AUCTION SALES.

P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.
Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth Sts

LAND WARRANTS AND INSURANCE STOCK At Auction—On Thursday evening, May 22d, at 8 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th st., will be sold,
2140 acres Land Warrants
24 shares Pittsburgh Insurance Co.
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VALUABLE LONDON BOOKS At Auction.—On Thursday evening, May 22d, at 7½ o'clock, at the commercial sales rooms, corner Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold, by catalogue, a valuable collection of books, fine English editions, including many rare and curious works, classic authors, voyages and travels, biography, theology, history, &c., &c., many of them elegantly illustrated, comprising
Mammatt's Geological Facts, 1 vol, 4to; Rapin's History of England, best edition, 5 vols, folio, numerous plates; Poole's Annotations on the Bible, 2 vols, folio; Works of Livy, Valpy's fine edition, 20 vols; Flout's Illustrations of the Bible, folio; Vestiges of Old London, 1 vol, 4to; Hume's History of England, Boyne's splendid edition, folio; Hooke's Roman History, 4 vols, 4to; Belsham's George 3d, 2 vols; Price's Embassy to Persia, 1 vol, 4to, plates; Discoveries in Hieroglyphics, 5 vols; Squier's Central America, plates, 2 vols; Howitt's General History, 4 vols, folio; Wilkinson's Ancient Egyptians, 2 vols; Aiken's National Sports of Great Britain, plates; Marine Atlas of the World, 2 vols, folio; Pictorial Gallery of Arts, 2 vols; Stark's River Scenery, 4to; History of Reign of Queen Anne, 1 vol, folio; History and Antiquities of London, 5 vols; Holland's Works, 2 vols; Royal Visit to Scotland, 1 vol, 4to; Johnson's Travels in Russia; Sir Joshua Reynold's Works, 2 vols; Daniel's Sketches of Southern Africa, 43 plates; Robinson's Designs for Ornamental Villas, &c, &c. Catalogues are nowready and the books arranged for examination.
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BANK STOCKS At Auction—On Thursday evening, May 22d, at 5 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, will be sold,
18 shares Merchants and Manufacturers Bank;
18 " Exchange Bank. P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

EUREKA INSURANCE COMPANY STOCK AT AUCTION—On Thursday evening, May 22nd, at 8 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, will be sold, 25 shares Eureka Insurance Co. Stock.
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PITTSBURGH, May 12th, 1856.
At a meeting of the Commissioners of the PITTSBURGH BRIDGE COMPANY, held on the 10th inst.,—on motion of Geo. W. Jackson, Esq., it was
Resolved, That books for subscription to the capital stock of said Company be reopened at the following times and places:
At St. Charles Hotel, Pittsburgh, on 19th and 20th May.
At Jarrett's tavern, Washington road.....22d do
At Wyatt's store, Steubenville road.....23d do
At Vincent's store, Coraopolis.....24d do
At Perry Martin's, Mansfield.....26th do
Resolved, That Alexander McKee, Moses Ghees and Jas. Trunick, be appointed to receive subscriptions at the above times and places in the order given.
Capt. James Wood, John F. Slager and Samuel A. Long, to receive subscriptions in Pittsburgh.
JAMES WOOD, Chairman.
S. A. LONG, Sec'y. my14d2tcho

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A FIRST CLASS FOUNDRY BUILDING Patterns, Plank Tools, etc., will be sold or let for a series of years, on moderate terms.
Or, an active business man with a capital would be received as a partner, or as a manager. Address Box 376, Post Office. ap28 1t

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration have been granted to the subscriber on the estate of James Reed, late of Pittsburgh, dec'd. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
ap24 6w SARAH REED, Adm'x.

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Stock and Note Broker,
NO. 62 FOURTH STREET.
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Having an extensive acquaintance with Monied men, we are enabled to negotiate loans entrusted to us, promptly and on favorable terms. ap10

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300,000 BUSHELS COAL WANTED.
PROPOSALS are now being received at the office of the Cincinnati & Lightsville Coal Company, for the delivery of 300,000 bushels of Youghiogheny or best quality Pittsburgh Coals, at the Gas Works in Cincinnati. From 50,000 to 100,000 bushels should be delivered by the first day of July next; the remainder will be received in even monthly instalments throughout the balance of the year 1856.
The Coal stores of the Company are quite adjacent to the Gas Works.
H. J. MILLER, President, P. T.
Cincinnati, April 20, 1856. my5dtf

Coal, Slack and Lime.
SEALED PROPOSALS for delivering in the stores at the Works of the Pittsburgh Gas Company, 175,000 bu hels of Bituminous Coal, 50,000 bushels of Slack and 5,000 bushels of Lime, will be received at the office of the Company, until Thursday, the 22th inst., at 3 o'clock, P. M. The Coal, slack and lime to be of such quality and delivered at such times and in such quantities as shall be approved of and directed.
The standard of computation for coal and slack to be 76 pounds per bushel.
Payments to be made monthly, retaining 20 per cent. as security for performance of contract.
Proposals to be addressed to JOHN HOLMES, Esq., President of the Company, and endorsed "Proposals for Coal and Slack," or for "Lime," as the case may be.
JAMES THOMPSON, Engineer.
Office of the Pittsburgh Gas Co., }
May 19th, 1856. my19dtd

Removal.
FRANK VAN GORDER has removed to No. 78 MARKET ST., nearly opposite to Bloodstand, and is now prepared to supply his customers and the public generally, with anything they need in the way of Trimmings, Embroideries, Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery and Fancy Goods generally.
☞ Remember the No. 78 Market st. ap22md6mos

DELAY NOT,
Ye who Consider a fine head of Hair NATURE'S GREATEST ORNAMENT, but use it to be lost.
SANDER'S SCALP TONIC,
which restores the healthy circulation of the scalp, causes hair to grow on the bald, and checks any tendency towards its falling out and becoming thin.
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The most extensive and complete of the kind in the country.
With a stock of over ONE MILLION feet of choice Lumber, well seasoned, and a strong force of first rate mechanics, he will commence operations in a few days, when he will be ready to attend to the orders of his numerous friends and customers.
A VARIETY OF
NEW STYLES OF FURNITURE
Will be introduced and sold at low prices.
Particular attention will be given to the manufacturing of Furniture suitable for Steamboats and Hotels, which will be sold on accommodating terms, and at prices that will defy competition.
CANE SEAT CHAIRS
Made at this establishment, so much admired for durability and neatness of design, will be sold at the reduced price of from $5.50 to $6 per dozen.
☞ SCROLL SAWING and TURNING of all kinds done to order.
Rooms with Steam Power to Rent.
☞ Veneers, Varnish, Hair Cloth, Nulling and Cabinet Makers' finding generally, always on hand, and will be sold to the trade at a small advance on Eastern cost prices.
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A few doors West of No. 203 Broadway. mr1

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SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
Which I think contains a larger variety of rich styles than any other former purchase. I have taken special pains to obtain all the shades of
FANCY CLOTHS
generally desired, viz: Fawn, Dahlia, Mulberry, Bronze, Drab, Brown and Olive, with various tints of Green and Blue. I have observed the same care in selecting my
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LAKE FISH—
100 bbls Lake Superior Trout;
50 " " " White Fish;
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Two Hundred Thousand Dollars,
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For the character of the above instruments, the subscriber has the pleasure of referring to about *Five Hundred Families* in Pittsburgh and vicinity, who have purchased and have in use Piano Fortes from the above manufactory, and also to the following Principals of Seminaries who have Chickering & Sons' Piano Fortes in use, and have given their unqualified testimony of their superiority over all others.
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Just receiving a large stock of Pianos of the latest styles, from the manufactories of
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Arrangements have been made with the manufacturers by which their instruments will be sold lower for the money, by one agents here than in the east, and without the additional cost and risk of transportation.
Every Piano sold by the subscriber is warranted perfect in every respect and a written guarantee given if required.
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Prize Songs.
THE New York Musical Review Prize Songs,
No. 1. Sweet and Low, by O. Dressel. Took the first prize of $200.
No. II. One Hour Of Me, by Celia Harber.
" III. Where are all the Birds that Sang, by Frank Sewall.
No. IV. My Gentle Mother's Song, by C. C. Converse—Took the second prize of $100.
No. V. The Baby, by B. D. Allen.
" VI. The Flowers, by Frank Darley.
" VII. The Parting, by H. G. Watson.
" VIII. Serenade, by Ernest Kospoli.
The above eight songs were selected from 400 sent in for competition, and it is the best collection of songs ever published in America. They are issued in superb style, and sold at the low price of twenty-five CENTS EACH.
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NEW MUSIC—The March du Nuit, L. M. Gottschalk, 25. Last Dove, do. 75.
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Minnehaha, or Laughing Water Polka, Francis H Brown.
Il Trovatore de Verdi, Fantasie par Henri Rosellen.
Malakoff Quadrille, with colored frontis piece:
Sardinian Polka.
Eugenie, Grand Mazurka Guerriere par W. V. Wallace;
Transcription of Favorite Melodies, by G. A. Osborne.
10 Nocturnes.
Invitations to ring, brilliant variations, Wm. Incho.
Hiawatha, by Petter, or Daley, Peoples, by Ascher, &c.
NEW SHOTTISCHES.
Hiawatha by Pen. V. Morris Happy Return, Ellsburg and White Mountain.
NEW WALTZES.
La Lassie, Fountain of Love, Mondamin, Merry Sleigh Ride.
NEW SONGS.
Dreams that Charmed me While I Child, Alice Hawthorne; Smiles and Tears, Why ask I I Remember, Alice Hawthorne; Dearest dpot of Earth to me is Home, Why that Tear; "When Sorrow fills up My Measure," Old Auntie Neal; The Rose peeping in at the Window; I am Not Angry, When Shall I see an Angel too? Voiceless of Angels, words by Longfellow; Dreams of Youth, Carlo Gola, just rec'd and for sale by
CHARLOTTE BLUME,
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☞ Music mailed; Post paid. my2

NEW BOOKS! MAGAZINES!—Vagas Dead Lifelin Mexico, by Gabriel Ferry.
Lady's Guide to Perfect Gentility, Emily Thornwell.
The Sparrowgrass Papers, by Fred. A. Kimball.
Lardner's 100 and 10 Things worth Knowing, for 25c.
Dick Tarleton, or the last of his race;
Cyril, a romance, by the author of the Initials;
Fred Graham, or Hooks and Faces, by J. F. Smith;
Jack Adams, the celebrated Sailor and Mutineer, by Capt. Chamier.
MAGAZINES FOR JUNE.
Harper's new Monthly Magazine;
Grahams' Illustrated American Monthly Magazine;
Peterson's Ladies National Magazine;
Godey's Ladies' Book, colored fashion, plate and steel engravings;
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Harper's Story Book for June, (the engraver)
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FOR SALE—13 acres of land, on which is a small frame tenement, in Peebles tp., pleasantly situated, near the Fourth st. Road, having some very good fruit trees in good bearing order. Apply to
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TELEGRAPHIC

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, May 21.

SENATE.—Mr. Collamer introduced a bill to test the practicability and usefulness of the atmospheric telegraph. Mr. Foot reported a bill to permit the Legislature of Iowa to determine for that State the application of the grant of land heretofore made to aid in the construction of railroads therein. The Senate then took up and passed the bill giving a monthly pension of 30 dollars for life to John Nugent of New York, who lost both arms on board the Sloop of war Germantown while firing a salute in honor of the birthday of the Queen of Spain.

The bill granting the right of pre-emption in certain cases to the India Yearly Meeting Society of Friends was passed.

Mr. Mason discussed the Naval Board arguing that their proceedings should be set aside so far as competent for Congress to do so.

Mr. Benjamin gave reasons why the Senate should pass the bill making an appropriation for removing obstructions to navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi, the objections of the President to the contrary notwithstanding. He adverted to the fact that the President had vetoed the General River and Harbor Bill, at the same time intimating that he would of separate bills making appropriations for many of those works. This bill was drawn in compliance with the suggestion of the executive, and was eminently national in its character, but the President had now changed his entire principles upon the subject, and refused to give his approval to any bill of this kind whatsoever. He believed that the deliberate judgment of the American people is against that of the President.

Mr. Toombs said that, approving of the incurred fidelity to the constitution in returning those two Improvement Bills, he desired to defend the President's course; at length the subject was postponed until to-morrow and the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—The bill granting one million and forty eight thousand acres of land to Wisconsin for Railroad purposes passed finally—yeas 81, nays 67.

Mr. Cobb, of Alabama, from the Committee on Public Lands reported a bill granting about one million of acres to Alabama for five Railroads, connecting with the Georgia and Tennessee lines, which was passed by 13 majority.

Mr. Bliss made an anti-slavery speech, and the House afterwards adjourned.

Arrival of the Canada.

HALIFAX, May 20.—The steamship Canada, from Liverpool, with dates to the 10th, arrived this evening at half past eight o'clock. The Canada sailed hence for Boston, at ten o'clock, in a thick fog. The steamship Washington arrived out on the 4th inst.

The new British loan was advertised for five millions sterling, to be bid for on the 19th inst.

The Queen, to celebrate the peace, has granted an amnesty to all political offenders, and consequently Smith O'Brien, Frost, Jones and others, may return home. Special exception however, is made against those who escaped to the United States.

Lord Woodhouse, under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, has been appointed Envoy Extraordinary to St Petersburg. The appointment was generally applauded. The Lord Mayor of London had given the customary banquet to the Ministry. The American Minister was not present, being engaged at the annual dinner of Liverpool, where he made a speech.

A bill has been introduced into the Legislature granting 400,000 francs for the baptism of the Imperial Prince. Count Edgar Ney, is to be the bearer of Napoleon's letter in reply to the Czar's notification of his accession to the throne. Count Mernyhen was appointed Minister to St. Petersburg. Count Orloff has left for him the Worronoff palace on a three years lease.

Speculation on the Paris Bourse hall reached a great height. The English commercial papers are advising the British capitalists against it.

Count Walowski's demand to muzzle the press of Belgium had created intense excitement in Chambers. The foreign minister said that the speech had not been offically communicated to Government. When the communication should be made, an answer should be ready, and would formally maintain the rights of a constitutional and independent country.

It is stated that a collective vote of the powers which signed the treaty of peace is about ready, and will be forwarded to the governments of Rome and Naples, recommending certain reforms to the Italian people. It is also said that the Pope's legate at Paris, has formally protested against Count Walowski's language, and that the papal government, and the papal government is preparing a detailed reply thereto. It is still further rumored that Naples will anticipate the remonstrance of the powers by granting an amnesty or an extensive scale.

Various questions relative to the Conference have been put to Count Cavour in the Sardinian Chambers. He replied that pending negotiations concerning Italy, he could not speak fully. The Sardinian view of the Italian question was sodpted, while that of Austria was rejected. Hence the question of Italy must still continue to be an interesting matter.

A despatch from Turin says the ministry have prescribed to Counts Cavour and Williamarina to the Chambers, show that Austria, being at the conference, refused to discuss the condition of Italy. Sardinia is the only state that demands the co-operation of England and France in carrying out reforms, and shows that the Austrian occupation is opposed to the interests of Italy and Europe, and contrary to the treaty to humanity and justice; and finally the memorandum calls on England and France to unite with Sardinia in the application of an efficious remedy. Naples permits the export of breadstuffs until June 15th, at half previous duty.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS—LIVERPOOL, May 9.—The Brokers' circular quotes the cotton market easier but not quotably lower. Business moderate at previous prices; sales of week foot up 46,500 bales; of which 12,750 bales were taken by speculators and 4,700 bales by exporters.—The sales on Friday were 6,000 bales: closing unchanged. New Orleans fair 7d; New Orleans middling 6¾; Mobile fair 6¾; do middling 6¼. Upland fair 6¾; do middling 6¼. The total stock, exclusive of that on ship board, is 532,000 bales, of which 381,00 are American.

The account from Manchester represent the market dull, with limited business.

BREADSTUFFS—The Brokers' circular reports an advance of 1d on wheat with moderate business, and prices unsettled. White 9½d@11½d; red 8d@10½d; flour advanced 6d@1s, fair business; buyers holding back for lower prices.—Western canal flour 32s@37s 6d. Corn advanced 6d, and white scarce with moderately large export demand; Southern 30s; prime Northern 31s; some little speculative demand for yellow and mixed at 29s@29s 6d.

The circular of Richardson, Spence & Co, reports transactions in beef larger at private quotations, but marked closed firm. Pork firm, wanted at 87s 6d. Lard firm at 60s 6d. Active speculative demand for bacon, auction sales 54s 6d @55s, but some arrivals reported. Cheese at auction is 2s lower. Tallow steady at North American 48s@48s 6d. Linseed Oil unchanged, with moderate business at 29s 6d. Sugar active at a further advance of 6d. Coffee firm.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 21.

The President communicated to the Senate today additional documents relative to British recruitments and wholly involving a question of veracity between Mr. Buchanan and Lord Palmerston. Mr. Buchanan charges that Palmerston while refusing to lay on the table in the House of Commons the correspondence on that subject stated the facts only as favored his own side and entirely suppressed the reasons on which our demand for the recall of Mr. Crampton and the Consuls, was founded. Mr. Buchanan says that Palmerston was not justified in stating on that occasion that he Mr. Buchanan had expressed himself satisfied with Clarendon's explanation contained in the note of the 10th July last, and that Mr. Buchanan said he felt confident that our government would entertain similar feelings with regard to it. Mr. Buchanan denies that he ever so intimated; that he had merely observed to Palmerston that he would have much satisfaction in transmitting the reply to the Secretary of State. Palmerston, replying through Clarendon fails to be convinced, saying that it seemed to him there was an essential difference between the substance and effect of what was said in the House of Commons and Mr. Buchanan's statement finally. Mr. Buchanan, March 7th, says to Mr. Marcy, "you must believe with me that the last effort of Palmerston to extricate himself from the dilemma has served to make the awkwardness of his position still more conspicuous."

CHICAGO, May 21.—Dates from Leavenworth, Kansas, to Saturday night are received. The correspondence of the Tribune states that today, Wednesday, is fixed upon to attack Lawrence. There is a general "reign o fterror" in the Territory. Two pieces of cannon crossed the river at Atkinson intended for the destruction of Lawrence. Buford's company of enrolled militia are furnished with U. S. arms by Gov. Shannon. The Free State men are in want of arms ammunition. Donaldson has declared his intention to make clean work this time. Robinson was still at Lexington. On Monday morning a gentleman arrived here with seven packages of evidence of the Committee.

The Masonic Enquirer states that petitions are in circulation in the border counties praying for the immediate removal of Col. Sumner.

Mr. Brown, editor of the Herald of Freedom writes that a mob entered the hotel at Kansas City and dragged off a man supposed to be himself. They discovered their mistake, returned, and demanded him of the proprietor, which was refused. A company of Michigan emigrants entered the hotel to protect the occupants. The mob was still surrounding the hotel and gathering reinforcements as the close of the letter. There is no intelligence concerning his fate.

ST. LOUIS, May 21.—The Democrat's Kansas correspondence under date of the 16th, writes that from 81 to 120 men were encamped near Lecompton. The people sent a note to Col. Sumner asking him to station a body of troops in that vicinity to prevent the mob from proceeding to sanguinary extremities. He declined, saying that he had no power to move without orders. Mr. Cox, of Lawrence, waited on Marshall Donaldson to ascertain if anything could be done to peaceably prevent his monster posse from entering in. The Marshall said that three demands must be complied with previous to consenting. 1st. Every man against whom process has issued must be surrendered. 2d. All munitions of war in Lawrence must be delivered up. 3d. The citizens of Lawrence should pledge themselves implicitly to obey the present enactments in Kansas, test oath, taxes and all.—Upon the receipt of this the citizens held a public meeting, and drew up a letter to the Marshal stating that he and every person acting with him would be allowed to execute legal success against any inhabitant of Lawrence, and if called upon, they would serve as a posse in making arrests; that there would not now nor at any future time be any resistance to the law, and they only awaited an opportunity to testify their fidelity to the Union and the Constitution; that they claimed to be law-abiding and order-loving citizens and asked to be protected by the Constituted authorities. The Marshal's answer was that he did not believe in the promises of the people of Lawrence; that he regarded them as rebels and traitors, and that they should know his demand when he came.

BOSTON, May 21.—The Personal Liberty Bill came up in the House to-day. On motion of Mr. Hale the substitution of the minority report for the majority report was on motion carried by 113. The majority report sustained the law, the minority report goes for its repeal.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Flour in better demand for export and home consumption; and the market for good and common grades is 6@8c higher; the supply of inferior and whole lots is very light, while medium grades that sell at $5.87@$6.50 are quite scarce; shippers would probably buy more freely if there was a bet er supply. Sales 11,500 bbls at $4@$5.75 for common to good Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Ohio; $5.12½@$7 for common to good extra do; $7@$8.25 for fancy and extra Genesee; and $7.50@$7 extra St. Louis, the market closing buoyant and the demand active. Rye flour is also doing better with sales of 200 obl. at $5@$5 25 for superfine, and $3.37½@$3.37½ for fancy and extra. Southern flour has ascended about 1c per bbl with a better demand for export and home consumption; sales 4600 bbls at $5.75@$6.25½ for mixed to pure Ohio, and $7@$8.37½ for fancy and extra. Rye flour plenty and in moderate request at $3.12½@$3.62½ for fine and superfine. Corn meal steady, sales 300 bbls Jersey at $3.06½@$3.12½. Whiskey rather easier, sales 700 bbls ohio and prairie at 27@27½ chiefly at the latter figure. Grain 2@3d better with a pretty good demand both for home consumption and export; sales 22,000 bush at $1.45 for allloxable club, $1.70@$1.80 for white southern, including a parcel on private terms, but it is undervalued to be at $1.83 and $1.86@$1.88 for red southern. Rye scarce, sales 10,000 bush at 82@84c; good and prime shipping parcels are very scarce and firmer while common and inferior are dull and prices are dropping, sales 82,000 bush at 57@59 for southern and 60@61c for western. Barley is the latter being outside price, 46@48 for distilling, and eastern parcels and 63@67½ for inferior to good common; old mixed western. Oats plenty and dull and lower, sales at 38@39½c for state, and 37@38 for Chicago. The pork market is still dull and lower; sales 900 bbls at $18.62½@$18 for mess; $16.50 for prime mess, and $13@$14.12½ for prime. Beef is without change to notice, sales 600 bbls at $7@$8 for country prime, $8@$9.50 for country mess, and $9.50@$12 for repacked western mess. Beef hams and prime meat are nominally the same. Lard is scarce and wanted for full prices. Cut meats firmer and firm, sales 350 packages at 7½@8c for shoulders, and 9¼@10 for hams. Lard is whole nigner, sales 350 bbls at 10½@10¾, the latter price for choice. Butter and Cheese remain at last noted with a moderate business doing.

Cattle Market.—Nearly 3500 beeves were offered to day; the prices were sustained but the sales of good and best at 9@10, inferior 8½. Over 5000 sheep and lambs were offered, 1500 were sold at an average of $5.50@$6 head, swine 3000 received; sales at 6½@6¾.

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—Flour market is firmer under the influence of the foreign advices, and holders have put up prices 12½@25c; sales 600 bbls at Brandywine at $4.12½, but $5.25 is now generally demanded; there is a limited demand for family at $6@$6.75 for city brands, $5.75@$6 for common to fancy brands. Rye flour is dull with only a small sales at $3.62½. Corn meal quiet and sells steadily at $3.25 for Penna. There is a better demand for Wheat, but the supply is limited, and prime is scarce; sales of 10,000 bush at $1.40@$1.45 for fair to prime red, $1.45@$1.75 for good to prime white, including 4000 bush on private terms. Rye better, sales 2300 bush Penna at 77c. Corn is less active demand and prices a ade lower, sale 6000 bush southern yellow at 85@84 afloat, and some 80c for Penna. Oats are steady; sales 2500 bush prime Penna at 52c. Whiskey active and better; sales 500 bls Pennsylvania at 26c, cash, and 27c delivered.

BALTIMORE, May 21.—Our market for breadstuffs is unchanged, flour is firmer and there are more buyers than sellers.

NEW ORLEANS, May 21.—Sales of cotton 200 bales. The Canada had no effect on the market. Middling 10½@10¾. Sugar 7¾. Molasses 27. Corn 58, advancing. Other articles unchanged.

CINCINNATI, May 21.—Flour firmer, some small lots sold this morning at $5.12½@$5.30 for superfine, and $5.50 for extra. Provisions firm. Bacon sides and shoulders 8¼ and 7¾. Whiskey unsettled. Groceries firm. The river has risen three inches.

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