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OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, May 8, 1867. }

The New York stock quotations to-day, as reported by Ph. R. Mertz, were as follows: Gold, 138¾; Eighty-one bonds, 111½; Five Twenties, 1862, 107½; Five Twenties, 1864, 105¾; Five Twenties, 1865, 106; Consols, 1863, 107½; Seven Thirties, first issue, 106½; Seven Thirties, second and third issues, 106¼.

Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	138¼
U. S. 6ixes 1881	111¾
5-20's 1862	107½
" 1864	105¾
" 1865	106
U. S. Ten-Forties	102¾
Consols	107½
August Seven-thirties	106½
June "	107
July "	106½

Dec., Compounds, 1864 ..... 105½

Oil stocks have been almost entirely lost sight of during the past year, and people generally, have come to the conclusion that the less they have to do with them the better. Think of the once famous Columbia, which at one time sold up to one hundred dollars per share, now offering at six, while many others, too numerous to mention, have died long since. Triumph is now the most popular stock of that kind in this market, and should the oil market improve, the price of this stock, it is believed, will advance materially. Oil Basin, which was thought defunct, is reported as having struck a hundred barrel well this other day, and it is also stated that the Pittsburgh and Philadelphia Co. has struck a fifty barrel well.

—All banks of issue, both National and State, are taxed ten per cent. on any old State bank notes which they pay out. Such notes are the same in value as before the ten per cent. law went into effect. At least the banks that issue them are required to redeem them just as before. The law imposes the tax exclusively on the banks which may pay them out hereafter. The public has a right to receive these notes, and should do so, accepting only greenbacks and National bank notes, that we may have the benefits of a uniform currency.

—The National bankrupt law will will go into effect on the first of June. In some respects, however, the law is retrospective: for it is provided, under sections 39 and 19, that transactions which may have taken place within four months next before the commencement of proceedings in bankruptcy shall come within the jurisdiction of the courts. According to the law, any preferences made to creditors since the first day of February are liable to be rendered null and void, provided proceedings be entered within four months from the date of such act of preference. The law also provides that if the creditor who accepts such preference has reason for believing that the security was given in anticipation of insolvency, he shall not only be required to surrender the security to the assignee, but shall forfeit his claim upon the debtor's estate. It is highly important that men of business should properly understand the liabilities under which they now place themselves in giving; or accepting preferences in the matter of debts. The whole force of the new law is directed against such transactions, and provides severe penalties against its violators. There can be little doubt that, in the present disordered condition of trade and credit, an unusual amount of preferential transactions are taking place. The parties to such acts should understand that, unless they can be assured that no proceeding in bankruptcy will be undertaken within four months from the date of the transaction, they expose themselves to severe risks and penalties. Under the circumstances which in most cases attend the making of preferences to creditors, the operation will be regarded by the act as a fraud. The new act is framed upon a more rigid construction of commercial equity and morality than is recognized in the existing commercial law of the States; and many of the transactions of insolvents which now are tolerated by society and allowed by the courts, will, under the new law, be found to expose the parties thereto to very unpleasant consequences.

—The New York *Evening Post* says: The failure was announced yesterday of one of the most extensive manipulators in Corydon mining shares in this city and in Franklin, Plymouth, Hancock, Huron, Copper Falls, Hop, &c., &c., in Boston. At about three o'clock p. m. yesterday, at Boston, Mr. John Leighton was arrested on a process sued out by New York creditors, and will be confined, awaiting a requisition from the Governor of New York. The failure is estimated at a million of dollars, one house having a claim against him of nearly $300,000, while his assets are inconsiderable.

New York Financial Matters.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, May 8.—Money market easier. Call Loans 3@4 on Government and @5 on Stock Collaterals. Sterling closed firm at 9½@9¾ for sixty days, and 10@10¼ for demand. Gold closed steadyat 137¾, cash; and plenty and 25@ per cent. paid for carrying. Governments opened firm, but at the noon call there was a decline of ¼@¾ in several instances and closed quiet and steady: Registered '81, 111¾@111½; Coupons '81, 111¾@111½; 5-20 registered '62, 106¾@106½; 5-20 Coupons '62, 107¾@108; do. January and July, 107¾@107½; 10-40 registered, 99¼@99¾; 10-40 Coupons 99¾@100; August Seven-thirties, 106¾@106¾; June " 106¾@106¾. The amount of Treasury checks paid to-day was $27,000 in gold.

The railway market all higher at first open board. At the second board, towards the close, there was a general advance in prices, and an improved demand generally. Erie was the first feature. At 830 P. M. prices were: American gold, 137¾@138; Ohio certificates, 97@97½; Canton, 43@44; Cumberland Coal, 31@31½; Quicksilver, 25½@ 26¾; Mariposa, 7½@8; do preferred, 19½@19¾; Western Union Telegraph, 62¾@63; Pacific Mail Steamship Co., 124@124½; Atlantic Mail Steamship Co., 25@26½; New York Central, 97¼@98; Erie, 65¾@66½; Hudson, 96¾@97¼; Reading, 102¾@103; Michigan Southern, 84¼@85; Illinois Central, 113@113½; Pittsburgh, 72¼@73½; Toledo, 113@113½; Rock Island, 90½@91; North-western, 58¾@59; preferred 69¾@72; Fort Wayne, 96½.

Boston State bonds steady. Tennessee extra coupons 64½; new Tennessee's 62½. Coal and Miscellaneous shares steady without decided change. The liabilities of Watts, Crane & Co., are understood to be heavy, owing to large losses in cotton and tobacco, and variously estimated at three to seven millions of dollars. This feature has brought down Given, Jones & Co. Stock and Gold firm. The Kentucky and New Orleans banks are said to loose heavily by the failure of Watt, Crane & Co. About two hundred thousand dollars of gold was sold on account of Given, Jones & Co.'s say. The Mining market was generally dull at the morning board. Corydon Run went up to 140 and Quartz Hill to 155. Gregory was heavy at 025@03. Quartz was weaker and declined to 115. Quartz Hill steady at 165@166. Other changes unimportant. Receipts at the Sub-Treasury $1,291,456; payments, $2,205,159.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, May 8, 1867. }

The general markets continue dull, and there are no indications at present for any immediate improvement. The demand for most of the leading commodities is restricted mainly to supplying immediate wants, and round lot operations, as a consequence, are an exception, rather than the general rule.

GRAIN—We understand that some of the city mills are paying $3.45 for Ohio Winter Wheat, delivered here. Oats firm but unchanged—sale of 1 car at 65c, and small sales at 66 to 68c. Corn is firm but quiet; prime Yellow, suitable for shipment, is held at $1.14 to $1.15, with $1.12 to $1.13 offered. Sales of Rye at $1.63 to $1.65, the latter an outside price.

FLOUR—Is firm, with a fair local demand, but prices are unchanged. We continue to quote at $15 to $15.50 for good to choice Spring Wheat; $16 to $17 for Winter Wheat, and $19 to $20 for fancy brands. Rye Flour is firm at $6.50 to $10.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is quietand unchanged at 9½c to 10c for Shoulders; 13½ to 13½c for Ribbed and Clear Sides; 14 for Plain Hams; 15½ to 15½c for Plain Sugar Cured; and 16½ to 16½c for Canvassed. Dried Beef, 20½c. Lard, 13c, and Mess Pork, $23 to $23.50 per bbl.

OIL—Lard Oil is steady, with regular sales at 87 to 90c for No. 2, and $1.08 to $1.10 for No. 1.

BUTTER—Continues dull, the market being pretty well glutted. Prime to choice Roll may be quoted at 25 to 30c. Grease Butter is in fair demand at 6½ to 9c.

EGGS—Quiet but unchanged at 13c—supply fully up to demand.

POTATOES—Quiet and unchanged. Sales at 85 to 87½ per bbl for Peach Blows, and $2.25 to $2.35 for Buckeyes. Peach Blows in sacks, 90c per bushel.

HAY—Is steady with a fair demand and limited arrivals. Sales of 1 car fair quality at $25—sales in store at $24@25, according to quality.

SEEDS—Flaxseed is in steady demand at $3. No movement in Clover or Timothy seeds.

SALT—Is selling at $2.40, on track; $2.50 delivered, and $2.60 to $2.65 in store.

GREEN APPLES—Are scarce, and prime to choice may be quoted at $5.50 to $6.00 per barrel.

DRIED FRUIT—Dull but unchanged—small sales at 8 to 9c for Apples, and 14c to 15c for Peaches.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, May 8, 1867. }

CRUDE—The market was quite active to-day, the reported sales reaching about eight thousand barrels, and with a firmer feeling on the part of holders, prices are pretty well sustained. The sales were as follows: 2000 bbls at 6¾c; 1200, 400, 1000, 1500, and 2000, all at 7c, and 300 at 10¼c, packages included. There are no new characteristics in the trade worthy of notice, with the exception, as already noted, that there is a firmer feeling, and this is owing to the comparatively light arrivals, and the fact that there are at present many more dealers buying for this market, will keep the receipts down for some time to come. At $2.50 at Oil City and Corry, there is nothing left for the Crude dealer after he pays 20c per bbl for freightage, and many operators have been obliged to stop for the present.

REFINED—There was rather more inquiry for bonded oil to-day, and it was reported that a little better selling prevailed in the East, but as yet, there is no improvement to note in prices here. We can report sales of one thousand bbls, each for June and July, in the 23 cent. figure, and for the former, and 28 for the latter month; also, a "sale" for one thousand barrels, during the balance of June, at 29c, and 31 per bbl, and 4000 bbls for future delivery on private terms—generally speaking, oil, and all to be delivered in Philadelphia.

ARRIVALS—The following arrivals of oil were reported to-day:

C. Bellinger	600	Fisher & Bro
D. Bushnell	107	D. M. Edgerton
Jas. Wilkins	300	
Total		

New York Produce Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, May 8.—Cotton quiet and rather heavy; sales of 800 bales of middling uplands at 27. Flour receipts, 8285; market a shade better for common and medium, all other kinds are unchanged and nominal, the demand being fair and partly speculative; sales of 10,000 barrels at $11.25@12.30; superfine state and western, $12.75@13.25; extra western $14.25@15.50; choice do, $13.50 @14.50; superfine Ohio, $12.75@13.25; common round hoop Ohio, $14.50@15.00; trade brands, market closing firm. Canada flour firm but not very active; sales of 400 barrels and sacks at $12.50@17.00. Rye flour a trifle better, sales of 300 barrels at $8.00@9.50. Whisky quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet and without any decided change for spring, but generally tends strongly upwards; sales of 4,200 bushels at $2.80@2.90 for spring; $2.90@3.00 for Chicago, $3.05; extra choice white Canada, $3.40; white California, $3.50, and extra choice white Michigan, do. Rye steady and advancing; sales of 20,000 bushels at $1.07 for western and $1.07½@1.08 for state. Barley quiet; sales of 600 bushels of State, at $1.50. Malt quiet. Corn receipts, 8400; market 1@2c lower; sales of 81,000 bushels at $1.25 for old mixed western and new; $1.23 to 1.29 do afloat, $1.26@1.31 new mixed western, chiefly $1.29@1.29, and $1.19 for New Orleans mixed. Oats 1@2c better and quiet; sales of 58,000 for western. Lesinhar—sole firm at previous prices. Beef firm and unchanged. Pork steady and firm. Sugar firm; sales 200 hhds. Cuba, at 10½@11½c. Molasses quiet. Petroleum dull, at 49½c for crude; 25½c for refined in bond. Hops quiet. Coal—Anthracite rather more active, at $7.50@7.75 for retail. Wood quiet and drooping; sales 100,000 pounds, at 45@ 55c for domestic; 60@65c for Canada; 65@70c for California. Pork opened dull and heavy, and closed rather more firmly; sales of 2,650 bbls. at $23@23.15 for new mess; closing at $23.00 cash; $22.50 mess; $19@19.50 prime, and $22@22.50 for prime mess. Beef steady; sales 200 bbls. at about previous prices. Beef hams quiet, at 20@21c. Cut meats firm; sales 350 packages at 9@10c for shoulders, and 12¼ @13c for hams. Bacon steady; sales of 220 boxes, at 10½c for Cumberland cut; 11½@11¾c for short rib sides; 10½c for long rib sides, and 12½@ 12¾c for short clear. Lard firm and active for demand, at 13¼@13¾c. Butter firm and unchanged. Cheese firm.

LATEST, 5 P. M.—Flour closed very firm for common and medium grades, and dull for high grades. Wheat quiet and steady for spring, and firm and active for winter; No. 2 spring, $2.75@2.85; No. 1 spring, $2.95@ 3.05; winter red and amber white, $3.00@3.15. Rye dull and heavy, at $1.06@1.07. Barley quiet and steady. Oats very firm, 66@67c for western. Corn dull and heavy; old shipping mixed western, $1.24@1.25; new do, $1.20@1.21; afloat, new mixed western, $1.25@1.25. Pork closed 500 bbls. new mess at $23.00@23.12½; cash and regular, closing with sellers at $23.00 cash, and buyers at $23.00. Beef dull and without decided change. Lard firm at 13¾c, with a fair demand. Bacon steady; 10½c for Cumberland cut; 11½c for long ribbed. Lard firm at 13¾c for prime steam, and 13¾@13½c for kettle rendered.

Cincinnati Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CINCINNATI, May 8.—Flour dull and low-er at $13.50 for double extra. Rye flour 6c. Wheat declined at $2.90@2.95 for No 1, $2.75 @2.75 for No 2, and $2.60 for No 3. Oats advanced at 73@73½c for No 1, and 72½c for No 2. Corn weak at $1.12.

Buffalo Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BUFFALO, May 8.—Flour is quiet and firm but unchanged. Wheat is in fair demand, with sales of 4,000 bushels Canada spring at $1.06@1.10; 1,500 bushels white Canada, $1.40@ 1.50; 2,500 bushels No 2 Chicago at 91½c—all in small lots. Corn—there is a little disposition to operate, and the market is very unsettled with a tendency downward; sales of a boat load new yellow western at $1.18, in store, and 5,000 bushels do at private terms. Oats, small sales at 73c for western. Rye is wanted; there is none in the market. Highwines are dull; retailing at $2.33. Mess Pork is quiet at $23. Lard is dull at 13½@ 13½c. Barley is scarce and nominal at $1.25 for Canada.

Dry Goods Trade.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK May 8.—Weather stormy, for active trade, yet there is a fair inquiry pervading for cotton fabrics at rather further concessions in prices. The Augusta unbleached, yard wide sheetings are reduced to 18½; Atlantic A. selling at 19; do. H, and Pacific A. and H, 18½, and Lawrence E, 18; Atlantean, 4-4, bleached muslin reduced to 15½; do. X. to 11½; Hill to 24. Prints steady, but less active, and range from 9 to 22 as to styles and quality.

New Orleans Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW ORLEANS, May 8.—Cotton unsettled and lower; middling 24@24½; sales of 2,500 bales; receipts 464, exports 8,133 bales. Sugar and Molasses nominal. Flour quiet and unchanged. Corn; stock light, demand good at full prices; white $1.20. Oats; stock small with an active demand; sales at 80c. Mess Pork dull and unchanged; only a jobbing business done. Gold 137¾. Sterling 47@51. New York Sight Exchange ¼ premium.

Louisville Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

LOUISVILLE, May 7.—Sales of 300 hhds. leaf tobacco at easier rates, lugs, $7.75@14.75; Clarksville leaf, $15.75; Planters' company, $17.25; Owen company, $22.50. Superfine flour, $10 @11. Wheat nominal. Corn, shelled, $1.10; delivered; ear corn, bulk, 90@95c. Oats, 80@ 82c, bulk. Mess pork, $22.50. Bacon, shoulders, 9@9½c; clear sides, 12½@13c; hams, loose, 13@c. Lard tierces, 13½. Raw Whiskey, $2.25. Cotton, 25½c.

Baltimore Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BALTIMORE, May 8.—Coffee quiet and firm. Flour dull and firm. Wheat nominal and unchanged. Corn dull and lower the supply light; for prime white $1.25@1.25, oats 73@73c. Sugar firm for good to prime refining 10½c. Provisions steady and inactive; bulk shoulders 9½c; Mess Pork $23.75. Lard; city 13c western 13¼. Whisky nominal and unchanged.

Philadelphia Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

PHILADELPHIA, May 8.—Flour quiet; extra brands $11.75; family brands $12.00@$14.00. Wheat firm; red western $2.35; white $2.50 @2.60. Rye $1.10. Corn firm; 10,000 bushels sold at $1.20@1.21. Oats steady at 80c. Petroleum dull; sales of crude at 16c gal. and refined at 25½@26c.

Toledo Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

TOLEDO, May 8.—Flour quiet. Wheat 5c lower; Amber Michigan, $3.20 for No. 2, Red Wabash, $3.00. Corn opened 1c and closed 4c lower, at $1.09@1.09½ for new. Oats lower, at 72c for lower. Lake freights dull, at 7c.

Memphis Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

MEMPHIS, May 8.—Cotton is flat at 23@23½; Corn is weak at $1.12@1.20. Flour quiet at $8@9c. Hay is lower at $27.50. Flour is unchanged. Pork is quiet at $23.50. Bacon is dull; clear sides, 12½@13c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R., May 8—2 bbls apples, owner; 1 car hay, 2 bbls butter, 10 bbls apples, 1 car bbls pearl barley, 1 do cake, 1 box butter, Campbell, Riddle & Co; 2 bxs cheese, W Henry; 22 carboys, J Irwin; 3 bxs butter, 1 bbl tegts, 1 bbl eggs, J Adams & Bro; 10 sks rags, D Gates; 5 pkgs sundries, Kirkpatrick & Scott; 1 car hay, Reiter; 1 bbl celery, 1 bbl apples, Wait & Wilson; 2 bbls cages, Pitts Fruit House; 1 keg apple butter, 12 bbls apples, 10 sks eggs, 1 bbl butter, 25 bxs cheese, Arbuckles & Co; 1 car hay, Schnelbacker & Schoch; 1 car corn, H Rea & Co; 1 car hay, D Light & Co; 1 car hay, Reiter & Kell & Ritchart; 32 sewing machines, Wm Sumner & Co; 1 pkg undse, M McCullough & Co.

PITTSBURGH, COLUMBUS & CINCINNATI R. R., May 8—6 sks feathers, J B Meanor; 5 pkgs cars, 3 do butter, Adair, Frazey & Miller; 25 sks barley, 1 do chicks, 1 do eggs, D H Houston; 3 do eggs, 5 pkgs bacon, Graff & Reiter; 12 bbls flour, 16 do dry apples, owner; 190 sks corn, A Dooley; 10 pkgs undse, Kellon & Bro; 12 do do, Shipton & Wallace; 2 bbls oil, R McGuffin; 8 do eggs, Voigt & Co; 80 bbls fellies, Hawbinney & Co; 1 car corn, Campbell & Aiken; 25 sks oats, A Wood; do, 8 sks rye, 130 bush corn, Geo Lang & Co; 1 bbl whiskey, Weyman & Bro; 4 cases do, Knox & Orr.

ALLEGHENY STATION, May 8—6 bbls eggs, 2 sks cheese, O Kouly; 1 do feathers, John Shuey; 2 cars lumber, John Nanz; 1 car corn, 1 bbl apples, Robinson & McKinney; 1 bbl cornmeal, R McKinney; 1 car hay, Wm M Steel & son; 25 bdls shafts, spokes and felloes, Lautner & son; 33 sks A A Taylor; 20 bdls broom handles, McElroy & co; 150 bbls flour, J McCutcheon; 200 bbls flour, Stewart & Langenheim.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, MAY 8.—Lot corn, Shoenberger & Bro; 200 bbls potatoes, J B Sneathen; 112 sks do, E G Gunn; 1 car lumber, Clark & Stoles; 65 cases, bush, T H Nevin & Co; 1 bbl whiskey, H Heffron; 25 bxs starch, J D Drayo; 8 bbls whiskey, J Kegan; 1 case handles, H Lauffman.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R., May 7—1 car metal, A Laughlin; 237 bush oats, Wm Graham; 175 do do, owner; 95 sks corn, J Dimmond; 2 pkgs, Horne & Metzger; 1 pkg undse, 4 do eggs, G Hounhoff; 1 do butter, 4 do eggs, H Fiorse; 1 box butter, 1 do eggs, H George.

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J. MATHER MURDOCK.

Pittsburgh, May 1st, 1867. myl:9d

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J. D. HAMALEY.

PITTSBURGH, April 1st, 1867. ap1:d3

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RIVER NEWS.

The river underwent but little change during the twenty four hours ending last evening, at which time the Allegheny marks indicated ten and a half feet. The weather yesterday was cloudy and cool, and at times it looked favorable for snow.

Business continues rather dull at the landing, though there is about the usual amount of freight being shipped, and, until till within the past day or two, the competition has been so strong that prices have gone down to an almost starvation point, and it is much easier running them down than it is to get them up again.

As yet, we have heard of no delegates having been appointed to represent Pittsburgh in the St. Louis Convention on the 14th. All other river cities in the west have done so, and Pittsburgh should not lag behind.

The Ida Rees left for Oil City last evening, with only a moderate trip.

There has been no arrivals since our last report, aside from the regular packets. The Lorena, from St. Louis, and the Keanon from New Orleans, were both due here last night, and will doubtless be found in port this morning.

The Argosy, for Cincinnati, and Armenia for St. Louis, got off yesterday. The latter boat had an excellent trip, we are glad to state, having about all the freight she could take and a fair number of passengers. The Argosy, also, picked up a very good trip, having between one hundred and fifty and one hundred and seventy-five tons of freight, and a goodly number of passengers.

It is rumored that the owners of the Argosy contemplate contracting for a fine stern-wheeler, to take the place of the Argosy in the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati Packet trade.

Capt. J. W. Chambers, an old Pittsburgh steamboatman, but who for some years past has been engaged below, is in the city on a visit to his friends.

The Ada Hancock, Capt. Robt. Robinson, is now in turn for St. Louis, and will at once commence making engagements. Captain Andy Bears retains charge of the office.

The Ida Rees, Capt. Joe Brown, will be the first boat out for Cincinnati and Louisville, leaving on Saturday. Andy White, late of the Maggie Hays, is clerk on the Ida Rees.

The Glendale left Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Monday, and the Julia No. 2 was advertised to follow on Tuesday. The Ezra Forker was at Louisville on Sunday.

Steamboating round at Mobile is rather dull. The stern wheeler Sallie List, on the 29th ult., was sold by sheriff Grinnell, for thirty-six hundred dollars, Capt. Shilito being the purchaser. The J. D. Swain, a side-wheel packet, which has been in the New Orleans through trade, was knocked off for some five thousand dollars, to Mr. Cassidy, a resident of New Orleans. These boats will, in consequence, we are told, of there being claims against them in custom houses, necessitating their use entirely within the State of Alabama.

The Cincinnati *Commercial*, of Tuesday, says: Capt. T. W. Sisaler, from New Orleans for Cincinnati, passed Cairo yesterday morning, four days and nine hours out from New Orleans. She is due here to-morrow evening, and is advertised to return to New Orleans on Thursday evening. The Sisaler left Cincinnati on Wednesday, 24th ult., and if her advance time keeps up as announced, she will have made the round trip to the Balize and back to Cincinnati for many years—the Sisaler will be entitled to the following items from the St. Louis *Democrat* of Monday: The Rock Island Bridge has produced another disaster. The steamer Sam Gaty, from Cincinnati, struck the pier-engers, some notice. We learn it is contained for her next trip to Dubuque, with produce from Evansville to Dubuque. This is the new boat that was built at Wheeling for Mr. Missouri. She is likely to go there until some St. Louis chap is heard from.

A telegram from St. Louis, under date of Monday, says:

The river fell rapidly Saturday and yesterday, but the decline is checked by a heavy fall of rain last night. The river Mississippi is rising, and the Illinois and Missouri declined. There is abundant water in all the upper rivers for navigation. Business is very dull, with a considerable excess of tonnage. There is some competition in the Missouri river trade. A fleet of steamers left for that river to-day in less time than three or four days, and all others are waiting for freight. Many will remain in port as long or longer. The blacksmiths' strike continues, and the Arkansas trip over to the Bayou Bay Bridge. This damage to the Dubuque, by her collision, on the Rock Island Bridge, will be repaired for about $2,000. The boat leaves this morning.

We extract the following item from the Cincinnati *Commercial* of Tuesday: The Motie Norton was yesterday sold to Captain C. Hall, who will purchase the Belle Grove. Captain B. proposes to run the Norton in the Vicksburg and Yazoo river trade. The price paid for the Norton was $10,000.

Captain John J. Kaipe and lady, Captain Jas. Hamilton and Mrs. Capt. H. F. Davidson, arrived Sunday night from their Wyoming county home. They report the highest terms of the Great Republic, and say she is beyond doubt the fastest craft afloat in western waters.

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All licenses not paid on or before March 1st of each year, will be charged 10 per cent. additional for collection, except in the case of a party who has given notice in writing to the Treasurer of his or her refusal to take out the same, and has actually ceased to use the vehicle for which the license was issued, before the first day of March, in which case no additional charge will be made.

The Treasurer will be in his office on the first Monday in each month, for the purpose of receiving applications for licenses.

By order of the Mayor.

BAYARD TAYLOR, Clerk.

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Each one Horse Dray	$ 7 00
Each Four Horse Dray	10 00
Each Dray Horse	4 00
Each Two Horse Hack	7 00
Each One Horse Hack	5 00
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Each Two Horse Dray, City Transfer, Pittsburgh, Pa.	10 00

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