

HOME MATTERS.

Byres Home—The river is gradually going down, and without a heavy rain, most soon to be low for large boats.

The Case of the Pittsburgh—The Supervising Inspector of this district has very properly recommended the decision of the local inspectors at Cincinnati, in the case of the collision between the Pittsburgh and the Virginia.

The case has just been decided by Mr. Crawford, the Supervising Inspector, upon appeal to him—and he has returned a decision in favor of the Pittsburgh, and has accordingly acquitted Mr. Shafter, the Engineer.

The investigation by the Supervising Inspector brought out the fact that the vessel was not in compliance with the rules of the river.

The following items of information are from the St. Louis Intelligence of Monday: The River—A Run Run Express—Opinion is expressed by the St. Louis Intelligence yesterday to dark about 4 feet.

The destruction of the Pike—Arrivals from below on Saturday afternoon bring information that the reports of great loss of life by the sinking of the Pike, which were published in some of the papers, are entirely untrue.

DEAD—James Kelly, the late manager of the firm of Kelly & Co., died at his residence on Monday.

HEAVY CONTRACT—Mr. McCarty, the designer of the Marine Railway here, has obtained a contract for the construction of the bridge.

THE TRUTH CONCERNING SELLERS' VERMIN—A student of the law at the University of Virginia has written a book on the subject.

BY TELEGRAPH.

CONGRESSIONAL. WASHINGTON, May 18.—Yesterday's proceedings concluded. Mr. Shields reported on the bill for the extension of the term of the Michigan and Lake Michigan Railroad Company.

Mr. Mallory reported a bill for the promotion of the rank of Major-General in the Army.

After debate on the Indigent Inmate Land bill, it was postponed, and the Senate took up the resolution to publish the Senate debates at \$1.00 per copy.

Mr. Stuart moved to amend by extending the same to the Union and the Independent. A warm debate ensued, but without coming to a vote the Senate adjourned.

House—Yesterday's proceedings concluded. The House went into Committee on Wholesome Food on the Nebraska bill.

The debate continued until eight o'clock. Mr. Wade made a strong speech against the bill, showing its immunities. When he concluded the House adjourned.

House—The Speaker held before the House a message from the President, communicating a reply to resolution of the House, copies of the correspondence between this and foreign Governments.

Mr. Sherman reported a bill for the extension of the term of the Michigan and Lake Michigan Railroad Company.

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COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF STATISTICS of the Board of Trade for New York City, in its report for the week ending May 18, 1884, reports that the total receipts for the week were \$1,000,000.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS. FLOUR—sales on the market 27,000 barrels, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 25,000 to 27,000 barrels, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

GRAIN—sales on the market 100,000 bushels, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 bushels, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

WHEAT—sales on the market 100,000 bushels, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 bushels, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

CORN—sales on the market 100,000 bushels, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 bushels, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

COAL—sales on the market 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

IRON—sales on the market 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

STEEL—sales on the market 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

COPPER—sales on the market 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above; from 75,000 to 100,000 tons, at \$1.00 and 10c above.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR CINCINNATI—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for Cincinnati on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

FOR ST. LOUIS—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for St. Louis on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

FOR PITTSBURGH—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for Pittsburgh on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

FOR PHOENIX—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for Phoenix on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

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FOR NEW ORLEANS—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for New Orleans on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

FOR SAVANNAH—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for Savannah on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

FOR CHARLOTTE—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for Charlotte on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

FOR WASHINGTON—The new and improved steamer "Pittsburgh" will leave for Washington on Monday, May 20, at 10 o'clock.

NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

IRON RAILROADS—The new and improved iron railroads will be completed by the end of the year.

PLUMBERS, JAPANESE AND COMMON TOWERS—The new and improved plumbers, Japanese and common towers will be completed by the end of the year.

THE NEW YORK STEAM SHIP COMPANY—The new and improved steam ship company will be completed by the end of the year.

CAPPS, BALLS, NUMEROUS STYLES, ETC.—The new and improved caps, balls, numerous styles, etc. will be completed by the end of the year.

THE GENERAL TERMS OF THE SUPERIOR COURT—The new and improved general terms of the superior court will be completed by the end of the year.

THE WORLD'S GREAT EXHIBITION PRIZE MEDAL—The new and improved world's great exhibition prize medal will be completed by the end of the year.

THE AMERICAN CHLOROPHYLL—The new and improved American chlorophyll will be completed by the end of the year.

THE BROWNVILLE WATER-CURE ESTABLISHMENT—The new and improved Brownville water-cure establishment will be completed by the end of the year.

THE PHILADELPHIA STEAM WORKS—The new and improved Philadelphia steam works will be completed by the end of the year.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ADVERTISING AGENCIES—The new and improved advertising agencies will be completed by the end of the year.

PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANTS—The new and improved produce commission merchants will be completed by the end of the year.

EXCELSION SEWING MACHINES—The new and improved excelsion sewing machines will be completed by the end of the year.

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NOTICES & C.

REMOVAL—The new and improved removal notice will be completed by the end of the year.

CO-PARTNERSHIP—The new and improved co-partnership notice will be completed by the end of the year.

MONTEGOMERY INSURANCE COMPANY—The new and improved Montgomery insurance company will be completed by the end of the year.

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THE GREAT FISH & MUSIC ESTABLISHMENT.

HORACE WATERS—The new and improved Horace Waters will be completed by the end of the year.

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