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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, } TUESDAY, May 16, 1867.

The New York stock quotations to-day, as reported by Ph. R. Mertz, were as follows: Gold, 137; Eighty-one bonds, 111½; Five Twenties, 1862, 109½; Five Twenties, 1864, 105½; Five Twenties, 1865, 106¾; do, 1867, 107½; Seven Thirties, first issue, 108½; do, second and third issues, 105¾; Ten Forties, 99½; Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad, 73½; Fort Wayne & Chicago, 92¾; Erie, 42¾; Chicago and North Western, 39½; Chicago and North Western preferred, 60½; Chicago and Rock Island, 98½; New York Central, 97½; Reading, 103¾; Michigan Southern, 67¾.

Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co:

U. S. 6-20s, 1861	111½
1862	109½
1864	105½
1865	106¼
U. S. Ten-Forties	99¾
U. S. 5-20s, 1865, January and July	105¾
August Seven-thirties	108¼
June "	105¾
July "	105¾
Dec. Compounds, 1864	109¾
Gold	137

The custom house receipts at New Orleans connected with those of the First National Bank there, were used to buy gold to-day, and likewise was the market influenced by the heavy gold shipments of yesterday and to-day. The demand for customs and legitimate business is very light, and if the Government should dispose of part of its supplies, gold is most likely to be the premium before July. Large amounts of coupons have been held back in expectation of larger at European war, but that is passed and they will present, instead of having heavy shipments of bonds coming back, shipments are again made for the Continental market, and small bonds are in request, showing the popularity of our securities there with the poorer classes. Five-Twenties of the new issue are not quite so firm as yesterday, and should dividend paying Railroad shares continue at present quotations, Government securities would be neglected as permanent investments. Profits in business are cut down so much now that very close calculations are made as to interest. Business in Railroads is less animated today than for several weeks, and all parties are vainly waiting results from doing nothing—but there is one bold enough to strike in either direction. The bull party have no money, and the bears have no leader, and are timid despite their success. Local money market quiet, but rates stiff.

—The New York bank statement for last week shows an increase of reserve (specie and legal-tenders) exceeding the legal percentage by $1,292,164. As the practical redeeming agent is legal-tenders, in estimating the ability of the banks to pay their deposits and circulation without selling gold or compounds, and producing a money pressure, the proportion of legal-tenders to deposits and circulation should be considered. The aggregate items as follows: $233,438,691 of Liabilities in circulation and deposits. Reserve 25 per cent. required, $58,434,000. Legal tenders on hand $67,726,539—showing a surplus of $9,291,896.

—The approximate earnings of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad for the month of April were $475,287, against $429,990 in corresponding month last year—showing a decrease of $47,848. The earnings from the 1st of January amount to $2,325,209, against $2,292,537 in same time last year, showing an increase of $36,611.

—Business is growing dull as summer approaches. The dry goods trade is moderately active, but much less in the aggregate amount than usual at this season. The demand is chiefly limited to small quantities, required to replenish assortments. Prices of most descriptions of cotton goods have a downward tendency. Woollens of desirable styles of heavy weights, suited to the autumn trade, are held with a little more firmness, at some approximation in rates, but buyers are not disposed to take hold freely at any higher figures, and from present indications, it is doubtful if any essential advance can be established for some time to come.—*Phila. Ledger.*

—The report of the failure of the First National Bank of New Orleans was confirmed to day. It was precipitated by the Government, which took possession of the institution upon receiving a report from an examiner who has been on duty in that city. The bank has from the start speculated largely. It lost heavily in gold, but this was offset by the profits, which were large. It has recently been in cotton, and the losses were of course large. The fact that it was closed up by the Treasury Department is an indication that depositors may get their money. The circulation is of course good. The Government is very properly exercising a close supervision over the banks, and it is an encouraging feature that so few fail, under such circumstances. It is evident that the banks as a whole are sound. The failure of this bank had the effect to put up gold 1½ per cent. in New York to-day, but the extreme quotation was not fully sustained at the close.—Cin. *Gazette.*

A New Orleans telegram, under date of Tuesday, says: There is great excitement here in financial circles, caused by the closing of the United states Sub-Treasury, and the First National Bank, by order of the Controller of the Currency. Mr. Knox, of the Treasury Department, Washington City, has assumed charge of the sub-Treasury, and has closed the bank. Heavy defalcations are already announced in both. T. P. May, formerly Sub-Treasurer and President of the bank, made an assignment this morning of his effects, to the extent of a million and quarter, to secure the Government. The Bank holds a large amount of the paper of Gen. Herron, United States Marshal, but Mr. Knox hopes to secure that out of Herron's distillery and plantation property. Gen. Gordon Granger, Gen. Herron, Judge Whitaker, Milton Taylor, and Mr. May are the principal directors of the bank. William B. Whitaker is Sub-Treasurer. This excitement has caused a run on all the banks and a very stringent money market. The bank and treasury have been surrounded by a crowd all day. The City National Bank suspended this evening.

CENTRAL LIVE-STOCK MARKET

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, } THURSDAY, May 16, 1867.

ARRIVALS.

The arrivals of stock at these yards during the week ending to-day at noon, were as follows: Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, 223 cars; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 29 cars; Pittsburgh, Columbus and Cincinnati, 27 cars, mainly Columbus three hundred and twenty-seven cars, and the great proportion of these were Sheep and Hogs.

CATTLE.

The transactions in cattle were a little larger in the aggregate this week than last week, and a much larger number could have been sold if they could have been obtained. As has been the case for some time past, the offerings continue light, though there is no apparent abatement in the number of cattle going through to Eastern markets. There was a fair number of buyers in attendance this week, and the number, we have no doubt, would have been much larger but for the fact that for a couple of months past there has been so few cattle here that buyers were unable to get what they wanted, and they were either obliged to go home empty handed, or else turn in and buy Sheep or Hogs. There is quite a spirited demand for stock cattle, and with but few offering, prices have advanced, and we now quote at 6 to 7. Prime fat cattle, suitable for retailing in the eastern markets, are also in active demand, and may be quoted at 8½c to 9c, gross, and extra at 9¼ to 9½c.

SHEEP.

The arrivals of Sheep have been quite liberal, and with unfavorable advices from the east, compared with last week, prices are a shade lower. There was a pretty full attendance of buyers, and but for this fact, prices would have gone still lower; as will be seen by reference to the report of sales, clipped sheep sold at 4 to 5c for inferior; good at 5¼ to 6c; prime at 6¼ to 6½; and extra at 7 to 7½. Wooled sheep—none offering, and the difference between wooled and clipped is just about one cent per point.

Seller.	Buyer.	No. avge.	Price.
Hedges & T. to Mayers		180	$5 85
Hedges & T. to Sharp		197	5 75
McCurdy to Rawl		222	6 75
Cochran to Rankin		104	7 00
Crawford & C. to Hauln		201	6 65
Lafferty to Pancoast		152	6 10
Adams & Co. to Hesser		150	7 37
Wernz to Kirk & Son		158	6 65
Wernz to Pennock & J.		150	6 62
Wernz to Pideock		225	6 75
Gibbs to Wernz		200	6 60
Leech to Wernz		245	6 50
Conlter to & Wernz		179	6 50
Hanlon to Wernz		200	7 00
Lafferty to Wernz		93	5 00
Wernz to Loyd		193	7 00
Wernz to Deitrich		200	6 25
Wernz to Deitrich		245	6 50
Richardson to Deitrich		198	6 10
Evans to Deitrich		190	6 50
Kelley to Deitrich		181	6 00

HOGS.

The arrivals have been fair this week, but with a steady demand, prices compared with last week have undergone little change. New York Hogs sold pretty freely at from 6½ to 7c, the outside figure only for good averages. Philadelphia Hogs, if anything are a shade lower, ranging from 7¼ to 7½. To-day, New York Hogs opened a little firmer, in consequence of a slight improvement reported in that market.

Seller.	Buyer.	No. avge.	Price.
Hedges & T. to Rees		160	6 40
Hedges & T. to Imhoff		198	7 10
Hedges & T. to Imhoff		69	6 85
Hedges & T. to Barnes		152	6 85
Lafferty to Imhoff		67	7 20
Hedges & T. to Imhoff		197	7 00
Bryan to Imhoff		112	7 25
Chryst to Imhoff		64	7 00
Gilchrist & Co. to Imhoff		69	7 25
Moss to Imhoff		210	7 25
Irvine & Co. to Imhoff		133	7 25
Aldorf to Imhoff		58	7 20
Williams to Orr		154	7 25
Keyes to Orr		134	7 20
Keyes to Wise		128	7 25
Lafferty to Gilchrist		97	7 20
Lafferty to Gilchrist		128	7 20
Lafferty to Pideock		115	7 00
Lafferty to Vroom		163	7 50
Holler & R. to Gilchrist		156	7 25
Allerton to Gilchrist		90	7 25
Allerton to Gilchrist		94	7 20
Loehr to Gilchrist		211	7 20
Allerton to Gilchrist		68	7 20
Allerton to Gilchrist		94	7 20
Crow to Gilchrist		62	7 20
Keys to Gilchrist		69	7 20
McElroy to Gilchrist		111	7 20

SHIPMENTS FOR A.M. P.M.

Moss to Kiernan & Hudson 21 head common fat cattle, averaging 1125, at 6½c; Kiernan & Hudson sold the head fairish Iowa cattle, averaging 1125, at 6½ per head. Also, to Lakeman 15 head common steers, averaging 930, at 5. Hadden to Wernz 15 head quality, weighing 21,000, at 9¼. Schrimp 15 head, to same buyer, at 9¼. Lafferty to Smith & Talmage 24 head steers and oxen, averaging 1370, at 9¼c; 18 head to Voter fair steers, averaging 1100, at 8¼. Fontres to Voter & Co. 22 head, weighing 42,775, at 9¼. Smith & Co. to Kirk & Son 51 head, weighing 47,150, at 9¼. R. Campbell to Pennock & Co. 50 head, weighing 53,800, at 9¼. Smith & Co. to Foster 10 head, weighing 10,150, at 7¼.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, } THURSDAY, May 16, 1867.

The eastern advices being of a more favorable character had a tendency to restore confidence in Flour and Grain to-day, and holders were rather firmer in their views, and the panicky feeling which prevailed, particularly in regard to Corn, has to some extent subsided. Flour is selling moderately active, and there seems to be an improved demand for Grain and produce, such articles as Butter, Eggs and Poultry are now no features worthy of special notice.

GROCERIES—The advance in gold has stiffened up the grocery market a little, but prices are not quotably higher. Rio Coffee is quoted at 14½c for fair, and 15c for choice. Sugars—choice New Orleans, 14½c; Cuba, 11½ to 12½c; Porto Rico, 12½ to 13c; Sugar House, 10c; hard refined, 16½c; soft do, 14½ to 15c. Molasses, 65c to 1 for New Orleans; 60 to 90c for Porto Rico, and 70 to 75c for Cuba. Syrups range all the way from 60c to $1.10, the outside figure only for fancy brands, such as Lovering's. Rice—10 to 11c for Rangoon, and 11½ to 12½c for Carolina.

GRAIN—No movement in Wheat. Oats quiet and unchanged—may be quoted at 40 to 40c, on track. Corn firmer to-day. Corn is unsettled, and it is difficult to quote correctly. Prime Yellow would probably bring 81 to 81½c. Rye is in good demand at $1.05, and a round lot might bring $1.70. Last sales of Barley at $1.35 for choice. Fall.

FLOUR—is quiet but steady, with a fair local demand but unchanged. We continue to quote at $15 to $15.50 for good to choice Spring Wheat; $16 to $17 for fancy, white, and $19 to $20 for fancy brands. Rye Flour, $9.50.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is quiet and steady but unchanged—9c to 9½c for Shoulders; 11½c to 12½ for Ribbed and Clear Sides; 15½ to 16½c for Plain Sugar Cured Hams; 20½ to 21½c for Canvassed do; lard 13½ to 15½c; Brief Beef, 22½@23, and Mess Pork, $23.00 to $23.50.

POTATOES—The demand continues fair, and with light receipts and a limited supply, the market is firm and prices are well sustained. Sales in store at $1.20 per bbl, for primo Peach Blows, and $1.50 for Buckeyes.

GREE APPLES—Scarce and in demand. Small sales of prime at $4 per bbl.

BUTTER—Continues dull but prices are not quotably lower. Good to choice Roll is selling at 18 to 22c. Grease Butter may be quoted at 8 to 10c.

EGGS—Steady with a demand fully up to the supply and fresh packed sell readily at 16c.

HAY—Fair to prime baled Hay is selling at $25 to $27. Interior is unsalable almost at any price.

OIL—Land Oil is reported firm at 37 to 38c for No. 2, and $1.08@1.10 for No. 1.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, } THURSDAY, May 16, 1867.

The market was again quiet to-day, the transactions, in the aggregate, being light, while prices remain unchanged. Sales of 600, 975, and 1600, all at 7c, and all for immediate delivery, and this may be regarded as the ruling figure for choice gravities. The demand continues light, both for present and future delivery, and while buyers are not very numerous, sellers do not seem disposed to make concessions in order to effect sales. Telegrams from Oil City today report Crude firm at that point at $1.60 which is entirely out of all reason, according to the price here, and many of our crude dealers have stopped buying for the present. Oil is worth but $2.80 per bbl, delivered here, and after paying $1.60 there per bbl and 20c per barrel freightage, the crude dealer has nothing left whatever.

REFINED—There was rather more activity manifested in the market for bonded oil today, though there is still plenty of room for improvement. Prices are no better, and buyers are operating cautiously, the exceedingly low figures to the contrary notwithstanding. Sales of 500 barrels standard white, for May delivery in Philadelphia, at 30½; 1000 for same delivery at same price; 1000 for July, 1000 for August, and 1000 for September, buyer's option, at 32. Free oil is dull but unchanged; sale of 50 bbls prime light straw to white at 32.

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

Fisher & Co	2019	Jas. Wilkins	550
J. Hawkins	1400	Forsyth & Bro	1000
J. Gallagher	800	D. M. Edgerton	1500

Total 7268

OIL SHIPMENTS FOR A.M. P.M.

Forsyth, Bro & Co., 310 bbls refined, to Tack, Biro & Co., Phila.

J. Myers & Co., 300 bbls refined, to Waring, King & Co., Phila.

P. Weisenberger, 222 bbls refined, to Logan & Bros., Phila.

W. P. Logan, 150 bbls refined, to J. P. Logan, Phila.

W. Mackcown & Bro., 56 bbls refined, to W. P. Logan, Phila.

J. C. Kirkpatrick & Co., 56 bbls refined, to Waring, King & Co., Phila.

J. S. Bell, 100 bbls refined, to Waring, King & Co., Phila.

Nat. Ref. & Storing Co., 229 bbls refined, to D. L. Miller, Phila.

Pacific Oil Co., 264 bbls refined, to C W. Morse, Phila.

Spencil & Co., 267 bbls refined, to Tack, Biro & Co., Phila.

B. W. Morgan & Co., 221 bbls refined, to W. G. Warden & Co., Phila.

J. Myers & Co., 150 bbls refined, to Waring, King & Co., Phila.

Jas. Denney, Jr., 150 bbls refined, to F. A. Dilworth & Co., Phila.

Aladdin Oil Co., 166 bbls refined, P Wright & Sons, Phila.

Aladdin Oil Co., 53 bbls refined, to Tack, Biro. & Co., Phila.

SHIPPED AT DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Union Refining and st. Co., 66 bbls refined to Tack, Biro. Co., Phila.

Huffum, Kehew & Co., 35 bbls refined, to W. P. Logan, Phila.

Penna. Salt Manf. Co., 331 bbls refined, to W. P. Logan, Phila.

Hutchinson Ref. Co., 57 bbls refined, to W. G. Warden, Phila.

Wm. McCutcheon & Co., 46 bbls crude, to H. Reed, Baltimore.

Financial Matters in New York.

Gold Closed at 137.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 16, 1867.

MONEY.

The money market is more active, at 4@6 per cent. on call: Sterling—There is an increased demand, at 9¾@10.

GOLD.

Gold opened strong and advanced to 137½, but weakened late in the day, closing at 136¾ bid and 137 asked.

The steamer Union, for Europe, took $55,000, and the Kaiple, for Havana, $27,000.

GOVERNMENTS.

Governments are firm. Coupons of 1881, 111¾@111¾; registered, 111¼@111½; coupons of '62, 109¾@109¾; coupons of '64, 105¾@105¾; coupons of '65, new, 105, coupon 106@109, 105¾@105¾; August 7-30s, 105¾@105¾.

RAILROAD STOCKS.

The railroad market opened steady and improved a fraction, on the increased activity in money.

Governor Fenton has vetoed the bill appropriating public moneys not exceeding $500,000 to encourage and aid companies duly organized in the construction or completion of railroads, and adding to the State tax ½ of a mill for that purpose.

CLOSING PRICES.

5:30 P. M.—The prices were: Gold 136¾@137; Ohio certificates, 112@112½; Canton, 57¼@57½; Cumberland Coal, 30¼@31½; Quicksilver, 27½@27¾; Mariposa, 7½; do preferred, 17½; Western Union Telegraph, 41½@42½; Pacific Mail, 124@125½; Atlantic do, 109½@110½; New York Central, 97¼@97½; Erie, 42¼@42½; Hudson, 101¼@102; Reading, 103¼@103¾; M. S. N., 67¾@68½; Illinois Central, 104@104½; Pittsburgh, 73@73½; Toledo, 112¼@112½; Rock Island, 98½@98¾; N. W., 39¼@39½; do preferred, 60¼@60¾; Fort Wayne, 92½@92¾.

BORDER STATE BONDS.

Border State bonds steady; Missouri's 93½; new Tennessee 62½; old do. 64. Coupons 60½; North Carolina 62. Missouri advanced to 93@93½ in the morning and closed about yesterday's rates.

SHIPPING.

Steamship list higher; Atlantic and Pacific steady; Pacific Mail Steamship Company declared a dividend of 3 per cent. out of the earnings for the quarter ending April 30th, payable June 1st.

STEAMSHIP STOCKS.

Coal and Miscellaneous shares without change. The principal feature of the Mining market was Corydon, which rose from 175 to 205, the most active stock on the list. Balance of the market dull and lower.

SUB-TREASURY RECEIPTS.

Receipts at Sub-Treasury, $4,077,137; payments, $1,736,287. The receipts include for customs $67,000 and gold coin $126,000.

New York Produce Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Cotton firm and decidedly less active; sales of 1000 bales middling uplands at 28½c. Flour—receipts, 1,641 bbls; the market is dull and 10@15c lower; sales of 5,000 bbls Ohio, extra western at $11@12; extra western $11@13; choice do, $13@15; shipping brands round hoop Ohio, $13.50@14; trade brands $14@16; the market closed dull. California—sales of 80 bbls at $10.50@12. Rye flour quiet; sales of 150 bbls at $6@9.50. Whisky unchanged. Wheat—receipts, 11,000 bu, 2c lower; sales of 7,500 bu No. 2 Milwaukee at $2.28. Barley dull. Rye firm; sales of 32,000 bu at $1.30@1.31 for western; $1.35 for Canada in bond, and $1.37 for fall. Malt quiet. Receipts of Barley in the market is fair, active and 5@10c higher; sales of 127,000 bu at $1.26@1.31 for old and western in store, $1.36@1.39 for do afloat; $1.37@1.39 for new mixed western; sales of 7,200 bu white southern at $1.40@1.45. Oats—yellow southern. Receipts of Oats 1,145 bus; 2@3c lower for western and firm for others. Rice firm at 11½@12c for Carolina. Coffee firm. Sugar firm; sales of 1,000 hhds Muscovado at 12@13c. Hops quiet at 25@30c. Petroleum quiet at 32c for refined. Pork firmer; sales of 2,250 bbls at $23.62½@23.75 for new mess, closing at $23.63 cash; $23 for old mess; $19.00@19.25 for prime; $22 for prime mess; 200 bbls Western mess at $23.50@23.62½. Beef firm; sales of 250 bbls at about previous prices. Lard firm; sales of 1,000 tcs, 300 bbls at 8¾@9¼. Bacon steady; sales of 42 tcs at 11½c for short ribbed, 11½c for short clear, 12½c for clear, and 10½c for Cumberland cut. Cut meats firmer; sales of 250 pkgs at 9@9½c for shoulders, 12@12½c for hams. Lard steady; sales of 1,000 bbls at 12¾@13c for new. Butter heavy at 18@19c for Ohio. Cheese steady.

LARD, 7c. Beef quiet and closed very dull, nominally 10@15c lower on common grades. Wheat dull and declining. No. 2 spring, $2.25 @2.30. No. 1 $2.38@2.40. Rye, $1.30@1.32 for western. Oats firmer, 40@40½c. Corn firmer, $1.26@1.27. Pork, $23.50@23.75. Lard, 13@13½c. Whisky, $1.08@1.09.

Chicago Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—Flour quiet at $12.50 for spring Wheat. Grain—receipts of the month of April, 1867, 1,000,000 bu, against 1,000,000 bu in April, 1866. Wheat—receipts, 11,000 bu; trade brisk $1.30@1.32 the market closed dull. California—sales of 80 bbls at $10.50@12. Rye flour quiet; sales of 150 bbls at $9@9.50. Whisky unchanged. Wheat—receipts, 11,000 bu, 2c lower; sales of 7,500 bu No. 2 Milwaukee at $2.28. Barley dull. Rye firm; sales of 32,000 bu at $1.30@1.31 for western, $1.35 for Canada in bond, and $1.37 for fall. Malt quiet. Receipts of Barley in the market is fair, active and 5@10c higher; sales of 127,000 bu at $1.26@1.31 for old and western in store, $1.36@1.39 for do afloat; $1.37@1.39 for new mixed western; sales of 7,200 bu white southern at $1.40@1.45. Oats—yellow southern. Receipts of Oats 1,145 bus; 2@3c for western and firm for others. Rice firm at 11½@12c for Carolina. Coffee firm. Sugar firm; sales of 1,000 hhds Muscovado at 12@13c. Hops quiet at 25@30c. Petroleum quiet at 32c for refined. Pork firmer; sales of 2,250 bbls at $23.62½@23.75 for new mess, closing at $23.63 cash; $22 for old mess; $19.00@19.25 for prime; $22 for prime mess; 200 bbls Western mess at $23.50@23.62½. Beef firm; sales of 250 bbls at about previous prices. Lard steady; sales of 1,000 tcs, 300 bbls at 8¾@9¼. Bacon steady; sales of 42 tcs at 11½c for short ribbed, 11½c for short clear, and 10½c for Cumberland cut. Cut meats firmer; sales of 250 pkgs at 9@9½c for shoulders, 12@12½c for hams. Lard steady; sales of 1,000 bbls at 12¾@13c for new. Butter heavy at 18@19c for Ohio. Cheese steady.

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Baltimore Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, May 16.—Coffee nominally unchanged. Flour dull. Wheat—receipts, 1,000 bu; held above buyers rates; medium grades white at $2.40. Corn firmer; white 90@92c; yellow, 92@93c. Oats firmer; mixed western at $1.02@1.04; mostly inside the latter. Rye firmer at $1.40@1.45. Hay firm and quiet. Sugar firm, at 10½@10¾c for fair to good refining; 11@11½c for prime to choice; and $1.20 for western in bond.

New Orleans Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Cotton: sales, 2,000 bales; receipts, 24,000; middling, 28c. Sugar: 1,000 bales; exports, 1,464 bales. Sugar: 12c for choice; 12¼@12½c for fair; and 11½@11¾c for prime. Molasses: 22c for Louisiana. Flour dull and nominally lower. Corn—receipts, 6,000 bu; firm; superfine, $13.50; choice extra, $19.50@19.75. Corn very dull, with a tighter demand. Pork—receipts, 1,000 bbls; firm; $23.50@23.75. Lard, 13½c. Bacon, 11½@12c. Corn very dull, with a tighter demand. Pork—receipts, 1,000 bbls; firm; $23.50@23.75. Lard, 13½c. Bacon, 11½@12c. Whisky, $1.08@1.09.

Louisville Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, May 16.—Sales of 194 hhds Leaf Tobacco; receipts of former rates; Lugs $4.50, selections $5. Superfine Flour dull at $10@11. Corn firmer at $1.05@1.10 for shelled delivered. Oats firmer at 45@50c. Oats firm in bulk. Mess Pork $23.50. Bacon: Shoulders 10½c for packed, clear Sides 12½@. Lard: prime kettled rendered, in tierces, 13½c. Raw Whisky, free, $1.22@1.25.

Memphis Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, May 16.—Cotton firm and higher at 26@26½c; receipts, 173 bales; exports, 1,125 bales. Corn irregular, at $1.20@1.25. Hay steady, at $20@30. Oats easier, 90@95c. Pork, $23. Bacon: Shoulders firmer; clear sides, 13@13½. Lard, 13½@14c.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river is again receding slowly at this point with nine feet three inches in the channel by the Allegheny marks last evening. The weather yesterday was clear and pleasant until towards evening, when it clouded up and looked favorable for more rain.

The Robt. Moore is the only arrival we have to report, and there are no departures made from the regular packets. There is no improvement to note in business at the landing, freights for all points being scarce.

We noted some time since that the Coal Hill had sunk a barge of coal which was being towed up by the Little Champion. It was the Coal City and not the Coal Hill, and the accident occurred near Steubenville instead of at "Deadman." We cheerfully make this statement in justice to the officers of the Coal Hill, and we hope that those of our down river exchanges who copied the item will also publish the correction.

The Columbia arrived at St. Paul on Saturday last from Pittsburgh, and was to have left again on Monday. In a note, Capt. Reed says the crew are all well; weather cold and windy, and no freight.

The Belle is due here from Cincinnati today, and will leave on her return trip tomorrow at noon. She will ply as a regular packet between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati, leaving here every Saturday, and Cincinnati every Tuesday. A receiving clerk will be found at Collins' wharfboat ready to receive freight for her this morning.

The Echo left for Oil City last evening, and the Urbina is due here to-day.

The Charley Bowen, we understand, has been purchased by some parties down the river, who intend to use her in towing on the Kanawha River, and between there and Cincinnati. She has been repaired somewhat, and it is said that Mr. Andrew Watson, who bought her at auction, made a very snug profit out of the operation.

The Lorena, Capt. Sam. Thomas, is filling up rapidly for St. Louis, and will be the first boat out. The Glendale, we presume, will tow out for the Lorena.

The Julia, No. 2, Capt. Wm. Coulson, with Mr. J. J. Gilson in the office, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville for this evening. She is a neat and reliable boat, and has been at her home time.

The Ida Rees arrived at Cincinnati on Tuesday, and she left there the same evening for Pittsburgh. The Minnie and Kate Patton was advertised to leave there for Pittsburgh on Wednesday.

The Mahoning, enroute from St. Louis to Pittsburgh, was at Evansville on Tuesday, as was also the Armenia, enroute from Pittsburgh to St. Louis. The Cambria was at Cairo the same day. The Camelia left Cincinnati for Tennessee river on Tuesday night.

The city of Cincinnati and Louisville papers are at loggerheads. The papers of the latter city are indignant at Cincinnati boats for taking down freight, and also indignant at Louisville shippers for giving it to them. Louisville papers say it is time for competing with Pittsburgh in building fine steamboats as they intend competing with Cincinnati in a business point of view.

In this notice, says the St. Louis *Democrat*, sale of the Belling are not often found on the dockets of our courts. A chambermaid on a steamboat became intimate with the clerk of the boat, and they lived together as man and wife. The consequence is the birth of four children, which the mother takes out of the clerk's care, and becomes a merchant, and dissolves his connection with the chambermaid. The latter sues out against the clerk for the maintenance of the illegitimate children, and a verdict for $100 was awarded her.

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