dull at 30@32½. Corn steady; sales 2,000 bus at 75@80c. Pork and Lard lower; sales at prevail. Sales 75 bbls Bacon Shoulders at 7¾, packed. Sales 50 bbls Linseed Oil at $1,20. Groceries steady, but transactions light. Butter 20@24.

## Cattle Markets.

BALTIMORE, May 17.—100 head Beeves were offered to day; market dull, but no change in prices; 40 head left over and balance sold at $7 ⅌ 100 lbs net for good to prime; Ordinary ranged at $5 to 50; sales $7@7 75 ⅌ 100 lbs.

## Magazines, &c.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR MAY, 20 CENTS:

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| Putnam's | 20 " | Graham's | 20 " |
| Godey's | 20 " | Ballou | 25 " |
| Frank Leslie's Gazette | 25 " | Journal | 25 " |

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EVERY ADVANTAGE should be taken of favorable opportunities when the times are hard; then every penny of money, which is the same thing as making it, by getting your BOOTS and SHOES, wholesale or retail, at No 107 Market street, of

m10 W. E. SCHWERTZ.

RIFLE GUNS, of our own make, warranted good and to shoot well, such as have had by applying at the office of the "Enterprise Gun Works." BOWN & TETLEY,
my8 126 Wood street.

1000 CANE FISHING POLES—A fine article just received and for sale by BOWN & TETLEY.
my8

FISHING TACKLE—A large assortment on hand and for sale by BOWN & TETLEY.
my8

BLACK FISH SILKS—Just received, some rich and desirable small figd black Silks, by
my14 A. A. MASON & CO.

1000 COCOA NUTS just received and for sale by
my12 REYMER & ANDERSON.

BONNET RIBBONS—Just received a large variety of new style Bonnet Ribbons
my14 A. A. MASON & CO.

LACE AND SILK MANTILLAS—A. A. MASON & CO. will exhibit on Monday, the 14th inst ant, a variety of splendid new styles of Lace and Silk Mantillas. jm14

BLACK SILK MITTS—100 doz Ladies' Black Silk Mitts, ⅌ pair, a large quantity just received.
my14 A. A. MASON & CO., 25 Fifth street.

FRENCH LAWNS—A. A. MASON & CO. invite attention to their superior assortment of fine French lawns, Jaconets and Muslins. my14

CALL TO DAY AT CARGO'S GALLERY, No. 76 Fourth street.

WHEAT WALL PAPERS—New supplies just received and for sale by (my12) WALTER P. MARSHALL.

CENTRE-PIECES, for Change keys and Hectestals, for sale by (my12) WALTER P. MARSHALL.

NEW FRENCH PAPER HANGINGS, at 85 WOOD St. Received by last steamers, new designs in Gold, Tapestry, and plain Wall Papers, Borders and Panel decorations.
my12 WALTER P. MARSHALL, 85 Wood street.

FLOUR—108 bbls Ex. Family Flour (not in good copper egg) receiving on consignment, and for sale low by
my12 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

POTATOES—40 sacks Gallens Potatoes received on consignment and for sale by
my11 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

100 BOXES ORANGES, in prime order, for sale by
my12 REYMER & ANDERSON, No. 39 Wood street.

MINERAL WATERS—Congress, Hartford and Blue Lick Waters, always on hand at
my12 JOS. FLEMING'S, Corner Diamond and Market st.

60 BOXES LEMONS;
40 " Oranges;
50 " Scaled Herring; just received and for sale by
REYMER & ANDERSON,
my11 No. 39 Wood street.

SEGARS—1000 Washington Regalias;
5000 Havana;
5000 Orus Principe;
5000 Princi, e, Eagle brand; for sale by
REYMER & ANDERSON,
my11 No. 39 Wood street.

SILK SHAWLS—A large assortment of Plain, Fig'd and Black Silk Shawls just received
my7 A. A. MASON & CO.

PORK LEGS—70 bbls for sale by
my7 HENRY H. COLLINS.

FANCY CASSIMERES—Something suitable in Fancy and Plain Cassimeres just received.
my7 A. A. MASON & CO.

100 PIECES HEAVY GINGHAMS, good colors, just received by (my7) A. A. MASON & CO.

FAST COLORED CALICOES—2000 pcs good Fast Colored Calicoes just received and retailing at 6¼ cents per yard.
my7 A. A. MASON & CO.

SPONGES—A large assortment of fine and coarse Sponges on hand and for sale by JOS. FLEMING,
my7 Corner Diamond and Market st.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—
160 hhds Plantation Sugar;
500 bbls Plantation Molasses;
150 hf bbls do do
100 bbls Sugar House do
10 hf bbls Golden Syrup; for sale by
my6 MILLER & RICKETSON.

ORANGES—60 boxes Oranges;
40 " Lemons; just received and for sale
by (my6) REYMER & ANDERSON.

# NEWS FOR RIVER MEN.

THE RIVER.—There were 5 feet 3 inches water in the channel at dark last evening. There is a gradual rise from the rain of Monday last; the rain of Wednesday will not be perceptible before this evening. Business on the wharf is dull.

THE steamer "Granite State," Capt. Haslett, will take the place of the "Pittsburgh," as the regular packet for Cincinnati to-day; she leaves at 10 o'clock, A. M.

THE fine steamer "Diurnal" is the regular packet for Wheeling this morning; she leaves at 10 o'clock.

THE steamer "Chevolt" came up from Marietta yesterday, with a large party of ladies and gentlemen on board. They were accompanied by a splendid brass and string band from that place, and the company amused themselves to a late hour last night "tripping it on the light fantastic toe."

THE excellent steamer "Granite State," Capt. E. Haslett, B. G. Leiper, clerk, was unavoidably detained yesterday; she will positively leave to-day for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi river. Passengers going West will find it to their interest to give her a call.

THE fine steamer "Great West" leaves to-day for St. Louis, Galena, Dubuque and St. Paul. Her accommodations for cabin and deck passengers are of the first class. We would advise those traveling West to give her a call. Her officers will be found attentive and accommodating to all who have business with them.

NEW HULL.—Messrs. Gracy, Mason & Doyle have contracted with Spears & Co., of Bellevernon, for a new hull, to be built on the principle of the "Empire City," and to be ready for the fall business.

## PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

5 FEET 3 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Michigan No. 2, Herst, Wellsville.
" Venture, Gordon, Beaver.
" Gen. Larimer, ——, Steubenville.
" Pittsburgh, Cook, Cincinnati.
" Diurnal, Shepherd, Wheeling.
" Paul Jones, Dales, St Louis.
" Orb, —— Portsmouth.

DEPARTED.

Steamer Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Michigan No. 2, Herst, Wellsville.
" Venture, Gordon, Beaver.
" Gen. Larimer, ——, Steubenville.
" Forest City, Moore, Wheeling.
" Philadelphia, Grace, Cincinnati.

## STEAMBOATS.

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PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI, LOUISVILLE,
AND
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Pittsburgh and Cincinnati Steam Packet Line,
FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF
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THIS LINE is composed of seven first class powerful Steamers, unequalled for speed, splendor, safety and comfort, and is the ONLY THROUGH DAILY LINE OF STEAM PACKETS on the Ohio river. It connects with the U. S. Mail Line of Steamers from Cincinnati to Louisville and Saint Louis, by which passengers and freight are *ticketed and received through daily*. Two new fleet boats have been added to the Line, which now consists of the following boats:

| *Boats.* | *Captains.* | *Days of Departure from Pittsburgh.* |
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| BUCKEYE STATE | M. W. BRITMOUSER | Sunday. |
| KEYSTONE STATE | JOHN HASLEY | Monday. |
| ALLEGHENY | GEO. M'LAIN | Tuesday. |
| CINCINNATI | R. HUNTER | Wednesday. |
| PHILADELPHIA | S. J. GRACE | Thursday. |
| PITTSBURGH | I. N. COX | Friday. |
| PENNSYLVANIA | JOS. KUNKELEN | Saturday. |

Leave daily at 10 o'clock, A. M.

No freight received after nine o'clock on the morning of departure.

For particulars, apply on board, or to
JOHN B. LEVINGSTON,
JOHN FLACK, } Agents,
Monongahela House Buildings.
Pittsburgh, 1855. [nov28]

Pittsburgh, Steubenville and Wheeling Packets.

The DIURNAL, Captain A. S. SHEPHERD, and the FOREST CITY, Captain GEORGE MOORE, will run as regular DAILY PACKETS, between Pittsburgh, Steubenville and Wheeling, stopping at all intermediate ports.

The DIURNAL will leave Pittsburgh on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock, A. M.—*Returning*, will leave Wheeling on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7½ o'clock, A. M.

The FOREST CITY will leave Pittsburgh on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 10 o'clock, A. M.—*Returning*, she will leave Wheeling on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 7½ o'clock, A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board or to
J. D. COLLINS, Agent,
my18 No. 155 Front street.

For St. Louis.

The splendid steamer BOSTONIA, JONES, Capt. J. B. DALTS, F. GALATAS Clerk, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, 19th inst., at 10 A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to
my18 BLACK & BARNES, Agents.

For Zanesville.

The steamer CHEVOIT, Capt. JOHN T. MAXES Clerk, will leave for the above place and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, 19th inst., at 12 M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to
my18 DARNES & COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

For St. Louis, Quincy, Warsaw, Keokuk, Galena, Dubuque, and St. Paul.

The steamer GREAT WEST, Captain M'CULLOUGH, M'Cord Clerk, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on FRIDAY, 18th instant, at 10 A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to
my14 HARNES & LIVINGSTON, Agents

For St. Louis, Galena, Dubuque, and St. Paul, Minnesota.

The steamer GRANITE STATE, Captain Z. HASLETT, D. Moore, Clerk, will leave for the above ports and intermediate ports on FRIDAY, May 18th, at 10 A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to
my14 HARNES & LIVINGSTON.

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