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Bank of Beav, ar County New Brighton, PaAsialic Bank. Salem, Mass.
Merrimac Bank. Haverhill, Mass.
Sunker Hill Bank. Charlestown, Mass.
Providence D. -\$5,067,50**0** The following-named banks have increased their The First National Bank of Norwich, Connecticut, has been designated by the Secretary of the Treasury as a depositary of the public money. Other application for authorization to become custodians of the Govern ment funds have been enspended, the Secretary having very justly declined to receive personal bonds as security. Banks desiring to become depositaries, in future must tender United States bonds, and those institutions that now have individual pledges of good faith to the Government must exchange them and deposit public securities within sixty days, or have their authoricasecurities within sixty days, or have their authorization to receive Government deposites cancelled.

The Pittsburg Commercial of Saturday speaks of a renewed excilement on George's creek in reference to the striking of a wonderful flow of oil on the farm of a fir. Jacob Crow. The Kramer well has secured a flow of oil at a depth of 525 feet. The Lucas well has also struck a fine vein of lubricating oil at a depth of only 129 feet, and is now pumping ten barrels per day. George's creek empties into the Monogahela river opposite and two miles below the mouth of Dunkard creek. The Crow well is six and a half miles from the Mappel farm. The Lucas well is above, and pearly the Mapel farm. The Lucas well is above, and nearly opposite the lease of the Dunkard Oil Company of this The following were the quotations of American stocks The following were the quotations of Amer in London on the 9th inst.:

Maryland 5 per cent.
United States, 5-20 years, 1882.

Virginia State 5 per cent.

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Do. 2d mortgage, 1880, 7 per cent.

Do. 2d mortgage, 1887.

Pennsylvania, 1st mortgage, 1887.

Pennsylvania, 2st mortgage, 1887.

Do. 2d mortgage, 1887.

Do. 7 per cent. pref. do.

Do. 4th mort.

Do. 5th mort.

Ullinois Central 6 per cent. 1875.

Do. 4f00 shares (all paid).

Marietta and Ghrcinnati Railroad bonds. 7s. The rebel loan was down a little in London, the last don Circular of the 10th Inst. says:

The market for American securities in London has been steady during the past week, and quotations are without any materal change United States 6 20 bonds have improved & Feent, while Illinois shares have given way & Beent, Virginia six per cents, are not inquired for, at an advance of 122 Feent, We not some demand for Atlantic and Great Western first mortage bonds (New York section), to secure the coupon due 1st proximo; also, for Pennsylvania section first mortages, in anticipation of the annual drawing, which takes place in January. emi-Weekly Review of the Philadelphia Markets.

DRUMBER 27—Evening.

The Produce markets continue very dull, and prices have a downward tendency, owing to the decline in gold. Bark is unchanged. Cotton is dull and lower. Flour and Grain are also dull. Fish and Fruit are unchanged. Whisky has declined. In Woolthere is very little demand for Flour, and the market is dull, and prices have a downward tendency. The only sales we hear of are in a small way to the Retailers and Bakers at from \$9.50@10 for superfine, \$10.60@11.25 for extra, \$11.60@12 for extra family, and \$12.60@11 25 bit for fancy brands, as to quality. Bye Flour and Corn Meal are without thange. Huckwheat is selling at \$5.25 the 100 fbs.

GRAIN.—Wheat is dull, and there is very little doing. Small sales have been made at 250@255c for reds, and white at from 276@225c 25 bushel, as to quality. Rye is scarce, with sales of 500 bushels at 173c 25 bushel. Corn continues dull. Small sales are making at 188c 25 hushel for new yellow. Oats are unchanged. About 2.000 bushels sold at 25c 25 bushel.

PROVISIONS.—The market is rather dull, and changed. About 2,000 bushels sold at \$2c \(\text{P}\) bushel.

PROVISIONS.—The market is rather dull, and the transactions are limited, Small sales of new Mess Pork are making at \$41@42 \(\text{P}\) bbl. Dressed Hogs are selling at \$16 \(50@17 \) the 100 \(\text{P}\) bbl. Dressed Hogs are selling at \$16 \(50@17 \) the 100 \(\text{P}\) bbl. Bacen continues carce. Small sales of Hams are making at 20@26 \(\text{P}\) if or plain and fancy canvassed. Sides are quoted at 20@21c, and Shoulders at 20@21c \(\text{P}\) b, cash. Green Mests are also scarce. Lard comes in slow-ly; small sales of bbls and therees are making at 23%@24%c. Kegs are worth 25@23%c \(\text{P}\) b. Butter is in demand at full prices, with sales of solid packed at \$5@44c. Roll at 45@52c, and Goshen at 50@55 \(\text{P}\) h. New York Cheese sells at 22@24c \(\text{P}\) b, and Eggs at ±6@45c \(\text{P}\) dozen. York Cheese sells at 22@24c \$\mathbb{P}\$, and Eggs at it.@45c \$\mathbb{Q}\$ dozen.

METALS.—Pig Iron is dull, and there is not much doing. No. 1 Anthracite is held at \$60 \$\mathbb{P}\$ ton. Mannfactured Iron is in fair demand at former raies.

BAEK.—Curveiron continues dull, and there is very little doing; first No. 1 sold at \$42.50 \$\mathbb{P}\$ ton.

CANDLES.—Tallow Candles are selling in a small way at 30c \$\mathbb{P}\$. Adamantine are selling at from \$3@35c \$\mathbb{P}\$ to. Adamantine are selling at from \$3@35c \$\mathbb{P}\$ to. Adamantine are selling at from \$3@35c \$\mathbb{P}\$ to shert and full weight.

DOAL—The market continues dull, and prices remain about for the same as last quoted. Carlo sales are making from Ect Echnond at from \$5.00\mathra{P}\$ to under the same as last quoted. Carlo sales are making at upsatised and rather lower; small sales are making at \$3@45c \$\mathra{P}\$ in.—The market is dull and prices are lower, and we hear of no sales worthy of notice.

FRUIT—Raisins are in fair demand, with sales at \$60.0 \$\mathra{P}\$ box for bunch and layers. Green Appies are sailing at from \$4@6 \$\mathra{P}\$ bb. as to quality. Dried Apples are in demand at 120 \$\mathra{P}\$ box for bunch and layers. Green Appies are sailing at from \$4@6 \$\mathra{P}\$ bb. and Feaches at \$2026c \$\mathra{P}\$ b for quarters, and pared do at \$50 and \$50 \$\mathra{P}\$ in Fish.—Mackerel are firmly held, but the demand is limited, and the sales are in a small way only from store, at \$2026c \$\mathra{P}\$ b for they do, and \$14.00@15.00 \$\mathra{P}\$ bb for large 2nd small \$0.00. Yeight Herring are scares. Codian are selling at \$8.00 the loo libe.

FEATHRES.—Good Western are selling at \$0@65c \$\mathra{P}\$. 9:10. GINSENG.—Crude is selling in a small way at \$1.15@ :20 % b, cash. HOPS.—New Eastern are selling at 45@55c, and old at HOPS.—New Eastern are selling at 45@55c, and old at 36.36c bt.

HAY.—Baled is selling at \$22@30 \$2 ton.

LUMBER.—There is very vittle demand, and the sales are in a mall way only af former rates.

MOLASSES is dull, and prices are unsettled. Small sales of English Island are reported at \$5c, and some tart Muscovado at 50c \$2 gallon.

NAVAL STORES are rather dull. Rosin is quoted at \$50 \$2 bbl. Tar and Pitch continue quiet. Spirits of Turpentine is selling in a small way at \$2.25 \$2 gallon.

Olls.—Linseed Oil is relling at \$1.00 \$2 gallon.

Winter Lard Oil is worth \$2 10 for No. 1. Fish olls are firmly held, with sales of crude Whale at \$1.73@1.75, and winter Sporm at \$2.50@2.50 \$2 gallon. Petroleam continues unsettled; sales are making at 50@51s for crude. \$2.575 for refined in bond, and free at from \$2.36c \$2 gallon, as to quality.

PLASTER is dull; a cargo of soft has been sold at \$1.50 ton. FLASTER is dull; a cargo of soft has been sold at \$4.00 ton.

RIOR, as we have netteed for some time past, continues scarce, and the demand is limited; small sales of Rangoon are making at from 13k, @14kc & Ph. ccask. at SEDR.—Flaxseed is rather lower, with sales at \$3.769.75. Timothy isselling in a small way at \$4.765 to \$5.76. Timothy isselling in a small way at \$4.765 to \$5.76. Timothy isselling in a small way at \$4.765 to \$5.76. Timothy isselling in a small way at \$4.765 to \$5.76. Timothy is sales of about \$50 but at \$4.404 15 \$6.00 to \$1.76. The sales of short some and the sales of sales of which sales at \$2.206 2.52 \$2.0100.

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