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CHOICE, STANDARD & MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS.—On Friday and Saturday evenings, August 1st and 2d, commencing at 8 o'clock will be sold, at the commercial sale rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth sts., to close out the consignment, a fresh and extensive stock of well selected Books, comprising the very latest and best editions of standard English and American authors in all departments of literature, and a choice collection of the miscellaneous popular publications of the day. Among many other of the best issues of the American press will be found the elegant reprint of the Aldine edition of the British poets, Abbott's full edition of the Waverly Novels, Prescott's Chronicles, Chambers' publications, South's Commentaries on the Bible, Mcsheim's Church History, Ure's Dictionary of Arts, Manufactures and Mines, and a large collection of the best histories. Also, fine editions of the Family Bible, Gold Pens, fine Port Monnaies, Ladies Cabas, Sewing Birds and other fancy articles. P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

BUILDING LOTS ON CENTRE AVENUE AT AUCTION.—On Saturday afternoon August 2d at 3 o'clock, will be sold on the premises 23 valuable Lots of Ground in the Sixth and Seventh Wards, twelve of which have each a front of twenty feet three and one half inches on Centre Avenue extending back one hundred feet to an alley 11 feet wide, and fourteen having each a front of twenty feet on Vine Street, extending back one hundred and twenty one feet nine inches to Tannehill Lane and a twenty five foot alley.

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ONE OF THE BEST FARMS in Eastern Ohio, most beautifully located on the O. & P. R. R., and adjoining the thriving town of Columbiana, 80 miles West of Pittsburgh. Said Farm has 216 acres, 120 of it is prime timber, 2 orchards, 2dwellings, 2 barns and plenty of good spring water. It is without exception one of the most desirable Farms in Eastern Ohio.

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Also, a valuable Town Property, Brick House 2 stories high, 50 by 30 feet, with a warehouse and barn. The Lot is 70 by 160 ft., situated in the thriving town of Columbiana. Any persons wishing to purchase any of the above property will please call on the subscriber.

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JORNHOUR & ALLEN, Columbiana.
THOS. G. ALLEN, Bull Creek.
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Ten Dollars Reward.

STRAYED OR STOLEN out of the pasture of the subscriber, on the night of the 19th inst., a young BAY MARE, 3 years old past, without any particular marks, except a mark of the gear. She is large and carries herself up well when ride, and is fast walker.—Any person finding her can receive reward on the subscriber, in Finleyville P. O. The above reward will be given for the mare, and it stolen $20 for the detection of the thief.

BENJAMIN BEAVER,
jul22:3tw2T Union Tp., Washington Co., Pa.

You Deserve Credit for Your Discovery.

PROFESSOR WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE, no doubt, the most wonderful discovery of this age of progress, for it will restore premature grey hair to its original color, cover the head of the bald with a most luxuriant growth, remove at once all dandruff and itching, cure all scrofula and other cutaneous eruptions, such as scald-head, etc. It will cure, as if by magic, nervous or periodical headache; make the hair soft, glossy and wavy, and preserve the color perfectly, and the hair from falling, to extreme old age.

The following is from a distinguished member of the medical profession:

ST. PAUL, January 1, 1855.

PROFESSOR D. J. WOOD—Dear Sir: Unsolicited, I send you this certificate. After being bald for a long time and having tried all the fair restorative extant, and having no faith in any, I was induced, on hearing of yours, to give it a trial. I placed myself in the hands of a barber and had my head rubbed with a good stiff brush and the restorative then applied and well rubbed in till the scalp tingled. This I repeated every morning, and in three weeks the young hair appeared and grew rapidly from August last till the present time and is now thick, black and strong—so—and pleasant to the touch; when the fact is it was black and strong, what little there was of it, and that little was disappearing very rapidly. I believe your restorative about twelve weeks, and shall soon have a good and perfect crop of hair. Now I had read of these things—and who has not? but have not seen hitherto any case where any person's hair was really benefitted by any of the hair tonics, etc., of the day; and it really gives me pleasure to record the result of my experience. I have recommended your preparation to others and it already has a large and several sale throughout the territory. The people here have its effects and have confidence in it. The supply you sent us, as wholesale agents for the Territory, is nearly exhausted and daily enquiries are made for it. You deserve credit for your discovery, and I, for one, in turn you my thanks for the benefit it has done me, for I certainly had despaired long ago of ever seeing such a much result.

Yours, hastily, J. W. BONDY,
Firm of Son & Kellogg, Druggists, St. Paul.

The undersigned, Rev. J. R. Bragg, is a minister in regular standing, and pastor of the Orthodox Church, at Brookfield, Mass., he is a gentleman of great influence and universally believed. Brookfield, January 12, 1855.

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Some of the most scientific surgeons now rely solely on the use of this wonderful Ointment, when having to cope with the worst cases of Sores, wounds, ulcers, glandular swellings and tumors. Professor Holloway has by command of the Allied Government, dispatched to the hospitals of the East large shipments of this Ointment, to be used under the direction of the Medical Staff, in the worst cases of wounds. It will cure any ulcer, glandular swelling, stiffness or contraction of the joints, even of 20 years standing.

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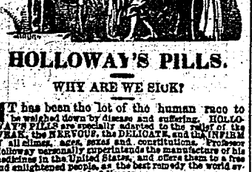

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IT has been the lot of the human race to be weighed down by disease and suffering. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are specially adapted to the relief of the WEAK, the NERVOUS, the DELICATE, and the INFIRM of all climes, ages, sexes and constitutions. Professor Holloway personally superintends the manufacture of his medicines in the Allied States, and offers them to a free and enlightened people, as the best remedy the world ever saw for the removal of disease.

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These famous Pills are supposed to combined to operate on the stomach, the liver, the kidneys, the lungs, the skin, and the bowels, correcting any derangement in their functions, purifying the blood, the very fountain of life, and thus vanquishing disease in all its forms.

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Nearly half the human race have taken these Pills. It has been proved in all parts of the world, that nothing has been found equal to them in cases of disorders of the liver, dyspepsia, and stomach complaints generally. They soon give a healthy tone to these organs, however much deranged, and what all other means have failed.

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Many at the most despotic Governments have opened their Dominions, licence to the introduction of these Pills and Ointment. Admiration has been lavished on them, and Ministers admit that this medicine is the best remedy system has been introduced, as its invigorating properties never fail to afford relief.

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Asthma	Diarrhoea	Indigestion	
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Costiveness	Fistula	Liver Complaints	Sciatica
Dysentery	Gravel	Lowness of Spirits	Tetter
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St. Xavier Female Seminary, Youngstown, Pa.
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CHARLOTTE BLUM'S has just received a further supply of Hallet, Davis & Co's Piano Fortes, with patent suspension Bridges and Composition bearings and with repeating Grand Action.

As a proof of the superiority of these Pianos, is the following extract of report, as to the Mechanics' Fair at Boston, in competition with the celebrated Pianos of Messrs. Chickering, who was President of the Association.

The Massachusetts Charitable Mechanics Association award this Diploma with a *Silver Medal* to Hallet, Davis & Co., for the best Grand Piano Forte exhibited to the exhibition of 1853. JONAS CHICKERING, President."

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In addition to the above, the subscriber has received Pianos from Baumgardner & Hintz, Hamburg, Art Union, Boston, and other good makers at prices from $225 to $1,000.

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Another invoice of the celebrated Hamburg Pianos is expected in several weeks. je10

Further Supply of Chickering's Pianos.

THE subscriber has received another large supply from the manufactory of CHICKERING & SONS, Boston, of their SWEETEST NEW PIANO FORTES, and are additional invoice of the same now on the way, to arrive by Saturday the 7th inst., to which the attention of purchasers is respectfully invited.

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PIANOS TUNED in the city for ONE DOLLAR. Orders left at the store of J. H. MELLOR will be promptly attended to, and a competent, careful and responsible tuner sent. ny21

Double Bank Melodeons.

KLEBER & BRO. have just rec'd a large lot of *Carhart's Genuine Original Melodeons*, from the manufacturer's factory, CARHART & NEEDHAM, N. Y., comprising

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A SIX OCTAVE Rosewood iron frame Piano, nearly new and in perfect order, cost originally $300, for $200.

A six and a half octave new Rosewood Piano, with iron frame, a very elegant instrument, reduced to close a consignment to $225; cash.

Old and shabby Pianos new Iron, iron plate and brass, similar in style to the above—$100, cash.

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The above with a splendid stock of Chickering & Sons first class Pianos on hand and for sale by

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A CARD.

THE want of a good, reliable and skillful Piano Tuner having long been felt, the subscribers take pleasure in informing the public that they have procured the services of Mr. JOHN H. RITH, a very experienced and competent tuner, and who we will warrant to tune PIANOS to stand in better tune and regularity, and give complete satisfaction to the most fastidious ear.

Orders left at the Music Store of H. KLEBER & BRO. 53 Fifth street, will be promptly attended to.

RECOMMENDATION.

The undersigned gladly testify to the skill and trustworthiness of Mr. John H. Rith, as a tuner of Pianos, and cheerfully recommend him to their people and the public for an excellent, experienced and reliable tuner.

V. DE HAM,
J. ANTONY,
H. ROSBOOK,
N. BERDEL,
JEAN HANNS,
M. SCHWAB,
And others.
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Prize Songs.

THE New York Musical Review Prize Songs.

No. 1. Sweet and Low, by G. Dressel. Took the first prize of $200.

" 2. One Heart to Me, by de la Hache.

" 3. Ill. Where are all the Birds that sang, by Frank Sewell.

No. IV. My Gentle Mother's Song, by C. C. Converse.—Took the second prize of $100.

" V. The Baby, by R. D. Allen.

" VI. The Flowers, by Frank Dexter.

" VII. The Lattice, by H. G. Walters.

" VIII. Serenade, by Robert Stoepel.

The above eight pieces were selected from 400 sent in for competition, and it is the best collection of vocal music published in America. They are issued in superb style, and sold at the low price of twenty-five cents each.

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VALUABLE BOOKS Just received at DAVISON'S Books, 66 Market st., viz:

Memoir of Harriet; Prable; Memoir of Kitto, Master Pieces of Pulpit Eloquence; Tennyson's Poems, complete; vol; Guthrie's Gospel in Ezekiel; Fox's Martyrs; Ancient Christianity Exemplified; Spencer's Sermons; Neander's Memoirs of Christian Life; Neander's History of Planting of Christianity; Spencer's Sermons and Sermons. Also, Pastor's Sketches, both series; Ancient History; Morning and Night Watchers, 1 vol, gilt; Mind and Words of Jesus, 1 vol, gilt.

BOOKS received at J. S. Read's 78 Fourth street.

Motley's life of the Dutch Republic, 3 vols 8 mo; by J. L. Motley; various bindings.

Life and Travels of Herodotus, 2 vol 12 mo; Haswell's Math. Tables, new edn.

The States and Territories of the Great West, with maps and plates, 1856;

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The Kidnapped and Rescued;
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GAS COMPANY DIVIDEND.—The Trustees of the PITTSBURGH GASCOMPANY have this day declared a Dividend of Five per cent out of the profits of the last six months, to the Stockholders of the Company; payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives forwith, at the office of the Company.

JAMES M. CHRISTY, Treasurer.
jul4 Office of Pittsburgh Gas Co., July 14, 1856.

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TOTE CITY LOTS.—We will continue to sell lots in the flourishing city of Otoe, for $10 until the 25th inst., when they will be advanced to $20 each.—Secure one before the price is raised. Call and get a circular.
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Arriving and for sale by WATT & WILSON,
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SARATOGA WATER—24 doz Saratoga Water (Congress Spring) just rec'd by
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A YOUNG LADY (a protestant) wants to wet nurse a child in her own house; can give good reference, apply at Barr's Intelligence Office, No. 410, Liberty street.
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jn26 JOS FLEMING.

TELEGRAPHIC.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, July 31.

SENATE.—The Senate took up the bill regulating the compensation of members of Congress.

The bill was referred to Committee on Finance.

Mr. Yulee, from the post office Committee, reported back the bill authorizing the Post Master General to contract with Vanderbilt for carrying the mail between New York and Southampton, making it the duty of the contractor to extend the trips to Bremen or Havre, or those places alternately, whenever required by the Post Master General without additional compensation for the round voyage.

The bill to continue the improvements of the harbor at Newark, New Jersey, gave rise to an animated debate, but the bill was not disposed of.

The bill directing the manner of the payment of California War bonds was considered and passed.

On motion of Mr. Seward a resolution was adopted calling on the Secretary of War to report whether the public interests require an improvement of the roads in connection with West Point, New York and the interior of the country lying westward thereof, and if so, what is the most practicable and expedient mode of making such communication and the expense thereof.

The Senate passed the House bill to continue the improvement of Des Moines Rapids, Mississippi and the improvement of the harbors of Newark, New Jersey, Conneaut, Huron, Fairport, Ashtabula, Sandusky, Cleveland Black River in Ohio, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Oswego, Oak Orchard Creek, Big Sodus, Little Sodus, in New York, and making appropriations for a steam dredge on Lake Ontario, for the completion of the Breakwater at Burlington, Vermont, and bills providing for the continuation of the improvement of Missouri and Arkansas Rivers and to continue the construction of the Breakwater at the east side of Ready Island.

The Senate confirmed without opposition the appointment of Col. Geary as Governor of Kansas. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The bill providing for the settlement of the claims of officers of the Revolution, and the widows and orphans of those who died in the service, was taken up and debated at length.

The Newark harbor bill passed. Kansas contested election case postponed till to-morrow, Mr. Washburne, of Maine, giving notice that he shall move the previous question at three o'clock.—The bill expediting the issuing of patents for confirmed land claims in California was debated and tabled by thirty majority. The fortification appropriation bill was then discussed.

The Kansas election case was taken up. Mr. Washburne, of Me., maintained that the election of Whitfield, was without authority of law and that he comes here only as the choice of a minority of the resident citizens of Kansas; therefore he is not entitled to a seat as a delegate. The election under which Mr. Reeder claimed was equally without authority of law, but inasmuch as he is the choice of a large number of residents there, from those who voted for Whitfield, the Committee recommended that he be admitted to the seat he claims rather than to deny to Kansas the right to be heard through the choice of its resident citizens merely because that choice was manifested outside of the legal forms, and necessarily so, because the law making the legal power was destroyed in foreign violence. To deny him a seat is to deny Kansas the right to be heard at all on the floor of the House.

Mr. Smith, of Tenn., called attention to the fact that the Committee on Election in the other contested cases had reported a resolution that the contestant was entitled to his seat, but in this they recommended that Mr. Reeder be admitted. Was this right? Have to prevail?

Mr. Washburn repeated that neither Mr. Whitfield nor Mr. Reeder was chosen by the existing law, in the present case the committee had followed a precedent set concerning Wisconsin or Minnesota territories. It was competent for the House to admit Mr. Reeder as a delegate.

Mr Smith said Mr. Reeder had no legal right, yet you would admit him.

Mr. Stephens, taking issue with Mr. Washburn, remarked that where there is a legally organized territorial government, some person must be, under the law, entitled to a seat as a delegate. In the case referred by the gentleman from Maine, there was no organized government, but in Kansas provision is made for the election of delegates, therefore the precedent did not apply. In the course of his remarks he alluded to the adoption of Mr. Sherman's amendment to the Army Bill, saying that the majority of the House thus evinced their desire to strike down one of the main pillars of liberty, namely, the right of the people to bear arms, as secured by the constitution. When he saw such things, he almost despaired of anything being done in behalf of law and order, the constitution being regarded as no longer binding.

Mr. Sherman replied to Mr. Oliver's Missouri minority report of the Kansas Investigating Committee, and maintained the truth of the statements set forth by the majority concerning the invasion of Kansas by Missourians, and their violent control of the elections, trampling on the rights of the resident voters. He argued that the remedy for the Free State men in that territory by judicial process was utterly futile. He would vote for unseating Mr. Whitfield because the latter represents the forces who invaded Kansas. The laws of the Territory were illegal by passed and ought to be repealed; the militia disarmed, and the whole Federal treasury, if necessary, expended to keep the peace.

Mr. Savage insisted that the whole transaction in his origin was an assault on the constitution and laws of the United States, and in its progress was an assault on Justice and Truth, instead of facts. The report of the majority of the Kansas Investigating Committee was a compound of the grossest partiality, misrepresentations and falsehoods, not to say perjury. He proceeded to show that the report was entitled to no credit as it was contradicted by the records in the case; the statements were base, and surpassed the fictitious stories of Munchausen, Gulliver and the Arabian Nights. To the traitorous and bloody movements of the Emigrant-Aid Societies and others who supported them in Congress and elsewhere, must be attributed all the horrible events in Kansas. Like gamblers they resort to the bowie knife and the grab game, four hundred thousand millions of the federal treasure being the stake for which they are now conducting their Presidential schemes. If any northern men say that they have better men, women, or agriculture than the South, he is ready to tell them they lie, from the bottom of their shoes.

Mr. Oliver, of Missouri, contended that under the resolution providing for the Kansas Investigating Committee, they had no authority to enquire into the validity of the legislative assembly. It was a violation of every principle of law; it was degrading in his colleagues on the Committee thus to transcend their powers. He would ask whether the House was willing to trample on law by admitting Reeder? Were men so far lost to justice and decency as to be guilty of such a monstrosity? He could not believe it till it be on record, and then he should see it with shame and mortification.

Mr. Washburn asked that the statement of Mr. Reeder be read.

Several objections were interposed but afterwards withdrawn.

A letter from H. Green, dated from the Merchants' Hotel, Philadelphia, was first read, stating that Mr. Reeder was confined there by sickness and wishing some gentleman to write to Reeder and inform him on what day the contested election will be closed. The Speaker remarked that Mr. Reeder's statement was without date.

The Clerk commenced reading to the effect that the great mass of evidence renders it indisputable that the Legislative Assembly of Kansas was a fraudulent usurping body elected in a manner disgraceful to the age. He assumes that the law under which Whitfield was elected, was absolutely void, and calls for stern condemnation as a stupendous fraud. His own election, so far as time and place were concerned, was not in accordance with the previous law; he claims, however, that he received a large majority of legal votes, and that his opponent was sustained by little bands of voters and accessions from Missouri falling short in the aggregate of his legal votes. He expressed his high gratification that his previous positions relative to the alleged election had been sustained by the recent investigation and repeats that Whitfield has no shadow of legal right to a seat.

Ineffectual efforts were made by Messrs. Phelps and Humphrey Marshall to dispense with further reading. It could be printed and laid on the tables of the members to-morrow morning.

Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, wanted the House to go into Committee on the Fortification Bill, saying that the public business demanded that they should work after four o'clock.

The clerk resumed reading, but before he had finished, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

WHITE HALL, Vt., July 30.—Five bodies have been recovered from the scene of the burning of the John Jay. These have been identified as Mrs. Belknap, of New York; Miss Renshaw, of N.-Orleans; Mr. Metcalf, of Lething Valley; Mrs. Erving, of Boston, and C. A. Fleet, of Brooklyn. Miss Sherman, of Albany, is reported as having been lost, making six victims of the disaster as far as known. It is supposed there is another body under the wreck. The boat was burned to the water's edge.

Among the saved are J. A. White, of New Orleans; J. H. Briggs, of Miss.; Todd, of Harrisburgh, Pa.; Susan E. Spangler, of York, Pa., and the captain and clerk. The fire is said to have been caused by the choking up of the smoke pipe, which drove flames out of the furnace doors, setting fire to the boat almost instantaneously.

SYRACUSE, July 31.—The Union Democratic Convention has nominated by acclamation Judge Vanderbilt for Lieut. Governor.

Addison Gardner and David D. Seymour have been nominated as the electors at large.

SYRACUSE, July 30.—The Soft Democratic Convention organized to-day temporarily by selecting Gov. Kemble as Chairman. The Hard and Soft Shell sections appointed committees to arrange matters for a union meeting. After discussing the question, it finally ended in the dissolution of the Soft Convention, and its fusion with the Hards. Joint Conventions was then permanently organized by the selection of W. C. Crane, of Herkimer, as President.

The Union Convention re-assembled at seven o'clock, and after appointing a committee on resolutions, proceeded to an informal ballot for a candidate for Governor. On the first ballot Addison Gardner stood 69; D. L. Seymour 46; A. J. Parker 33; Fernando Wood 25; H. Seymour 21; Augustus Schell 11; Erastus Corning 9, and scattering 30.

Messrs Wood, Seymour and others withdrew, and after two informal ballots, Addison Gardiner withdrew in favor of Amasa J. Parker, who was nominated on the 4th ballot, which was subsequently made unanimous. Adjourned till to-morrow.

A resolution was adopted congratulating the Democracy on re-union; cordially approving of the Cincinnati nominations and platform; regarding the nominations of Fillmore and Fremont as alike characterized by a spirit of bigotry and intolerance to be repelled by the people; and denying charges of sectionalism. The Democrats endorse the action of their party in Congress on Kansas affairs, and look confidently for a victory in the State. Other resolutions were passed of a local character, and speeches were delivered by Gov. Seymour and others. There was much enthusiasm.

BOSTON, July 31.—A fire broke out in North street yesterday, which rendered 80 families houseless. Two dead bodies were recovered from the ruins this morning, making nine killed.

BALTIMORE, July 31.—The lightning last night struck many places about the city but did no serious damage. A brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad was knocked from a car by lightning and run over.

WASHINGTON CITY, July 31.—The 19 River and Harbor Bills passed by the Senate appropriate an aggregate of half a million of dollars. They each received more than a two-thirds vote.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Flour opened with a fair export demand at an advance of 5@10c on common and medium grades; sales 15,000 bbls. at $8@6,20 for common to choice superfine, Ohio, Indians, Illinois, and Wisconsin and $6,60@7,30 for common good extra do. including choice Ohio. Wheat 3@5c better on common grades with a good export demand; receipts moderate and small stock light; sales 50,000 bush at $1,68@1,65 for Milwaukie Club, $1,61 for red Illinois, $1,80@1,85 for new white Southern; $1,73 for new red.

Rye steady with a fair export demand; sales 4500 bush fair northern at 85. In corn there is a good business done for export and home consumption; the prices have advanced 1@2 per bush; sales 64,000 bus western mixed at 58½@64 for inferior to choice parcels, closing buoyant. Oats in moderate request at 43½@46 for State and western.

Whiskey without important change; sales 400 bbls Ohio and Prison at 38c, closing heavy.—Pork dull and lower, sales 400 bbls at $19,62½@$19,75 for mess; $17 for prime, closing heavy and quite unregular. In Beef there is a fair business doing and prices are without important change; sales 250 bbls. Beef Hams and prime mess Beef dull and prices nominally the same. Cut meats heavy; nominal at $8,75@9 for shoulders, and $9,75@$10 for hams. Lard easier; sales 400 bbls at 12¼@12¾. Butter and Cheese remain as last noticed.

PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—Flour market steady with small supply and very limited demand; sales 100 bbls fresh ground superfine at $6,50@8,50, as in quality. Rye flour nothing doing, but holders firm at $3,50. Corn meal in fair request and scarce; sales 500 bbls Brandywine at $3,50, and small lots Penn'a. at $3. There is a good demand for wheat with fair amount offering; sales 4000 bush at $1,60@1,65 for new South-ern and Penn'a red, and $1,62@1,65 for white, including a lot of 400 bbls prime at $1 55. Rye in fair demand and steady; sales 800 bush Penn'a. at 71c. Corn very scarce; sales 1000 bush good Southern yellow at 70c. and a lot of damaged at 68c. Oats active; sales 1000 bush Penn'a. at 42c. 2000 bush old Delaware at 42c, and 1500 bush new Delaware at 37@37½. Whisky scarce and wanted; small sales of bbls at 39@40, and hhds at 38@39. Seeds scarce; a small lot of cloverseed at $9 per bush.

CINCINNATI, July 31.—Flour firm at $6; sales 300 bbls. Wheat active; sales 8000 bush at $1,14@1,16 for red and $1,22@1,25 for white. Whisky firm and higher; sales 225 bbls at 28@28½. Provisions nominal and no demand. Sugar in moderate demand; sales 40 hhds at 9½@9¾ for low fair to fair. Molasses unchanged with a moderate demand; sales 40 hhds at 52. Coffee; sales 50 bags fair at 11¼. Lard oil 85@90.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Cattle offerings—3300 cattle offered; sales at 8@10c. for common to prime; 10,200 sheep and lambs at advance on prices; 700 veal calves sold at 5@7. Hogs scarce.

BALTIMORE, July 31.—Flour is very firm. Wheat has improved 3 cents; sales of red at $1,55@1,63, and white at $1,60@1,78. Corn is active; sales of white at 61@65c., and yellow