# Pittsburgh Gazette.

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OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.


## News of the City and Neighborhood.

BOYS.—Several conferences have been held of late between Mr. Thompson, of the P. R. R. and the County Commissioners, touching the proposed exchange of stock held by the County in that road for the bonds issued by the same.—In an interview on Tuesday, no definite agreement was arrived at. It is said that at a meeting held on Wednesday, Messrs. McIlhenny and Tomer expressed a desire to get rid of Allegheny Valley and Steubenville bonds at the same time with those of the P. R. R., thus making a good boot sell a bad one. The *Dispatch* says that, to this proposition Mr. Thompson answered that he acted solely as an agent for some of the bondholders, and not for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, of which he is President—and that he had nothing to do with the Steubenville, Allegheny Valley or Connellsville bonds or companies in this matter.

Some correspondence between the parties has taken place. The following letters will explain the views of the Commissioners:

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 2, 1857.

J. EDGAR THOMSON, Esq.—*Sir:* The Commissioners of Allegheny county have just received your note, dated the 17th ult., suggesting that a number of the holders of the Bonds of this county, issued to the Penna. R. R. Co., are desirous to re-exchange them for the stock, upon the payment of the coupons for the last half year's interest—with a specific proposition to that effect from two gentlemen of this city, who are said to be the holders of *five* of the said Bonds.

The undersigned will be glad to effectuate the exchange proposed, whenever it assumes such a shape as will authorize them to enter into the proper negotiations, and make it worth while to secure the necessary power. The offer of five bonds out of a *thousand* is not such a one as they had reason to expect. They looked, in the remark suggested by the observations of your counsel in the Supreme Court, to nothing short of a complete divorce from the Company. If you will state, however, the entire amount held by the individuals who have expressed their desire to make the exchange, and it should prove to be of sufficient magnitude to render it an object of interest to the county, they will be prepared to treat with you at any time. The people have had no agency in making subscriptions of this kind, and will be rejoiced at the opportunity of withdrawing their freeholds from the vortex of a trade so foreign to the purposes of a county organization as that of a *common carrier*.

Very respectfully, your obedient servants,

JACOB TOMER,
JNO. H. MCILHENNY.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
Pittsburgh, Dec. 3d, 1857. }

J. EDGAR THOMSON, Esq.—*Dear Sir:* In reply to your letter of the 17th ult., in which you offer to exchange Allegheny County Bonds for Stock in the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company, I would simply state, that by the Act of Assembly of 1840, the county was authorized to subscribe to, and hold Stock in said Company—but conferred no power on us to dispose of it.

Under the late excitement, the people have elected five Assemblymen to represent Allegheny County, and if the Legislature should grant us the necessary power, I for one, will be pleased to make the proposed exchange.

With respect, I am Sir, yours, &c.,

WILLIAM PERKINS.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CONVENTION.—The Convention of the Four Synods re-assembled on Thursday morning at nine o'clock. After introductory devotional exercises, the subject previously proposed came up, of the means to be employed in order to promote a revival of religion. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Donalson, of Elderridge, Pa., Rev. Mr. Thompson, of Tuscarora, Pa., Rev. Josiah D. Smith, of Ohio, and Rev. John M. Lowrie, of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Rev. Dr. Monod, of Paris, France, was introduced and made a very interesting statement as to the condition and prospects of the Evangelical churches in his city. He was sent to America to raise funds for the erection of a chapel proposed to be built by the people of his congregation. He has already raised a large amount in the east, and now proposes visiting the west and south.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Allegheny, responded briefly to Dr. M.'s address. A committee was then appointed to confer with Dr. M. as to the best means for promoting his object in the west.

In the afternoon an address was made by Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Sewickley, formerly a missionary in India.

Rev. Dr. Jacobus, on behalf of the Business Committee, then presented a Pastoral Letter to be sent down to all the churches with a view to increasing the interests of vital religion and causing a general awakening amongst the unconverted. The letter closed with the following practical suggestions, which were adopted by the Convention:

The Convention therefore recommend to all their churches within these bounds:

1. That this letter be read before the congregations on the first Sabbath after the reception of this letter.

2. That a special meeting of each session be held at the earliest convenient period to take these topics into prayerful consideration.

3. That a general pastoral visitation be carried out as promptly as possible, in which all the Elders shall co-operate with the Pastor, going two and two from house to house.

4. That the Pastors preach during this month on topics immediately bearing upon the great subject of the revival of God's word.

5. That especially on the first Sabbath in January, all the Pastors preach if possible on the practical aspects of this subject.

6. That the first Thursday in January be observed throughout the bounds of these Synods, as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer for the reviving of God's work among us speedily.

After transacting a variety of miscellaneous business, the convention took a recess until seven o'clock, when it reassembled in the Second Presbyterian church, and listened to addresses by Rev. Dr. Monod, Rev. Dr. Plumer and Rev. Dr. Hoge. The final adjournment then took place.

THE N. Y. MAYOR FORMERLY A PITTSBURGHER.—Pittsburgh may consider herself fortunate, if Mayor Tieman of New York shall prove what is promised for him. We have in the person of our present Mayor one of the best executive officers probably in the United States. And we are credibly informed that the Mayor elect of New York, DANIEL F. TIEMAN was formerly a resident of this city, and was engaged in the manufacture of red and white lead, in the establishment of Mr. Porter as a workman, or as a partner. The manufactory of Mr. Porter was on Virgin Alley, between Smithfield and Grant streets. Mr. Tieman is still in the lead business in New York, and one of the principal objections to him in the New York *Herald*, the locofoco scavenger of the Empire City, was, to use its own words, that Tieman was an "intelligent and pious paint-maker." We have faith to believe that New York and Pittsburgh may in the next two years be painted at by the other cities of the Union as models in respect of their order and good government.

MR. COULDOCK.—We have regretted nothing more, than that we have been able to see Couldock only on one occasion, before last evening, since he came to the city. His personations of John Mildmay, Luke Fielding, Louis XI, Iago, and in short whatsoever he undertakes are so marked, original and upon the whole admirable that it is for us a great source of regret to be kept away. We learn that he proposes to give the character of John Unit on this evening at his benefit and we sincerely hope that "*it will pay, sir.*" It is also said that he will give one or more of his great Shaksperian readings while in town, when, if he does, we bespeak for him such houses as his eminent ability deserves.

His role to-night is rich and cannot fail to draw "excellent well."

IN THE COURTS.—Commonwealth vs. Clemens—charged with perjury on oath of Jas. P. Shepler, and tried before the Court at Washington Pa., the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty," and the offence charged, being a misdemeanor, directed the costs to be paid equally by the prosecutor and the defendant.....A man named Brinard, who was lost in Greene County a week or two since came last week to the house of Mr. Edward Bunsy in that County, insane and in almost a perishing condition.

THE Washington *Commonwealth*, one of the most valuable papers on our exchange list, has a "log of the "Bill" Jones casesays:

"We see it stated in some of the Pittsburgh papers that it is generally anticipated by our people that a new trial will be granted by the court in the case of this individual. We know not, upon what authority this statement is made, but we will say, that so far as our knowledge extends, it has no basis in truth.

LARCENY.—Several cases of larceny have occurred within the past day or two, in different parts of the city. Two preachers stopping at the house of a Mr. Stewart, on Penn street, 6th ward, were robbed a few days since of two coats. Two young men, named M. Stewart and J. Berry, were arrested by the Mayor's police, charged with the larceny, and the property was found in their possession. They were committed to jail for trial.

CITIZENS' BANK.—There will be an election for Directors at this Bank to-day. Heretofore there have been but seven Directors; hereafter, as we understand, they are to have thirteen.

THE Sons of Malta resolved on Wednesday evening that they would appropriate with four other charitable associations, one fifth part of $500. A joint Committee of members from each of the contributing Societies is to see to the bestowal of the charity. The Committee of the Sons of Malta distributed relief last week as follows:

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| Widow and five children, Ninth Ward, | $5,00 |
| Family in distress in Birmingham, | 5,00 |
| Widow with infirm son, 1st. Ward, | 5,00 |
| Destitute family, | 3,00 |
| Widow and four children, 6th. Ward, | 4,00 |
| Widow and mother, 2d. Ward, | 3,50 |
| Family in same Ward, | 2,00 |
| Coal distributed in 3d. Ward, | 4,62 |
| Making in all $34,62. | |

This week a Committee of the Order is authorized to expend $50 for like purposes.

DISTRICT COURT.—The jury in the case of Donahoe vs. Granite Insurance Co., the merits of which case we have heretofore stated, gave in a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $271 62.

J. S. Goddard, assignee of J. C. Mitchell vs. Alexander Jaynes' adm'rs et al. Action *ci. fa.* on a mortgage. Verdict for plaintiff for $11,005.

Larimer for use of T. Mellon vs. R. H. Kerr. Action on a due bill. Verdict for plaintiff for $274.

The Guardians of the Poor of the City of Pittsburgh vs. Caleb Russell, T. McFadden and Allen Cordell. On trial.

A BOY named Jacob Kaylor, in the Butler county jail awaiting trial on a charge of assault and battery, committed on his own father, set the jail on fire last Saturday. Although chained he pulled a piece of board from the floor of his cell, which he thrust into the stove, and with this set fire to his bed. The smoke ascending through the cracks of the floor to the prisoners above, they gave the alarm. The fire was soon extinguished and little damage done

THE recent donations to Mr. Passavant's Infirmary are some of them as follows: H. Childs & Co., $100; J. D. McCord, $5; W. Stevenson, $10; Benj. P. Bakewell, $25; Reuben Miller, $25; Thos. Bakewell, Esq., $26; Sixth Presb. and Asbury M. E. Church, Thanksgiving gift, $14,32; Church of Epiphany, C. W. Quick, rector, $18; W. Holmes, Esq., $100; C. Brewer, Esq., $100; Dr. Roger's Church, Thanksgiving, $16, besides other gifts.

U. S. SOLDIERS GOING WEST.—A detachment of U. S. soldiers, numbering 225, under the charge of Lieuts. Leo and Whipple, destined for Newport Barracks, Ky., went out on Tuesday morning, over the Pittsburgh, Columbus & Cincinnati Railroad, *via* the Steubenville & Indiana Road. T. Scott Stewart is the gentlemanly agent in Pittsburgh of this line, which is becoming an important through route between Cincinnati and this city.

THE *Dispatch* says that the dwelling occupied by Mr. Frank Johnson, on East side of East Common, below Ohio street, Allegheny, was entered by burglars on Tuesday night, and a quantity of silver ware carried off. An entrance was effected through the cellar, and the thieves, it seems, took the precaution to unfasten the doors front and rear, before seeking after plunder.

DR. BLACK, recently returned from Prussia, lectured in the Rev. Mr. Douglas' Church last evening on the Evangelical Alliance, at which he was a delegate. He had a fine audience and spoke in a most interesting and instructive strain. The proceeds, which must have been considerable, are divided between the Infirmary and the Allegheny Orphan Asylum.

LUMBER YARD.—We would direct attention to the advertisement in our columns of Messrs. Jas. M'Brier & Co., Allegheny City, who offer a large assortment of lumber for sale, cheap for cash, corner of Sandusky street and North Alley. What they offer for sale will be what they represent it.

ANOTHER accident occurred on the Hempfield road on Monday last. From some cause or other the switch at Claysville was displaced and the train from Wheeling approached it was thrown off the track, doing considerable damage to the locomotive.

A CARD.—The treasurer of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Orphan Asylum acknowledges the receipt of $25 from Mr. Thomas Bakewell and $11 from three children, also $50 from Reuben Miller, Esq. that had been omitted in a former acknowledgement of money received.

BIG TEACHERS.—At a meeting of the Salem tp., Westmoreland Co., Teachers Institute last Saturday, every teacher in the tp., (12) was present, and nine out of the twelve stood from six feet to six feet four inches in height. There can be no chance for obstreperous boys in their schools.

A WOMAN named Mary Ann Harbison committed to jail for drunkenness, fell downstairs in that place of confinement on Wednesday and was very badly cut in the head. She was at first thought to be dead but came to after a while.

THE Clarion *Banner* says that Capt. Golden, of the Clara Fisher, and Alex. Campbell, of Brady's Bend, are getting out a new and splendid boat for the Allegheny trade. This craft is designed to surpass any boat on the river, both in draught for high or low water and capacity.

DAMAGES.—A woman named Kilgore recovered $1,886 damages from the P. R. R. last week, in the Court at Greensburg for injuries received three years ago in getting off the accommodation train at that place.

REV. MR. KRAUTH of this city was announced to lecture on Monday evening, in Gettysburg.

CORN SHELLER STOCK.—This seems to throw into the shade all other stocks, not only in availability, but also in practical value. County rights are changing hands at a large advance upon the original purchase. In fact, the intrinsic merits of this most remarkable machine are beginning to be properly appreciated, and its value, as an article of trade, better understood, and just in the same proportion is the stock inquired for. Persons are daily coming from a distance to obtain counties, and frequently find them taken. It is, in fact, one of those inventions which appears only once or twice in a century, and literally astound men by its simplicity of their construction and the efficiency of their work. There is no mistake in this speculation; it is a fixed fact beyond all controversy and all doubt. A large and certain fortune is in Iowa alone, which is still in the market, together with Tennessee, and other Southern and Western States. This, we are candid in saying, in our opinion, is the best chance that has been offered, in our market, to make money on a small outlay of capital. An examination of facts, at 65 Fifth street, will put to flight all skepticism on this subject. The best advice we can give to the unemployed, is to go to the above number and investigate this matter.

$10,000 WORTH of well-made Clothing for men and boys, at prices to suit the times. Having now on hands about the above amount of fine first-class clothing, a choice assortment of the piece goods for custom work, and a full stock of Gents' and Boys' Furnishing Goods, I will commence to-day a general clearing out sale of the whole. The stock will be found the very best in its kind, carefully selected, well made, and much of it bought at prices highly favorable. It will be understood that this is not the oft-repeated "selling off below cost," or its kindred trick, "selling out to quit business," but a reasonable sale of fashionable goods and at prices much below the regular rates. Terms, as usual, strictly cash.

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THE FIRST SNOW.—The first snow fell last night; it gladdened the hearts of the urchins, caused "fast" men and women to look gleefully forward to sleighing frolics, and made the poor and the needy shudder at the approach of a severe and trying season. While reason it behooves all who are not yet prepared for winter to provide themselves handsome and comfortable seasonable garments at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above 6th.

**Medical Testimony Cannot be Controverted.**—One of the most startling cases is narrated of Dr. McLane's Vermifuge by Dr. John Butler, of Lowell, Carroll Co., Ohio. The case was that of a young lady who had been very sick for many years, and had consulted a number of physicians, who had treated it as one of Prolapsus Uteri. Dr. Butler was then called in, and for a time believed with his predecessors that it was a case of Prolapsus. He was, however, soon forced to the conclusion that his patient was suffering from worms, and after much persuasion prevailed on her to take two doses of Dr. McLane's Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh. This medicine had the effect of removing from her a countless number of the largest size. After she passed them her health immediately returned. She is since married, and continues to enjoy excellent health.

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## Amusements.

FOSTER'S GAIETIES!—MASONIC HALL.—Lessee and Manager JOSEPH C. FOSTER; Acting and Stage Manager, A. W. YOUNG.
Admission—Parquette, 50c; Upper Tier, 25c.
BENEFIT and last night but one of the eminent tragedian, C. W. COULDOCK.
FRIDAY EVENING December 4th, 1857, will be presented Mrs. Bateman's celebrated comedy of SELF—Julia Unit, C. W. Couldock, Mr. Apsley, Mr. McBride; Mary Apsley, Julia M. Cooke; Mrs. Couliter, Miss Kate Fisher.
Pas Seul.....Miss Emily Waldron.
The performance will commence with the play of THE ADVOCATE, or THE LAST CAUSE—Antonio Duverney, C. W. Couldock; Madame La Rose, Julia M. Cooke.

## Telegraphic.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. Dec. 3.—At a political meeting held at Leavenworth, Kansas, on the 21st ultimo, resolutions were adopted similar to those passed at Lawrence on the 19th. Speeches were made by Vaughan, Phillips, Hutchins, Moore and others. Mr. Phillips advised the rallying around the Topeka Convention, calling it "the Magna Charta of Kansas, Liberty and Vigilance." Committees are being formed throughout the Territory.

A letter to the *Democrat*, dated Lawrence, November 17, states that Walker said he would call a special session of the Legislature provided members would sign a pledge guaranteeing that they would not go into general legislation.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—River stationary, with 5 feet of water to Cairo, and about 2 feet to Keokuk. Nothing new from the Missouri or Illinois. Weather cool.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3—Evening.—The river has risen three inches at this point. The Missouri is falling. There is nothing from the Illinois. The Upper Mississippi is rising at Dubuque. The weather is clear and pleasant.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Orders have been issued from head-quarters of the army for 170 troops to sail for California on the 5th, under command of Lieuts. Brisdale and Kipp, of the third Artillery. They are to supply the place of those now in California, who are ordered to Utah.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The money market is less cheerful and is inactive; the supply is abundant and large quantities are offered at 6 per cent. on call, without finding takers. Stock operators consider the America's news as unfavorable, in consequence of which there is a general decline of nearly all descriptions. Business at the first board was quite dull, but at the second board prices were somewhat firmer.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 2.—Judge Douglas and the President had to-day a full and free interchange of opinion on the Kansas question without, it is understood, being able to arrive at the same conclusion in regard to the line of policy, which justice and duty require each to pursue. The interview, it is further stated, was courteous, and they parted as they met, friends, regretting that they could not view the Lecompton movement in the same light.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—The *Commercial*, of this morning, learns that Mead & Co.'s planing mill and axe factory, Ironton, Ohio was destroyed by fire on Tuesday night. The loss is estimated at $5,000. No insurance. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. Several other houses were also set on fire during the same night.

At Ripley, Jackson county, Virginia, nine buildings, including six stores, were burned a few nights since. Loss, $25,000.

DETROIT, Dec. 3.—A fire occurred at Ypsilanti this morning, which destroyed the buildings on the east side of the river, occupied by Howland & Son and others. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Loss, $8,000, which is partially insured. The weather is moderate; it is snowing this evening.

### Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Cotton closes heavy at ⅛c decline; the sales are unimportant at 11¼ for middling uplands. Flour unsettled; 13,000 bbls sold. Wheat has declined; sales 20,000 bus red at $1,20@1,20. Corn is unsettled; 12,000 bus sold; sales white at 82@85c. Chicago Spring Wheat $1,01. Provisions dull. Dressed Hogs 6¾@7c. Tallow 10. Iron $28@29. Stocks dull: Chicago & Rock Island 78, Illinois Central 95, Sacrowee & Milwaukie 19½, Michigan Southern 21½, N. Y. Central 75, Galena & Chicago 71½, Erie 17½, Reading 73½.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Clovereed has advanced, and 200 bush sold at $5,50@5,62½ per 64 lbs. Beeswax commands 27c. Flour is dull, and 12@15c lower. Sales of common baking buyers, except to the extreme of a few hundred bbls. Sales of Rye Flour at $4,25, and Corn Meal at $3 per bbl. Wheat is dull, and 2c lower. Sales of Penna. red at $1,32@1,30 for red, and $1,05@1,09 for white. Rye is offering freely at 75c. Corn is dull, and has declined 1@2c. 500 bush new sold at 62@63c, and yellow at 65c. Oats are dull at 36c. Mess Pork has declined to $17@18. In Bacon there is nothing doing. Sales of dry salted Hams at 9½c, and 12½c for fancy. Butter ranges from 15 to 20c for solid packed and roll. Whisky is steady at 26@27c.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Exchange on New York dull, plenty and lower, 1½@2 per cent premium. Money continues extremely tight. The weather is clear; mercury 30 deg. The river is stationary. Flour has declined to $1 and is dull. Grain is unchanged. Whisky closed dull at 17½. Hogs and Provisions closed without any alteration. Hogs may be quoted at $7,50@8,10. Mess Pork $13@14. Lard lookin, the latter for kettle.

THE PILL TRADE.—Who could dream of the magnitude which is an undertaking as the manufacture of a Purgative Pill assumes when it comes into the general use. And how painfully do the following numbers speak of the amount of human sickness and suffering, that little morsel of a remedy goes forth to combat and subdue. Dr. J. C. Ayer, the Lowell manufacturers in his laboratory forty gross per diem of his *Cathartic Pills*, through all the year. This is eight boxes a minute or one dose a second. Within and over 40,000 persons swallow this pill every day, or 1,226,000 a month! Physicians, think of that; 1,000 patients a day who seek relief from the medical skill of one man. Surely the returns from such a business should be, as he is in this case, one of the first intelligences and of the highest character. His occupation entails upon him a fearful responsibility for the weal or woe of his fellow men.—*Periscville Courier.*

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EYE AND EAR.—Dr. O. L. Smith, of Baltimore, Oculist and Aurist, has again returned to Pittsburgh and may be consulted at the St. Charles Hotel on diseases peculiar to the eye and ear.


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## Commercial.

### PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

*Reported Specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.*

PITTSBURGH, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1857.

FLOUR—In sales on wharf, sales from wagon of 40 bbls extra at $4,62; from store, 30 bbls super at $4,50; 76 do extra at $4,90; 150 do do. at $4,87; and 40, 50, 75, 94 and 100 do at $4,87 for extra and $4,12 for family do.

HAY—sales at scales of 28 bals at $15@16 per ton.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—the demand continues good; sales of 40 bbls at 50 lbs from store at $1,25 per sack, and $2,75 per 100 lbs.

LARD OIL—declining; sales of 15 bbls No. 1 at 92½.

WHISKY—sale of 50 bbls rare at 25.

POTATOES—in moderate request; sales of 150 bush Nockamixons from store at 50.

### MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, *Wednesday, Dec. 2.*—The receipts of Beef Cattle during the past week amounted to 12,765 head, an increase of 622 head as compared with the receipts of the week previous. The market throughout the week was very dull; but previous prices were maintained; cattle, on the whole, ranging from 7½c to 11c, while some dealers claimed to have obtained a trifle more. There was a moderate demand for Cows and Calves; and first class sold readily at $50@60. The supply of Veal Calves was light, but prices did not advance. Sheep and Lambs are quoted at $3@5,50, with a moderate demand. The receipts of Swine during the week have been unusually heavy, even for this season of the year, and prices have declined 1@c, most of corn-fed being sold for 6¼@6¾ cents.

### Imports by River.

MONONGAHELA NAVIGATION ON—434 bbs glue, Flack; 100 kgs nails, Bagaley & co; 2 bbls hair, 25 bbls apples, 6 do poultry, 4 sks apples 88 sks corn, 7 sks rags, 47 sks flour, Schindler; 173 sks corn, 17 kgs wheat, 14 bbls apples, Shriver; 5 bbls apples, 6 do cider, 40 bgs oats, owner; 305 bbls flour, Hobson & Anker; 27 bbls flour, 1 bbl whisky, 200 bush oats, 200 bush corn, 150 do barley, 300 lat bags, per steamer G. Washington.

WHEELING per Rocket—45 sks corn, Hagan; 47 do oats, Chadwick; 185 bbls paper, owner; 100 bbls apples, Clark & co; 30 kgs barley, Gerrard; 225 rms paper, Cochran, Patterson; 23 sks barley, Wilmarth; 58 sks potatoes, 20 bbls flour, McBane & Anker; 81 sks oats, Curran; 146 bbls apples, 23 pkgs sundries, 16 sks, 14 bbls oats, owner.

ST. LOUIS per Hudson City—254 bbls, Dolange; 5 sks wheat, 31 bbls tallow, 50 bbls flour, 30 do do, 40 bbls do, 6 bbls tea, Clark & co; 65 tcs hemp, Holmes & Anker; 15 bbls lard oil, Hussey & co; 50 bbls molasses, Hill; 200 bbls flour, Graham & Thomas; 27 bbls flour, Wallace; 200 bbls flour, Sellers & co; 25 bbls whisky, Hinds & co; 100 bbls flour, Graham & Thomas; 50 bbls whisky, McKenzy; 225 bbls flour, Lambert; 50 bbls molasses, Brown & Kirkpatrick; 33 bbls molasses, 2 bags brandy, owner; 100 bbls flour, Hussey & co; 2 barrels, Smith; 16 sks feathers, Zanner; 652 bbls flour, McCandless & co; 7 cks glassw, 5 bgs feathers, 1 bg sundries, 1 do wool, Schindler; 1 bbl whisky, 5 do lard oil, 11 do apples, 2 do feathers, Wilson, Childs & co; 100 sks barrels, 45 bbls, 20 bbls potatoes, 4 do apples, Forsyth.

ZANESVILLE per Emma Graham—1496 bbls flour; 4 do apples, Clark & co; 8 sks barrels, Rhodes & Verner; 22 bbls flour, Hamilton.

ST. LOUIS per Henry Graff—1511 bbls flour, Clark & co; 25 bbls molasses, E. Bidwell & co; 2 bbls, 1 bx tobacco, Hoover; 10 bbls whisky, McCague; 50 do do, Duncan; 15 sks bumpered, Fahnestock; 100 bbls flour, Hussey & co; 100 do do, Graham & Thomas; 100 do do, Lloyd & co; 200 do do, Graham & Thomas; 100 do do, Miller & Richstone; 2 bbls whisky, Packer; 24 do do, Miller & Richstone; 2 bbls whisky, Packer; 24 do do, Miller & Richstone; 2 bbls whisky, Packer; 24