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CITY AFFAIRS.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the Gazette, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, 58 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

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THE WEEKLY GAZETTE, for this week, is out, and can be procured at our counter, singly or in wrappers, ready for mailing. It contains all the important news of the week, by mail and telegraph, editorials, city and commercial reports—religious, miscellaneous and political news, &c. Price 5 cts.

The News of the War—Intense Excitement.—The news of the attack on Fort Sumter was received in this city about ten o'clock last night, and created the most feverish excitement. The public mind had so often met with disappointment in this particular, that hundreds were slow to credit the rumors, but on receiving assurances of the truth of the reports, the people upon the streets formed in knots discussing the all-absorbing topic of the hour, while messengers were seen running hither and thither, keeping up communication with the various printing offices, the telegraph office, and other sources of correct information.

At the theatre a large audience had assembled, and between the acts a special dispatch was read, announcing the opening of hostilities by the Secessionists, and the brave defence of Major Anderson and his little garrison. This elicited the wildest enthusiasm, the reader being interrupted by repeated bursts of applause. At the close, a patriotic individual arose in the audience, exclaiming "I'm a democrat! But three cheers for Major Anderson!" The sentiment sent a thrill through the entire audience, and the cheers were given with an electrical effect. Considerable time elapsed before order could be restored, and many left the theatre to gather up the details of the conflict.

Up till midnight hundreds of staid citizens were still on the alert, and at every corner—in every public place—bar rooms, halls, offices, etc., knots of men could be seen talking of the conflict, and showering the highest encomiums upon Major Anderson and his gallant band.

The news of the passage of the War Bill, by the Pennsylvania Legislature, came at an opportune moment, and contributed no little to the general enthusiasm.

"Murder will Out."—The people of Johnstown are excited in consequence of revelations lately made concerning an almost forgotten murder perpetrated at the Beckhorn tavern, Summerhill township, Cambria county, some years ago. The victim was a peddler, who put up at the tavern and was never seen afterwards—neither could any trace of the murderers be had. It is now said that a fellow lately discharged from the penitentiary in Allegheny, after returning to Johnstown, told the secret of the murder to an old comrade, who got on a spree and "let the cat out of the bag." From his statement it seems that some four or five persons were engaged in the atrocious act, the discharged convict being among the number. The story goes, that the peddler was killed at a late hour of the night, long after he had retired to bed; that after he had been murdered and the money taken from his person, (which amounted to some two or three hundred dollars,) the remains of the victim and the entire bed were conveyed to a deep, dark ravine some distance from the tavern, and there concealed. Search is now being made in that locality for the purpose, if possible, of discovering some vestige of the dead body of the peddler or remnants of the bed. The penitentiary bird, alarmed at the revelations made, has fled to parts unknown.

A Novel Suit.—At an early hour yesterday, the pavements at the street corners, and most of the walls surrounding the public buildings, and in some instances the buildings themselves, were found to contain a lettered announcement, in white paint, as follows: "Go and see the Panametra, now on exhibition." This was simply a novel mode of advertising, (not very profitable to printers, by the way,) which had been resorted to by the proprietors of the Panametra. Complaints were made to Mayor Wilson, charging Col. Tillotson, the agent of the exhibition, with violation of a city ordinance against defacing or injuring the property of citizens, and a warrant was issued for his arrest. He has no doubt resorted to this method of advertising elsewhere, and was ignorant of any regulation against it in this city. We are not aware that any objection would be made so far as the use of the sidewalks is concerned, but there are objections to defacing the custom house, court house, churches, and steps or walls of private houses by these announcements, which will of course remain until time obliterates them. The practice should certainly be stopped.

Sudden and Painful Death.—Alex. H. Adams, a very worthy and estimable young man, died suddenly at his father's residence on Penn street, in the Fifth Ward, on Thursday morning. He arose in his usual health, and after reading the morning news, started up stairs for the purpose of washing and dressing, singing merrily as he went. When he reached the top of the stairs he was heard to fall, and in a moment one of his sisters was by his side. He breathed but two or three times, and expired. The deceased was a young man of fine promise, and held a position in the Trust Company's bank. His death has spread a gloom over a large circle of friends, and his family relatives realize the keenest anguish. He was to have been married in a week or two, and his wedding suite served for the habiliments of the grave. The mother of the deceased expired under similar circumstances about one year ago.

PRUNING.—Spring is not the best time to remove large branches. The ascending sap saturates the wound, and running down, discolors and poisons the bark. Nor does the new growth close over it readily. Where it is really necessary to remove such branches, coat the wound with grafting-wax, or better still, gum shellac, dissolved in alcohol to the consistence of cream. It is best to leave large branches until there is no more free sap, and when the new wood has already begun to form. The wound will then heal quickly and firmly, leaving sound, healthy wood beneath. Early pruning at this season only with the pruning-knife, for removing straggling twigs and suckers.

SCANDAL.—We are sorry to see the "enterprise" of some of our contemporaries, in reporting the minutest details of the seduction cases which unfortunately occupy but too much of the time of our Courts at present. We may expose ourselves to some nasty little flings, such as "old fogy," "slow coach," etc., etc. So be it. We would merely say to those of the community who believe that the filthy details of crime are not the best suited to the family circle, that the *Gazette* never pollutes its columns, or insults the decency of its readers, by *that* particular kind of news.

COST OF SHIPPING COTTON.—The cost of carrying a bale of cotton of 500 pounds, from Memphis, Tenn., to Boston, Mass., by the inland route is $4,59. This is less than to send it to New Orleans, reload it in a ship and send it by sea; and the saving of time about 30 days. One railroad car holds 30 bales of close packed cotton. The chain of railroads from the West over the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, and the Pennsylvania Railroads, now furnish the cheapest, quickest and safest means for the transportation of freight from the West to the East.

THE LADIES FOR UNION.—The right of suffrage for women is now advocated for the following reason:

> "In certain districts so we note,
> Our women claim the right to vote!
> Grant them the boon, oh! legislators,
> And 'save the Union' from its traitors;
> For women—whate'er their traits—
> Will never vote for separate states!"

DUQUESNE BASE BALL CLUB.—This club has organized for the season, which will be inaugurated by a match on Tuesday next, if the weather is good, with one every week on the same day, at three o'clock in the afternoon. The officers are as follows: President, Ormsby Phillips; Vice President, Thomas Bakewell, jr.; Secretary, D. M. Beck; Treasurer, Evans R. Darlington; Directors, B. B. Campbell, E. R. Darlington, and Benjamin Bakewell.

THE MONONGAHELA PASSENGER RAILWAY.—We learn that the Passenger Railway from Pittsburgh up the Monongahela, is about to be pushed forward to an early completion. A number of gentlemen of energy, enterprise and capital, have taken the matter in hand, and as they desire the completion of the road for their own accommodation as well as that of the public, the line will be built without delay.

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.—A frightful accident occurred in Minerva, Stark county, Ohio, last week. Mr. Isaac Pimm, while passing under a balance wheel in his foundry, was struck repeatedly on the skull by some pieces of projecting iron on the rim of the wheel, and injured so that he died soon afterwards.

BENJ. M'CARTY, a resident of Somerset, in Washington county, died suddenly on Thursday night of last week. He went to bed in his usual good health, and on Friday morning, upon some one of the family going to his room to call him, he was found to be dead. His age was about eighty years.

INFAMOUS OUTRAGE.—Three young men, residing near Harrisburg, named Jacob Grubb, Robert M'Neal, and Jerry Scheidel were recently arrested and committed to jail for grossly abusing a young girl from Lancaster county, who was alone and traveling to her brother's house near Williamsport.

CONVICTION OF A MURDERER.—Wm. Weaver, charged with poisoning his wife in Perry county, had a trial last week, and was found guilty of murder in the first degree. A motion was made for a new trial, the arguing of which has been laid over until an adjourned court, to be held in three weeks.

AN INQUIRY.—A Brookville editor asks—"Will some person who knows, give us the names of residents of Jefferson county, now engaged in the oil business, who have cleared expenses? There are a good many hundreds of dollars lost, but let us have authentic information from head quarters."

FRIDAY was the anniversary of the birth of Henry Clay. Would that the "sage of Ashland" were now alive and in the councils of the nation!

Progress of the Seduction Case.—The case of the Commonwealth vs. Zadoc Morgan, charged with seduction on oath of Mary Jane Hawthorn, is still on trial in the Criminal Court. The prosecuting witness was kept on the stand until the hour of adjournment on Thursday, a short time previous to which her cross examination commenced. At the opening of Court this morning her cross-examination was resumed and continued up till eleven o'clock. The circumstances of her fall were elicited by the counsel with minute particularity. Her cross-examination was prolonged and critical, but did not vary in the slightest particular from her statement as given in chief. The main points in her testimony were the repeated attentions of the defendant, and his oft-repeated and positive pledges of marriage.

Mrs. Sarah Arbogast, a sister of the prosecutrix, was next called to the stand, and corroborated her sister as to the attentions of Morgan. She testified to a conversation which took place at her house, between Morgan and her sister, relative to their marriage. Morgan had accused Miss Hawthorn of speaking too freely of their marriage to parties who had told him of it afterwards. He stated in the hearing of the witness, "that Mary knew he intended to marry her, but he could not go down street without the story meeting him." Mary denied having talked to others of their marriage, and he told her that "she lied."

Philip Shepler, proprietor of the National Hotel, testified that he kept a register containing the names of the persons who stopped at his house, with the date of their arrival. [The register was given in evidence, containing the following entry—"May 11th, 1860. Z. Morgan and lady, Morgantown." The defense admitted that the parties had stopped at the hotel until the following day.]

Mrs. Mary Camp testified that she resided on Franklin street, in Birmingham, and had known Mary Hawthorn three years; Mary lived with her eight weeks; so far as she knew, Mary's reputation was good. She had not heard much talk about her before the 11th of May last.

Miss Mary Jane M'Quaide testified that she knew Morgan and Miss Hawthorn. Heard Morgan say that "he intended to marry Mary and no one else but her." On cross examination she stated that Elizabeth Cahagan was present, but James Pickup was not there. Morgan's aunt (Mrs. Fogle) was urging him to marry the girl he did marry, but he said he had not money enough then, but when he married he was going to marry Mary Hawthorn. [This testimony, being in reference to a conversation subsequent to the 11th of May, was ruled out by the Court.]

A number of witnesses were examined in the afternoon, principally as to the character of the prosecutrix for chastity. Shortly before 5 o'clock, the case was adjourned till Monday morning.

An Act Authorizing the Governor to Appoint an Inspector of Domestic Distilled Liquors for the County of Allegheny.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the Governor is hereby authorized to appoint an Inspector of domestic distilled liquors for the county of Allegheny, whose duties and compensation shall be the same as those of the Inspector of domestic distilled liquors for the city and county of Philadelphia.

The Governor, on Thursday, attached his signature to the above bill, and it is now, therefore, a law. The act itself merely extends the provisions of a law relating to Philadelphia so as to include this county, without any change whatever. As it has been tested there for some years, and no modification suggested, the evidence is presumptive that its operations are salutary.

Dr. Gazzam, while in the Legislature, reported a bill which contemplated not only an inspection of "domestic distilled liquors," but a complete analysis of each barrel, to be stamped on it, by an officer of the State, which bill was lost. The Philadelphia law, now extended to this county, makes it the duty of the Inspector to brand the grade of each barrel of "domestic distilled liquors," according to its purity, or proof. We shall publish the bill for the information of our readers, at an early day.

Mr. John Smilley, of Temperanceville, has been appointed by the Governor, the Inspector, under the new law. His commission arrived yesterday.

THEATRE.—The new piece entitled "The Chimney Corner," produced for the first time here on Thursday evening, and repeated last night, has created quite a sensation. Every one has some good word to say in its favor. Mr. Couldock personates Peter Probity, an old man 60 years of age, and in this character he puts on those peculiar finishing touches for which he is so remarkable. Mr. Couldock is ably supported by Mr. Macky and the other members of the company, none of whom are more worthy of the public endorsement than is Miss Whiting, for the almost faultless manner in which she has performed the part of "Patty," wife of Peter, for the last two evenings. To-night Mr. Couldock personates "Peter" in "The Chimney Corner," and Mr. Hanchett appears as Harry Seaworth in that capital afterpiece, entitled "Courier of the Ocean." We expect a full house.

MURDER AT READING.—On Wednesday morning a colored man residing in Reading, in a fit of temporary insanity, murdered his wife while in the act of preparing their breakfast. It appears that the man, Israel Bishop, has for several months past been afflicted with insanity, and has been confined in the Berks County Alms House. On Tuesday morning he returned home apparently in restored health, but twenty-four hours after, without a word of warning, raised a hatchet, and with the butt end struck his wife, Elizabeth Bishop, several blows on the head, sufficient in severity to cause her death almost instantly.

CATHOLIC ITEMS.—Rt. Rev. Bishop Domenec administered the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Mary's Church, Lawrenceville, on last Sunday. This being the first official visit of the Bishop to the place, a large and intelligent audience filled St. Mary's to overflowing. About 80 persons, many of them adults, and a portion converts, were confirmed at last mass........The Rev. Joseph Billion, a member of the Benedictine Order, died on Easter Monday, April 1, at Butler, Pa., of liver complaint, in the 58th year of his age. Father Billion was a native of the Province of Brittany, France.

A COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT TO MISS KATE MACEVOY takes place this evening at Lafayette Hall, several of our prominent citizens having tendered a complimentary testimonial of their appreciation of the talents of this truly gifted young lady, who will appear as "Maria" in the Daughter of the Regiment, and sing the celebrated drum song; also, the Star Spangled Banner, in costume. Our comic little friend, Barney, will introduce some new songs. We expect to see a full house on this occasion.

ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUICIDE.—A young girl named Arravesta Hope, residing with her mother, at Easton, Pa., attempted to commit suicide, one day last week, by taking a large quantity of laudanum. A stomach pump was applied and her life was saved. Blighted hopes (!) is said to have been the cause that led to this act. Her brother disposed of himself in a somewhat similar manner some time since.

LIBRARY LECTURES.—That eminent divine and popular lecturer, Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, of Brooklyn, has accepted the invitation of the Library Association, and will lecture for them next Tuesday evening, at City Hall. Although several hundred extra seats have been placed in the Hall, we are confident there will be no spare room. Tickets to be had at usual places, and at the new Library Rooms, Penn and St. Clair streets.

A BIG HAUL.—Marcus Cohen, a resident of Huntingdon, and an *attaché* of the Broad Top Railroad Company, went to Philadelphia on Monday evening, and was robbed of $1,200 on leaving the cars. The sum was all in Pennsylvania bank notes.

THE PANAMETRA, being a series of beautiful illustrations in the Life of Christ, opened at Masonic Hall last evening, to a fair audience. The figures are life-size, and are grouped in a very striking and artistic manner, forming a most pleasing and instructive entertainment.

A STEAM FIRE ENGINE is under contract for the Friendship Company of Harrisburg. It will cost $3,100. It will discharge 350 gallons of water a minute, throw two 1 inch streams 180 feet each, or one stream, of one inch, 250 feet.

A FEMALE BURGLAR.—A young woman named Frances Detro was recently arrested at Zanesville, for burglariously breaking and entering the house of Mrs. Hamick. This is the first female we ever knew to be arrested for burglary.

RETURNED.—J. S. Dilworth, Esq., of the firm of Shriver & Dilworth, returned from Europe in the Persia, on Tuesday. He is in excellent health, but we regret to say finds his wife very ill.

ANOTHER STEAMER.—The committee sent east by the Duquesne Fire Company telegraph home that they have contracted for a new first class steam fire engine in New York.

DR. HUGH ANTERS has been appointed postmaster at Greensburg. It is rumored that Isaac Chandler has received an appointment to a like position at Johnstown.

BOOK-KEEPING, PENMANSHIP and MATHEMATICS taught both day and evening, at the IRON CITY COLLEGE, corner of Penn and St. Clair sts. PROF. COWLEY, to whose hundreds of the business men in this city owe their success as skillful and rapid penmen, continues to take special charge of the Writing Classes. ap13:daw2T

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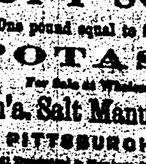

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SURRENDER DEMANDED!

ANDERSON REFUSES!

ATTACK ON FORT SUMTER!

Beauregard's and Walker's Correspondence.

REPORTED BREACH IN THE WALLS.

THE FLEET ARRIVED.

&c., &c., &c.

CHARLESTON, Apr. 11.—Received at Philadelphia April 12th, 1:30 A. M.—At two o'clock this afternoon Gen. Beauregard demanded the surrender of Fort Sumter, which Major Anderson declined, probably with a reservation.

The community was greatly excited by the announcement of this fact and confidently expected that an attack would be made on the fort to-night. Up to this time there has been no such demonstration, and it is not probable that the attack will be commenced to-night.

A large portion of our people are collected along the wharves, at the battery, and every other accessible point facing the harbor, anxiously waiting the result.

The military of the city are under arms, but all is quiet. Another regiment will arrive to-morrow.

It is estimated that 6,000 or 7,000 men are on Morris and Sullivan's Islands and other points along the Coast.

Gen. Beauregard will leave for Morris Island at midnight.

It is reported that the Harriet Lane was seen off the bar this evening.

LATEST.

CHARLESTON, April 11—Received at 2 o'clock, a. m. It is currently reported that negotiations are to be opened between Gen. Beauregard and Major Anderson to-morrow, and that Anderson is about to surrender Fort Sumter.

The officers commanding the different posts on the harbor and on the coast are on the alert, expecting that an attempt will be made early in the morning to provision and reinforce Fort Sumter.

[FIRST DISPATCH.]

CHARLESTON, April 12.—The fight has commenced. This is all I can say at present.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

The ball has been opened at last and war is inaugurated. The batteries on Sullivan's Island, Morris Island and other points opened on Fort Sumter this morning. Fort Sumter returned the fire, and a brisk cannonade has been kept up. No information has been received from the seaward yet. The militia are under arms, and the whole population are on the streets. Every available space facing the harbor is filled with anxious spectators.

THE CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN THE SOUTHERN AUTHORITIES PRECEDING THE HOSTILITIES.

The following is the telegraphic correspondence which took place between the War Department of the Confederate Government and Gen. Beauregard, immediately preceding the commencement of the hostilities. The notification of the United States Government disclosed in Gen. Beauregard's first dispatch:

No. 1.—CHARLESTON, April 8.—*To Hon. L. P. Walker, Secretary of War:* An authorized Messenger from Lincoln has just informed Governor Pickens and myself that provisions will be sent to Fort Sumter peaceably, if possible—otherwise, by force. [Signed] G. T. BEAUREGARD.

No. 2.—MONTGOMERY, April 10.—*To Gen. Beauregard, Charleston:* If you have no doubt of the authorized character of the agent who communicated to you the intention of the Washington Government to supply Fort Sumter by force, you will at once demand its evacuation and if this is refused, proceed in such manner as you may determine, to reduce it. Answer.

[Signed] L. P. WALKER, *Secretary of War.*

No. 3.—CHARLESTON, April 10.—*To L. P. Walker, Secretary of War:* The demand will be made to-morrow, at twelve o'clock.

[Signed] G. T. BEAUREGARD.

No. 4.—MONTGOMERY, April 10.—*Gen. Beauregard, Charleston:* Unless there are especial reasons connected with your own condition, it is considered proper that you should make the demand at an earlier hour. [Signed] L. P. WALKER, *Secretary of War.*

No. 5. CHARLESTON, April 10.—*To L. P. Walker, Secretary of War, Montgomery:* The reasons are special for twelve o'clock.

[Signed] G. T. BEAUREGARD.

No. 6. CHARLESTON, April 11.—*To L. P. Walker, Secretary of War:* The demand was sent at two o'clock. Allowed till six to answer.

[Signed] G. T. BEAUREGARD.

No. 7. MONTGOMERY, April 11.—*To Gen. Beauregard, Charleston:* Telegraph the reply of Anderson.

[Signed.] L. P. WALKER, *Secretary of War.*

No. 8.—CHARLESTON, April 11.—*To L. P. Walker, Secretary of War:* Major Anderson replies as follows: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication demanding the evacuation of this fort, and to say in reply thereto that it is a demand with which I regret that my sense of honor and of my obligation to my government prevent my compliance. He adds, verbally—I will await the first shot, and if you do not batter us to pieces we will be starved out in a few days.—*Answer.* (Signed) G. T. BEAUREGARD.

No. 9.—MONTGOMERY, April 11.—*To Gen. Beauregard, Charleston:* We do not desire needlessly to bombard Fort Sumter. If Maj. Anderson will state the time at which, as indicated by him, he will evacuate and agree that in the meantime he will not use his guns against us, unless ours should be employed against Sumter, you are authorized thus to avoid the effusion of blood. If this, or its equivalent, be refused, reduce the Fort, as your judgment decides to be most practicable.

[Signed.] L. P. WALKER, *Secretary of War.*

No. 10.—CHARLESTON, April 12.—*To L. P. Walker, Secretary of War:* He would not consent. I write to-day.

[Signed.] G. T. BEAUREGARD.

[THIRD DISPATCH.]

CHARLESTON, April 12.—Received in Philadelphia at 9.30 o'clock p. m.—The firing has continued all day, without intermission. Two of Fort Sumter's guns have been silenced. It is reported that a breach has been made in the southeast wall of Fort Sumter.

The answer made by Major Anderson to Gen. Beauregard's demand was that he would surrender when his supplies were exhausted.

Not a casualty has as yet happened to any of our men—the Carolinians. Of the nineteen batteries in position, only seven have opened on Fort Sumter. The remainder are held in reserve for the expected fleet. Two thousand men reached the city this morning, and embarked for Morris Island and other points in that neighborhood.

[FOURTH DISPATCH.]

The bombardment of Fort Sumter still continues. The floating battery and Stephens battery are operating freely. Fort Sumter continues to return the fire. It is reported that three vessels are outside the bar.

[FIFTH DISPATCH.]

CHARLESTON, April 12.—The firing has ceased for the night, to be renewed at daylight in the morning, unless an attempt be made in the meantime to reinforce Fort Sumter, to repel which ample arrangements have been made. The seceders have worked their guns admirably well. Only two were wounded during the day. The Pawnee, Harriet Lane and a third war steamer are reported off the bar. Fresh troops are arriving here by every train.

CHARLESTON, April 12.—Intercepted dispatches disclose the fact that Mr. Fox, who had been allowed to visit Major Anderson on the pledge that his purpose was pacific, employed his opportunity to devise a plan for supplying the Fort by force, and that this plan had been adopted by the Government at Washington, and was in progress of execution.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—There is only one telegraph wire in working condition south of this point and that operates badly. Not a word has been received from any southern point thus far to-day.

The Postoffice Department has despatched an agent to Pensacola, with the view of restoring postal accommodations at that place.

Messrs. Preston, Stewart and Randolph, the Commissioners appointed by the Virginia State Convention to ascertain the purposes of the Administration, arrived here this morning.

During the afternoon they visited the President, but not in their official character, and were received by him directly after the cabinet meeting adjourned.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The President has made the following Massachusetts appointments: Charles H. Phelps, Surveyor of the Port of Boston, in place of Fletcher Webster, who was removed at the earnest request of the Massachusetts Congressmen; E. L. Norton, Navy Agent at Boston; Richard H. Dana, District Attorney, and John S. Keys, U. S. Marshall; John A. G. Woodpin, Postmaster at Lowell; C. P. Baldwin has been appointed Marshal, and George Howe, District Attorney for Vermont; James C. Akus, Marshall, and Edward S. Bradford, Attorney for Delaware; L. Vance has been appointed Postmaster at Norristown, and H. Bonnet, Postmaster at Norwich, N. Y.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 12.—An extra session of the Confederate Congress has been called to meet on the 29th inst.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The steamer North Star arrived this afternoon from Aspinwall, with $1,110,000 in specie. She brings the Panama papers of the 24 inst. The frigate Saranac arrived at Panama on March 31st. The sloop-of-war St. Mary's sailed on the 1st for San Francisco. The North Star passed the steamer Champion, bound for Aspinwall, on the 7th inst., in latitude 18.42, longitude 74.13. The town of Buenaventura, in Granada, had been captured by the Liberals. The barracks were burnt, and twenty men perished in the flames, ten were killed in the streets, and fifty-four taken prisoners, of whom thirty-two were wounded. The Liberals lost ten or twelve killed, and thirty wounded.

The Liberals had been defeated before Pasto by the government troops.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The steamer Vanderbilt has been taken to the Navy Yard. It is supposed that she has been chartered by the Government.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The ship Witchcraft has been wrecked off Hatteras. Fifteen of her crew were drowned. The captain and third officer were saved.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The North Star, from Aspinwall, has been signaled below. She will be up at 2/30 this afternoon.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Stocks are better. Treasury 120@103½ Registered sixes 1881, 93. For the new loan par@1½ per cent. premium is offered.

HARRISBURG, April 12.—The war bill was passed by the House this afternoon and the Senate to-night, without amendment. Gov. Curtin waited at the Executive office to sign it, and it is already a law.

The Charleston dispatches about the hostilities were announced in both houses and produced a profound sensation. Mr. Smith, a Democratic member of the House, after the Charleston dispatches were received, changed his vote to "aye" on the war bill. All the Democrats of both houses voted against it. The war bill was drawn up by Hon. A. K. McClure in the Senate under the instructions of the joint Legislature. The bill appropriates half a million dollars for the purpose of arming and equipping the militia and authorizes a temporary loan to meet the expenditures. It provides for the appointment of an Adjutant General, Commissary General and Quartermaster General, who, with the Governor, are to have power to carry the act into effect.

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—Dates from Vera Cruz to the 9th have been received.

De Lajeda is dead.

The roads to the Capital are now patrolled.

Juarez is certainly elected President.

It is reported that Weller, the U. S. Minister, has tendered his resignation.

MOBILE, April 12.—The news of the opening of the war creates an intense excitement here. Our people are rejoiced at the commencement of hostilities. Fifteen guns are being fired this evening in honor of the attack on Fort Sumter.

LOUISVILLE, April 12.—Dispatches have come here to hold the Kentucky Volunteer regiment in readiness to move at a moment's notice, from the War Department at Montgomery.

SYRACUSE, April 12.—The Canal Commissioners have resolved to open all the canals in the State on May 1st.

ST. LOUIS, April 12.—Exchange on New York is firm and advancing at 5 per cent.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels.

UP TO 8 O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT.

ST. CHARLES—Corner of Third and Wood streets. HARRY SHIRLS, PROPRIETOR.

J R Weaver, Freeport; J Elliott, Cameron, Va; J R Henalg, Mercer; F Brentgan, New Orleans; S W Hall; Mrs R B Crawford, Kittanning; P Murphy; J B Thompson, Washington; J F Chorpenning; R E McKee, Upper Sandusky; Lieut Stillwell, U S N; J W Hays, Littleton, Va; Mrs Hall, Virginia; D Kissick, New Castle; W McGhee, Iron Valley; Rev J K Miller; J H Henry & lady, McKeesport; H Logan, Lima, O; J L Redburn, Uniontown; D Thomas, Ohio; H Krieder, Columbiana, O; J Hawn, Poland, O; J D Minch, Leesville, Pa; H N Lee, Kittanning; H Hall, Washington; O Hardesy, do; J D Chambers, do; S McWilliams, Harrisburg; A McClintock, Massillon, O; M Bartling, Phila; J Fox, Reading; W McDonald, Camden, Ind; J D McKeen, Brownsville; R O Hoffman, Steubenville; A Baird, Kensville; H Greenwood, Salem, O; J G Campbell, Butler; R Boyle, Panama; A Ross, Alliance; W Halstead, Cincinnati; J R Kerr, St Charles Furnace; J Mahon, do; O Turner, Steubenville; A W Hosier, Alliance; J B Boyer, do

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MESS PORK—150 bbls. in store for sale by [illegible]

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION FOR MARCH AND APRIL. WM. MCCREERY, V. P. R. CAMPBELL, ISAIAH DICKEY, R. PRESTON, S. S. MCELROY, WM. HEARS.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

[Reported especially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PITTSBURGH, FRIDAY, April 12, 1861.

There was but little done in the way of business to-day, which may be attributed to some extent to the disagreeable condition of the weather. The general markets were rather dull and inactive, without, however, any particular change in quotations.

FLOUR—quiet but steady while rates remain unchanged; Sales were:

	Super.	Extra.	Ex. Fam.	Fancy
50 bbls from store	—	—	5 25@5 50	—
125 " w w do	—	—	5 50@5 75	6 00
50 " w w do	—	5 25	5 75	6 00
25 " w w do	—	—	5 75	—
25 " w w do	—	—	5 75	—
45 " w w do	—	5 25	5 75	6 00

GROCERIES—Sugar—in fair request but unchanged; sale of 30 hhds at 6¼@7c; 10 do do at 6¾c; 10 do do at 6¾@7½c. Molasses steady; sale of 25 bbls at 35c. We note small sales to country at 37½c. Coffee firm with a moderate demand; sale of 25 bags at 14½c, 20 do do at 14¾c; 15 do do at 14½@15c. Rice—Sale of 3 casks at 4½c.

BACON—unchanged but firm with an advancing tendency; sale of 2,000 lbs Shoulders at 7½c; 1,000 do Plain Hams at 10½c, and 1,000 lbs Country Sides at 9c.

FISH—in fair request but unchanged. Sale of 16 half bbls White Fish at $4,75; 8 bbls No 3 Mackerel at $11; 10 do do No 2 at $11.

POTATOES—in moderate inquiry but unchanged; sale of 30 bush common Neshannocks at 45c; 150 do prime do at 50c ℔ bush.

GREEN APPLES—scarce with a good demand at full prices; sale in two lots of 40 bbls at $3,25 ℔ bbl.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches continue to meet with a good request; sale of 20 bags at $2,25; 30 bush do choice at $2,37. Apples nominal at 75 to 87½c ℔ bush.

CHEESE—dull but unchanged; sale of 50 boxes W R at 10c ℔ lb.

EGGS—have advanced; sale of 4 bbls at 10½c ℔ dozen.

MESS PORK—quiet but firm; sale of 5 bbls at $17,50 ℔ bbl—par funds.

OATS—very dull; sale of 120 bush from store at 28c ℔ bush.

L OIL—No 1 Lard is dull at 83c; sale of 5 bbls Flax Seed at Oil at 70c ℔ gall.

SYRUP—Sale of 3 bbls Sugar House at 45c ℔ gall.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

BALTIMORE COFFEE MARKET, April 10.—The Coffee market continues firm in tone, and there is quite a good inquiry for it, but the high rates demanded by holders restricts transactions. The only sale we heard of to-day was 200 bags Rio at 13½c. The stock of Rio Coffee on the market to-day was about 10,000 bags. We continue our quotations as follows, viz: 12@12½c for low grade Rio; 12@13½c for fair to good do; 13½@14c for prime; 14@15½c for Laguayra, and 17½@18c for Java.—[Amer.

ST LOUIS MONEY MARKET, April 10.—Under the pressure of outside influence, and the intensely tangled condition of money matters, exchange on New-York went up today to 4 ℔ cent prem for Missouri funds, and bankers were not anxious to draw at that. New Orleans nominally at 3 to 3½, but no call for it.

The demand for coin to-day was tremendous—everybody wanting to get hold of the hard stuff, but the bankers were not disposed to shell out freely.—[Dem.

EXCHANGE AT CHICAGO, April 10.—Exchange is 5 ℔ cent premium, with sales more freely than yesterday. Buying 5@5¼ for small lots. Large parcels could scarcely command even the lower figure, unless wanted to supply the immediate wants of customers. The market is too unsettled for large transactions.

Gold is more active. Sales to-day were ranging at 7@8 ℔ cent prem. Buying 4@7. The sales are principally at retail.—[Trib.

CHICAGO FLOUR AND GRAIN MARKET, April 10.—The market for all kinds of Breadstuffs continues firm; and in view of a speedy opening of navigation, there is more activity. To day there was a good inquiry for Flour by shippers, but owing to the extreme firmness of holders, the transactions were comparatively light—amounting to 1750 bbls, at $4,00@4,50 for fair to choice spring extras, and $3,50@3,75 for common superfine. The Wheat market was more active and steady at yesterday's extreme figures—with sales of 60,000 bushels at 83@83½c for winter receipts No 1 spring; 79½@80c for winter receipts No 2 spring; 82@82½c for fresh receipts do; and 68@70c for fresh receipts Rejected—the market closing quiet but firm. There was a better demand for Corn—especially River and Canal—and the market was firm, with sales of about 40,000 bushels, at 25c for Mixed afloat; 25½c for uninspected Yellow afloat; 25½@25¾c for winter receipts Mixed in store; 23½c for fresh receipts do; 23½c for winter receipts No 2 in store. Rye was lower; a lot of 3,100 bu No 1 Oats, winter receipts, was sold at 15c in store—at which the market closes steady. Rye 40c. Barley 30@45c, according to sample. Timothy Seed was in fair request and steady at $2,05@2,45 for fair to prime. Clover quiet at $2,90 for good. A lot of 500 bushels Hungarian Grass Seed was sold at 28c.—[Trib.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES AT NEW ORLEANS, April 3.—SUGAR—The receipts have been to a moderate extent, with a fair demand prices have been fully maintained. The sales to last evening embraced 4,840 hhds, closing on the basis of 6@6¾c for fair to fully fair, while 250 hhds changed hands at full prices, the market closing at the following quotations:

Inferior and Refining	3 @4
Common to Good Common	4¼@5¼
Fair to Fully Fair	6 @6¾
Prime to Choice	6¾@7
Centrifugal and Clarified	6¾@7¼

This makes a total for the week of 6,700 hhds. Week's receipts, 3,625 hhds; exports, 66.

MOLASSES—Barrels may be quoted at

Inferior	13½@18
Common and fermenting	19@24
Prime	24@25
Choice	25@27
Half bbls	23@27

Week's receipts 4,503 bbls and 411 half bbls; exports 456 bbls.—[True Delta.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET, April 9.—Flour dull and prices 12½c lower, closing at $5 12½ for Superfine. Mess Pork unchanged and in moderate demand at $18. Bacon unchanged; the demand is moderate. Lard quiet at 10c for bbl and 11c for keg. Whisky unchanged and steady. Sugar is moderate demand though changes in prices. Molasses steady at 20c for choice reboiled. Coffee to fair demand at 13½c for prime Rio. Corn firm at 60c for yellow, and Sight Exchange on New-York ¼ prem.

NEW BEDFORD OIL MARKET, April 5.—(For the week.)—Sperm—The market is quiet. The sales since our last amount to 200 bbls at $1,42, and two parcels in Fairhaven amounting to 210 bbls at a price not reported, but understood at $1,42@1,43 ℔ gall. Whale—There is some demand for Whale, and the transactions since our last include sales of 1,000 bbls in parcels at 41@48c ℔ gall, according to quality. Whalebone—Sales for the week 3,000 lbs. No Ochotsk at 131½c, and 6,000 lbs South Sea at 87c.

NEW-YORK BOOT AND SHOE MARKET.—Western interior trade is now coming in to a fair extent; from some sections, however, the merchants purchase but small amounts; from our own State the demand is but a very moderate one. Descriptions of New England made work range low, upon some lines even lower than the same article could be obtained for last season. The supply of stock is yet ample for all requirements.

Imports on River.

WHEELING—per J C Baker—75 bbls oil, Lubric oil co; 6613 hoop poles, Geo A Brown; 103 sks corn meal, W M Gormley; 9 bbls, 1 keg lard, Clark & Stewart; 3 bbls bacon, 1 keg lard, Amos Glover; 5 bbls flax, J D Lippencott; 7100 bbls paper, Chadwick & son; 35 do do, Foster & Fleeson; 10 bales wrapping, Forsyth & co; 30 bbls apples, 5 do flour, A J Hagen; 2 bxs, 1 bbl flour, M Sharp; 81 bbls potatoes, Culp & Shepard; 13 bbls oil, Jake Hill; 17 do do, H W Laughlin.

Imports by Railroad.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—April 12—9 bxs oil stone, Logan & Gregg; 2873 pcs bulk meat, Wm B Hays & co; 122 sks hogs, 100 bbls, A Gray, Wallace; 100 do do, Leech & Hutchinson; 21 do brooms, D Gregg & co; 7 bbls mill, F W Woolridge; 31 cks scrap iron, Graff & Painter; 150 bbls flour, Culp & Shepard; 40 do do, Wilson & Jacobs; 69 rolls sole leather, Brown & Kirkpatrick; 17 bbls apples, 3 bbls meal, 7 do potatoes, H Gary; 51 bunches brooms, S H Myers & co; 1 car lumber, Hoffman, Jamison, 1 do do, Clarke & co; 1 car oats, Carling, Robertson & co; 2 empty kgs, Lynch & Shoenberger; 1 do do, 1 do do; 1 bx goods, M Hanacker; 12 do wire, Geo. McCullough; 98 bbls flour, Hutchinson; 4 do apples, Robinson & Smith & co; 6 bbls eggs, 1 do butter, Head & Metzger; 15 do, John E Baleton; 27 shipments, 1 bbl eggs, Beck & Lemon; 2 bags potatoes, 1 do do; F Taylor; 1 do machinery, R & W Thompson; 1 bbl eggs, 1 do butter, H McMahon.

PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND R. R.—April 9—101 bxs cheese, H Tabit; 1 bx leather, J Y McLaughlin; 10 bbls flour, Jas Gardner; 21 bbls apples, Wm McCullough; 132 bbls chairs & G Graff; 1 do do, Atwell, Lee & co; 6 do do truit, J A Fetzer; 52 bbls potatoes, 12 bgs corn, Leech & Hutchinson; 1 roll leather, Parke, Painter & co.

RIVER NEWS.

The weather yesterday was disagreeable, there being an almost incessant rain during the entire day.——The river was receding slowly, with 9 feet 2 inches by the pier mark last evening.——The arrivals were the Key West from Illinois River, Science from Parkersburg and Clara Poe from St. Louis, all having moderate trips. There was not a solitary departure aside from the regular packets. The Meteor from St. Louis, J. B. Ford and Linden from Louisville are due to-night and to-morrow.

The Poland, owing to the inclement condition of the weather, was unable to complete her trip for Nashville yesterday. She will most positively leave this evening. Capt. Gracey is in command while Mr. Pristow has charge of the office.——The Sir Wm. Wallace is receiving for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi, and will in all probability be ready to leave on Tuesday.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Cotton is very quiet and dull; sales 250 bales at 12¼. Flour is quiet; sales of 11,000 bbls at $5 20@5 35 for State, an advance of 5c; $5 60@5 70 for Ohio, and $5 35@5 60 for southern. Wheat quiet but firm; sales of 7,000 bush at $1 20 for Milwaukie club, $1 45 for white western, and $1 38 for Pennsylvania. Corn firm and steady; sales 20,000 bush at 68c for mixed; 67c for new, and 69c for new southern. Provisions steady but unchanged. Whisky firm at 18½c.

Stocks are better; Treasury 12s 103¼; registered sixes 1881, 93. For the new loan par@1¼ per cent offered.

CINCINNATI, April 12.—Flour unchanged. Wheat dull and unsettled, sellers refuse to pay over 98c for prime red, and $1 for prime white; there is very little export demand, and this is confined to choice Kentucky. Corn in fair demand at 33c. Rye advanced to 55@56c. Oats steady at 28c. Provisions held firmly, which checks business; sales limited, and very little demand in any article. Lard would have sold quickly at 9½c, but was held higher, holders asking 9¾c. Groceries unchanged and firm. Molasses 38c; Sugar 6@7¼c.

Money market is quiet and money is plenty; but there is very little acceptable paper offering. Exchange on New York is firm at ¼@½ premium; but on New Orleans unsettled at par.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—Flour firm at $5 37@5 50 for superfine; $5 50@5 75 for extra and $5 87@6 50 for extra family, and $6 50@7 00 for fancy; imports 3,000 bbls. Rye flour 14,000; Corn meal at $3 00@3 25 for red, and 1500 bushels white at $1 35@1 42. Corn active; 5000 bush new yellow sold at 63c; Rye 65c. Provisions firmer; Mess Pork $17 50, prime at $13; Bacon hams at 11@12½c; sides 10c, and shoulders at 8c. Lard advancing; 10½c being refused for prime, 10 bbls and kegs sold at 9½c—Sixty days. Whisky quiet and dull at 17½@18c.

BALTIMORE, April 12.—Flour is steady; Howard st. and Ohio $5 37¼. Wheat firm at $1 20@1 25 for red, and $1 30@1 40 for white. Corn firm at 60@65c for yellow, and 63@65 for white. Provisions firm, rates unchanged. Coffee firm at 13¼@13½. Whisky dull at 17¼@17½c.

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