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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE COURTS.

United States Court—Judge McCandless.

No business was transacted in this Court yesterday.

District Court—Judge Williams.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 29.—The case of Hanna, Hart & Co. vs. the Pittsburgh, Brownsville and Geneva U. S. Mail Line, reported yesterday, occupied the entire session without being concluded.

Following is the list for Thursday:
2. Thos. J. Sheck vs. Wm. Reed.
3. Isaac Rodman et ux. vs. Nancy Armor's exrs.
4. Patricks & Friend vs. Wills & Coyle.
6. City of Pittsburgh vs. Christopher Zug.
8. James H. Galer vs. H. Riddle.
17. J. C. Patterson & Co. vs. Building Committee Pittsburgh Savings Bank.
29. Cyrus Miller vs. Fuller & Eastman.
30. Steamer Dolphin vs. McCloy & Bro.

Common Pleas—Judge Mellon.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 29.—In the case of Patrick O'Conner vs. Keyran Bracken, reported yesterday, the jury brought in a verdict for the defendant.

The next case taken up was the West Branch Insurance Company vs. John Franz. An action to recover $18,00, being an assessment of 15 per centum on a certain promissory note—said assessment provided by a resolution of said creditors, agreeably to the act of Assembly incorporating said company. Non-suit entered.

Emanuel Ruth vs. Daniel Martin. Action to recover the sum of $100, being for a certain bill on the Oil City Bank, paid by defendant to plaintiff, which proved to be worthless. Verdict for the plaintiff for $100.

John Kervin vs. Andrew Graham and Samuel Fletcher. This was an action to recover the sum of $47,50, being the price of cattle sold and delivered by plaintiff to defendant. Verdict for plaintiff for the amount of his claim.

Joseph Fleming & Co. vs. Charles H. DeKnight. Action to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by the plaintiffs in consequence of the failure of the defendant to fill a contract for oil, made by him with the plaintiffs on July 5th, 1867. Amount claimed $350. On trial.

On motion of A. M. Brown, Esq., H. A. Miller, Esq., of Franklin, Venango county, was duly qualified and admitted to the practice of law in this Court.

Following is the list for Thursday:
8. (Sept.) Ward vs. O'Neill.
38. (Dec.) P. F. M. Turnpike Road Co. vs. McClaren.
39. Shaffer vs. Hoag.
41. O'Connor vs. steamboat "Fox."
43. Bost vs. Kramer.
44. Obringer vs. Kramer.
45. Bost vs. Kramer.
46. Wilson vs. Scott.
47. Obringer vs. Bauer.
48. Mayran & Bro. vs. Decker.
49. Coleman vs. O'Brien.
57. Robinson vs. Spencer.
53. McTighe et ux. vs. McTigh et ux.
54. Koppitz vs. Hageman.
55. Geib & Co. vs. Hardt et al.

Crystal Water Company of Allegheny County—Charter Refused.

In the matter of the application for a charter of the Crystal Water Company of Allegheny County, proposed to be located in Lawrenceville, argued in the Court of Common Pleas some weeks since, Judge Stowe yesterday delivered the following opinion:

The preliminary order in this case was made by the Court on the 2d day of November, 1867. At the time the borough of Lawrenceville was a municipal corporation, with a Burgess and Council having control over the streets and highways within its corporate limits.

There then was no legal obstacle in the way of granting this charter, (nor would there be any now, so far as we see, if the same state of things existed,) but since that time the Borough and Councils of Lawrenceville have ceased to exist, and of course we cannot now grant a charter in which there is a provision that the company applying for the charter shall have the right to lay down water pipes and use the streets within the former corporate limits for the purpose of carrying water to such points as the Councils of the Borough of Lawrenceville may designate.

We are therefore compelled to refuse the final order accompanying this charter.

Oyer and Terminer—Judges Sterrett and Stowe.

TRIAL FOR HOMICIDE.

The case of the Com'th vs. James Montooth, indictment for homicide, was taken up. District Attorney Duff appeared for the Commonwealth and Thos. Howard and A. G. Cochran, Esqs., for the defense. The indictment charged Montooth with murder in causing the death of Owen McGovern on the evening of Thanksgiving, 28th of November last, by stabbing him with a knife in the neck. Considerable time was spent in impanneling a jury, and this being done, the Court took a recess till a quarter past one o'clock. Having re-assembled Mr. Duff opened the case to the jury briefly. The killing took place at the tavern of John McCarthy, in Pitt township, near Lawrenceville, where the parties boarded. Montooth, defendant, was injured at the explosion of Reese, Graff & Dull's rolling mill, and was still unable to work at the time of the occurrence.

John McCarthy, sworn—Owen McGovern died at my house, in Pitt township, (now within city limits) on the night of the 28th of November last, of a wound in the neck.

Dr. James Robinson, sworn—Was called to see McGovern in his last illness about half past six o'clock P. M. November 28th. When I first saw him he was pulseless at the wrist. The wound was on the right side of the neck, and penetrated into the windpipe; looked as if it had been inflicted with an instrument from a fourth to a half inch in width. The exterior jugular vein was severed and the anterior hacked. The wound was necessarily fatal; when I arrived the man had bled sufficient to cause death. Ordinary penknife, with small blade, shown. The wound might have been inflicted with an instrument like this.

John McCarthy, recalled—The deceased and the prisoner boarded with me. They went to supper on the evening of the occurrence; Montooth came out first and sat down on a bench near the stove; five or eight minutes after McGovern came out and sat alongside of Montooth, throwing himself heavily upon or against him; Montooth asked why he did so, when he (McGovern) knew he (Montooth) was injured; McGovern said Montooth was not as much injured as he pretended to be; Montooth said that was no difference to him, (McGovern), and he should throw himself against those he had been in company with during the day. Wild words were next used, McGovern calling Montooth a "son of a b—," repeated the words three times; witness said there must be order kept; McGovern either struck or struck at Montooth, and then walked away; he then again advanced towards him, when Montooth arose from his seat and made a lunge forward, straight blow, towards McGovern, who stepped back, went to the bar, and coughed slightly; he passed along the bar, rubbing his back against the counter, and as a young man with whom he was acquainted came in the door McGovern asked him to look at his neck and see if he was cut; the examination was made, his shirt was found bloody, and when his shirt collar, which appeared to fit tightly, was opened, the blood gushed out in a stream. Witness saw nothing in Montooth's hand, and had no suspicion of any cutting until that fact was discovered. McGovern seemed to be under the influence of liquor.

Cross-examined—Deceased had been boarding at the house for six or seven weeks; the prisoner for a longer time. When the deceased first came to the house the only one he appeared to be acquainted with was Montooth, and he roomed and slept with him. Montooth was one of the men injured at the explosion at Reese, Graff & Dull's rolling mill, and had not been at work for some time.

Daniel Brose, sworn—Was in the house at the time of the occurrence; heard McGovern call Montooth names, and say he would whip him if he (Montooth) would clear him of the law. Saw Montooth make a lunge at McGovern, but did not know at the time that any cutting was done. Montooth told McGovern that he did not want anything to do with him.

Adam Henderson, sworn—Was not present in the house at the time of the cutting; heard a fuss in the bar and went in; saw Montooth standing near the stove with a knife in his hand, the blade open; he said he would cut the s—of a b—'s heart out; McGovern was then standing with his back against the bar; McGovern asked witness to examine if he was cut; witness examined and found he was cut in the neck. Afterwards witness took Montooth into custody, and went with him to the Mayor's office. He admitted having done the cutting, and said he would have to stand for it. Witness obtained the knife with which the cutting was done, and said the one shown in evidence looked like it.

The Commonwealth here rested their case.

Mr. Cochran opened for the defense, contending that the prisoner had done nothing more than what the law justified him in doing in self-defence. The deceased had been drinking during the day and was quarrelsome. The prisoner was injured, unable to pursue his employment, and was seated at the stove, after supper, picking his teeth, with his knife, when deceased assailed him, first throwing himself against the prisoner, and when remonstrated with swearing at him, and continuing his annoyance until he received the blow which caused his death.

Joseph Duvall, of the Fifth ward, testified to the good character of the prisoner for peace; never heard of him being in any difficulty.

Robert Curson, of Allegheny, had known the prisoner for sixteen years, and had never heard of his being in any difficulty before this one.

John Johnston had known the prisoner from boyhood, was a boy with him in the old country. Never knew him to have a quarrel with a man until the present case.

Wm. Osgrave, of East Birmingham, had known him from infancy. Never heard of his being under arrest until the present time.

The testimony of Patrick Murray, (absent from the city,) taken in writing at the Coroner's inquest, was read by consent. Murray stated that Montooth had a knife in his hand, and that Montooth told McGovern that he would use it, cut him, if he struck him (Montooth) again; that McGovern again slapped him, when Montooth got up and used the knife, cutting McGovern.

The testimony having closed the jury were addressed by Messrs. Cochran and Howard for the defense and Col. Duff for the prosecution. A verdict will be rendered to-day.

Undecided.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Ann Markin, residing at Wood's Run, indicted as a "common scold," on oath of Thomas Foley, a neighbor, which was on trial Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning, the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty, the defendant and prosecutor each to pay one-half the costs. So the question as to whether Mrs. Markin is or is not a "common scold" cannot be said to be satisfactorily decided, and it is not likely, from the encouragement received, Mr. Foley will make another effort to establish the fact. It is to be hoped that Justice Kerr, who reigns at Wood's Run, will be equal to the task of regulating a constituency somewhat boisterous at times, as seems to be the case from his returns to Court.

Admission to the Bar.—In the District Court yesterday, on motion of Major A. M. Brown, H. A. Miller, Esq., of Venango county, was admitted to the bar.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were left in the Recorder's office, January 28th, 1868.

Christopher Hall to Juliet Lyman, Sep. 22, 1866, interest in a lot in Peebles township, on the Greensburg Pike, 50 feet by 200 feet......$1

Jones & Laughlins to Joseph Keeling, July 13, 1867, the bituminous coal under 45 acres and 12 perches of ground in Baldwin township.

Duquesne Coal Company to Sarah Farquer, Jan. 23, 1868, lot in Wilkins township, No. 75 in said Company's plan of lots, containing 2 acres and 45 perches, reserving the coal......$1600

Lucas Zimmer to John McDermott, Dec. 7, 1867, lot in Lawrenceville, 24 feet on Butler street, and extending back 89 feet 11 inches, being one half of lot No. 16, in Mary Reed's plan of lots......$400

John C. McCombs to Philip Pfeil, Dec. 26, 1867, lot No. 18 in C. Johnson's plan of lots, in Lower St. Clair township, fronting on South side of Carson street, 24 feet, and extending back 122 feet to an alley......$5000

Francis Walls to Robert Barr and Dimpsey, October 18th, 1867, lot No. 30 in Francis Walls' plan of lots in Turtle Creek, fronting 166 feet on Walls' Avenue......$280

Samuel B. Cinley, Sheriff, to Catharine Hardt, Dec. 14th, 1867, house and lot on East Lane, Allegheny......$1,075

Maria Eva Jahn to the Helvetia Building and Loan Association, Jan. 27th, 1868, lot in Third ward, Allegheny, fronting 17 feet on Ohio street and extending back 110 feet to First alley.$2,600

William Robinson to Jacob Franes, October 1st, 1867, lots No. 15, 16 and 17, in Robinson's plan of lots in Manchester, fronting on Beaver street 64 feet and extending back 118 feet to an alley......$1,900

Joseph Lowrie to John Shepler, October 31st, 1865, tract of land in Jefferson township, containing 112 acres......$1,00

Inglewood Forest to Catharine Bradley, January 28th, 1868, lot in Fourth ward Allegheny, fronting 18 feet on Lacock street, and extending back 44 feet......$1,700

Henry Fish to John W. Taylor, Jan. 28th, 1868, lot in Collins township, part of lot No. 33 in Reiter Homestead plan of lots......$4,000

Louis Helm to John W. Taylor, January 23, 1868, lot on Liberty and Chestnut street, Allegheny, 45 by 53 feet....$5,000

Groceries—Where to Purchase.

In purchasing groceries it is at all times desirable to procure good, fresh articles, and the purchasing community should remember that such an article can be obtained only at establishments that are doing a good business, as they are enabled, or in fact required, to replenish or replace stock more frequently than when business is dull. The establishment of McBride & George, at No. 16 Federal street, Allegheny, is just such a house as referred to, and it only requires a visit to convince the purchasers that those gentlemen keep nothing but what they can recommend, and that goods are not allowed to remain upon their hands long enough to become stale. They keep on hand a complete assortment of groceries, canned fruits, spices, and in fact everything usually found in a first class grocery store, which they are selling at remarkably low prices, when the quality of the goods are taken into consideration. Our personal acquaintance with the gentlemen comprising this firm enables us to speak advisedly of them and we have not the slightest hesitation in recommending them to our readers as honorable and fair dealing men.

Trouble at the Fort.

"Fort Maloney," which is situated on Tannehill street, in the Seventh ward, has a bad reputation, and is frequently the scene of drunken brawls, between lewd men and women of all colors. Barney Lucas, a negro, it appears occupies a room in the "fort," and his wife having taken a trip down the river as chambermaid on one of the steamers, Barney has been improving her absence in a very questionable manner. Annie E. Butler, a colored lady, who occupies a room adjoining the one in which Barney resides, made information before Alderman McMasters yesterday against Barney for surety of the peace. She alleges that he has three disreputable women at his room, and last Monday night they were all drunk and kept up such a "din and confusion" that she could not sleep, whereupon she went to the door of Barney's room and requested him to keep quiet, when he threatened her with dire vengeance. A warrant was issued for Barney's arrest.

Larceny.

Lawrence Gass made information before Mayor McCarthy, yesterday, charging Theodore Bens with larceny. Gass is proprietor of a shoe shop, and some time since Bens was working for him, he being a shoemaker by trade. Subsequently Gass was arrested and confined in jail, where he remained about two weeks, and when he regained his liberty he discovered that his friend had been making way with his property. Having left Bens in charge of the shop suspicion at once fell upon him as the purloiner of the missing articles, and consequently the information. A warrant was issued and the accused arrested, and upon searching his house the missing goods, consisting of several pairs of lasts, boot trees, two chairs, a coat, and several other articles, were found and identified by the prosecutor. Bens was placed in the lock-up to await a hearing this morning.

Larceny by Bailee.

J. G. Winsbooth made information before Alderman Humbert yesterday, charging Robert Kelly with larceny by bailee. The prosecutor is a member of the firm of D. Hensel & Co., and the defendant was an employe of the firm. It is alleged that he was entrusted with a large mirror valued at $24, to sell on commission, and that he sold the glass for $3 and appropriated the money to his own use. He was arrested, and taken to the Alderman's office, where the matter was compromised and the charge withdrawn, upon condition that the defendant would swear to abstain from the intoxicating liquors for one year, which he did and was discharged.

Weed Sewing Machine is All The Go.—Notwithstanding the hard times, the amount sold is astonishing. When a person is aware of possessing the article that has taken the front seat, on that is universally acknowledged to be the best, he has ground for satisfaction. It has been sent to the same house where others had previously been sent. They were sent back and the Weed kept.

Weed does not take fits or spells when you want it to sew. Call and see it at R. H. Long's, No. 112 Grant street.

In Trouble Again.—Mrs. Murphy, a resident of the First ward, in the vicinity of the Point, who is not entirely unknown to the readers of police news, is in trouble again. Kate Kearney, yesterday, made oath against her, before Alderman McMasters, in which she charges her with selling liquor without license, selling on Sunday, keeping a bawdy house, and with assault and battery. A warrant was issued for her arrest.

Attempted Escape.—Monday evening two persons confined in one cell in the penitentiary attempted to escape by cutting a hole through the ceiling of their cell, which was in the upper range, next to the roof. They had removed about half of the bricks between the ceiling and roof for a space of two feet square, when they were detected by the watchman and the plan of escape, whatever, it may have been, frustrated.

False Pretense.—J. B. Hill, a lumber merchant in the Ninth ward, made oath before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, charging Jacob Foreman with obtaining lumber to the value of $280 under false pretence. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

Ladies, by all means do not forget the immense stock of Cloaks at Spence's, No. 73 Market street.

We advise our fair readers to go at once without delay to Spence's, No. 73 Market street.

Don't forget to go to Spence's great Cloak sale, No. 73 Market street.

Bargains in Ladies' Furs, at William Fleming's, No. 139 Wood street. tf

CITY ITEMS.

[COMMUNICATION.]

EDITORS GAZETTE:—*Dear Sirs*: As there seems to be a general misunderstanding in reference to my non-appearance at Central Skating Park, Pittsburgh, you will confer a great favor by allowing me through your columns to state a few of the facts. Some two weeks since I made arrangements with the proprietors of the Central Park to give exhibitions in Fancy Skating one week and to skate the championship match at their Park during the week, for which I was to receive a certain remuneration. After my arrival here last Monday, I found my contract was not binding, and as they refused to make it so, or give me security for my money, I refused to skate. Since then they have taken it upon themselves to award Mr. Swift the championship, which he does not claim, and will not unless he wins it in a fair match, and as I still wear the champion medal of America, until I am fairly beaten I shall continue to sign myself,

Yours, respectfully,
E. T. GOODRICH,
Champion Skater of America.

P. S.—I give exhibitions in fancy skating the balance of this week at the Keystone Skating Rink every afternoon and evening, where I am sure of my pay, and where I will be pleased to meet the many kind friends I made in Pittsburgh last winter, and who may rely on my sparing no pains to try to please and amuse. E. T. G.

Two Elegant Lady Skaters at the Rink this afternoon and evening.

Terrible Slaughter of Goods—Panic in the Boot and Shoe Trade.

Messrs. Smithson, Vanhook & M'Clelland, at 55 and 57 Fifth street, are creating immense excitement in the boot and shoe business of this city, by marking down their immense and well selected stock of goods, and selling them at the following named prices:

Misses' high cut (tipped) Balmorals, $1.
Ladies' fine calf Balmorals, $1.
Children's kid polish Boots, $1 to $1.25.
Women's Lasting Gaiters, $1.
Ladies' glove kid polish Balmorals, $2.50.
Fine French Morocco polish Boots, $2.50.
Misses' fine Kid Boots (high cut,) 1.50.
Ladies' fine Creold Walking Boots, (extra high cut,) $3.25.
Full line of Ladies' Morocco Balmorals (custom made,) $2.25.
Ladies' Kid Slippers (heeled,) 87 cts.
Best two ply all wool Carpet (per yard,) $1.
Blankets, Dry Goods and Notions marked down in proportion. Entire stock must be sold within thirty days. Don't forget the place.

SMITHSON, VANHOOK & M'CLELLAND,
55 and 57 Fifth street.

Miss Louie and Miss Sarah Tobey at the Rink this afternoon and evening.

Something worth Knowing.

Business men and others who have occasion to dine "down town" should not forget that Heltzheimer's Continental Dining Rooms are on Fifth street, one door east of the Postoffice. The immense success attending the Continental can only be accounted for from the highly creditable manner in which it is conducted, and attributable alone to the attention given to the business by the gentlemanly proprietor, Mr. William Holtzheimer. As a caterer to the wants and requirements of his patrons, Mr. H. is unequalled. The cleanliness and remarkable quietness of the establishment is always apparent on entering it, and the excellent manner in which everything is served up is inviting even to the taste of an epicure. Meals are served at all hours and at reasonable prices. Fifth street, one door east of the Postoffice, is the place.

E. T. Goodrich, Champion of America, exhibits at the Keystone Rink this afternoon and evening.

Pittsburgh Crackers.

The use of crackers has become so general of late years that they have become an almost indispensible article, and there is no place in the world where a better article, or a greater variety is produced than in Pittsburgh, where we have a number of establishments engaged in the business, among the foremost of which is that of Wray Brothers, Nos. 29 and 31 Irwin street, whose attention to business, fair and honorable dealing with their customers, has established for them a reputation of the highest order. They only ask of the public a trial of their crackers, and feel confident that they will receive satisfaction. Their prices are reasonable. Shipments will be made to all points, and packages delivered promptly in Pittsburgh, Allegheny, and the surrounding boroughs.

Grand Masquerade and Fancy Dress Carnival at the Rink this evening. Room for 3,000 spectators. Ladies and gentlemen wishing to appear in costume can procure tickets during the day at the Rink.

Fine Jewelry.

A more splendid assortment of jewelry than is presented to view on entering the old and well established house of Reineman, Meyran & Seidle, No. 29 Fifth street, is seldom if ever found in this or any other city. The reputation of this firm is so well established here that it is scarcely necessary for us to say anything in regard to it, further than call attention to the fact that they deal exclusively in the best class of goods, and that the purchaser may feel assured that any article purchased there is strictly what they represent it to be.

Two Elegant Lady Skaters at the Rink this afternoon and evening.

Good Goods at Gold Prices.—Having marked down my goods to gold prices I will sell my entire stock of boots and shoes of all kinds for gents, ladies, misses, and boys, at prices lower than they have been sold since the war. I warrant all my goods, having been selected with great care, and from first class houses. Parties purchasing can depend on getting a good article. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. No trouble to show goods. JAMES ROBB, 89 Market street.

Miss Louie and Miss Sarah Tobey at the Rink this afternoon and evening.

Penn Street Property at Auction.—On Saturday, February 1st, at 2½ o'clock P. M., on the premises, Messrs. Smithson, Vanhook & McClelland will sell by auction that very desirable four story (New York style) brick dwelling house, No. 99 Penn street, containing fourteen commodious rooms finished in best style, with all the modern improvements incident to a first class dwelling. See auction advertisement.

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Furniture, Pianos and Carpets at Auction.—This (Thursday) morning, January 30th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the Masonic Hall Auction Rooms, 55 and 57 Fifth street, an assortment of Furniture, Carpets, Blankets, Cutlery and Cigars. Also one fine Schomacker and one Chickering 7⅓ octave, Pianos. See auction advertisement of Smithson, Vanhook & McClelland.

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What Our Citizens Want.—Call and see our supply of Dry Kindling Wood. We will deliver it to any family free of charge for 25 cents per barrel. We believe it will please all those who try it. Leave orders at the Iron City Match Works, corner of Seventh and Grant street, Pittsburgh.

To Wholesale Buyers of Dry Goods we are offering special inducements—job lots from the Eastern Auction Sales—Shawls, Dress Goods, Housekeeping Goods, Mens' Wear, Sheetings, Shirtings, Prints, &c.

J. W. BARKER & Co., 59 Market street.

Muslins Damaged by Water.—Two cases bleached fine shirting Muslins, slightly wet, for sale at 9 and 12c, on West corner Market and Fourth streets, No. 69. THE GARDNER & STEWART.

Housekeeping Goods.—Extraordinary bargains in all kinds of Housekeeping Goods, Table Linens, Napkins, Doylies, Towels, Toweling, Quilts, Sheeting, Ticking, &c., at Barker's.

Twenty thousand dollars worth of Ladie's and Children's Cloaks, selling at half price at Spence's, No. 73 Market street.

The largest and best assorted stock of Ladie's Cloaks in America, selling at half price at Spence's, No. 73 Market street.

Wet Muslins.—Two cases Pillow Case Muslins, slightly wet on edge, at fifteen cents per yard, at Barker's.

Call and Examine the large and complete stock of Ladies' Furs, at William Fleming's, No. 139 Wood street. tf

STEAMSHIPS.

STEAM TO AND FROM LIVERPOOL & QUEENSTOWN, Ireland. TWICE A WEEK.

THE INMAN LINE,

Sailing EVERY SATURDAY—EVERY WEDNESDAY—carrying the U. S. Mails. Tickets sold to and from Ireland, England, Scotland, Germany and France. Apply at the Company's office.

WM. BINGHAM, Jr., Exclusive Agent to Sell Cabin Passenger Tickets, No. 63 FIFTH STREET, Adams Express Office, Pittsburgh, Pa.

PH. R. MERTZ, BANKER AND BROKER, 118 Wood St., near corner of Fifth. Government Securities, Gold, Silver, And Coupons, bought and sold on liberal terms. Drafts sold on all the principal cities of Europe.

HOLDERS OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES Can realize a PROFIT OF FROM TWELVE TO Over Twenty Per Cent. By converting them into Pacific R. R. First Mortgage Bonds. JAMES T. BRADY & CO., AGENTS PACIFIC RAILROAD, Corner Fourth & Wood Streets.

FINANCE AND TRADE

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, December 29, 1868.

Gold remained nearly unchanged to-day at 141; the lowest price being 140¾, and the highest 141⅜, with a disposition to sell. The possibility of some of the Southern States being admitted into the Union and likewise the improvement of our bonds in London and Frankfort, will exercise a declining influence on the gold premium.

Government bonds have been steadily going down since yesterday morning, the advance was too rapid and without any reaction in order to maintain prices where they were; the indications, however, are that a reaction will take place before the end of the week.

Stocks are decidedly lower to-day, and all stocks carried on margins are eagerly realized on as soon as there is sufficient margin. The abundance and ease in obtaining money on collaterals gives smaller operators more courage to buy, even on an excited market; on the other hand, the better class of railway shares are steadily absorbed by men of means to be held as permanent investments.

The Mining share market is dull but firm.

Money is easier, but paper is closely scrutinized.

Closing New York quotations, received by Ph. R. Mertz, were as follows:

Gold, 140⅞; 1881's, 111⅝; 5-20s, 1862, 111⅝; 1864, 109; 1865, 109⅜; Consols, 107⅜; 10-40s, 104; 7-30s, 107⅝.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.	97¾
Merchants Union Express	28¾
Western Union Telegraph	37¾
Erie R. R.	75¾
Pittsburgh Fort Wayne & Chicago R. R.	103¼
Northwestern Railroad—common	66¾
Northwestern—preferred	74¾
New York Central	131
Ohio and Mississippi Certificates	33
Michigan Southern	89¾
Corydon	44
Quartz	1 16
Quicksilver	24¾

—There is considerable anxiety manifested in mercantile circles in regard to the probable course of Congress on the financial question. The repeal of the contraction act is regarded in some quarters as a step towards expansion, and active efforts for the attainment of this object will be initiated in the House of Representatives with the next two weeks. But the Senate Finance Committee, it must be borne in mind, as at present constituted, is totally opposed to all schemes of expansion, and will smother any measure of the kind which comes from the House, unless it is backed up by such an overwhelming pressure of public sentiment as to literally compel compliance with the demand. Only a few days since Mr. Sherman announced in open Senate that the committee would treat all such measures as above indicated, and it is reasonable to suppose that, unless circumstances greatly change, they will adhere to their resolution. A project which may succeed in case all others fail, is that to add thirty millions to the present amount of national bank circulation, for the purpose of supplying such portions of the country as are deficient in banking facilities and currency.

—There has been an unusual demand for Government stocks to-day, and, strange as it may seem, there is no supply of any issue, and leading houses who sold quite moderate amounts of the new issue of 5 per cents in the morning, found themselves "short," and were obliged to convert Seven Thirties to make their deliveries. The Assistant Treasurer was offered fully prices for the new bonds, but declined to sell under instructions from Washington. There is a steady investment demand for bonds from foreign as well as domestic holders, and the street is nearly bare. The banks of the country, contrary to the opinion of many people, are in no condition to step in and unload upon the present market, but are buyers rather than sellers. The last quarterly statement shows that apart from the bonds held as security for their circulation, they are very small holders. The Secretary of the Treasury is in no want of money, but has more than he can use to advantage. Legislation to expand the currency is only a cover for the speculations of members of Congress and their confederates, and the less there is of it in future the better.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

A Washington dispatch says: The Directors of the Farmers' and Citizens' National Bank of Brooklyn have commenced proceedings in the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of New York, against the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller of the Currency, to enjoin the latter from winding up said bank, and to procure the discharge of the receiver, a process having been served upon these parties. The bank is now in the hands of a receiver and was about to publish a notice declaring a dividend to the creditors of said bank, but will be prevented from carrying out his purpose by the action taken by the directors of the bank.

—The following are the earnings of some of the leading Railway companies during the year 1867, compared with 1866:

	1866.	1867.
Atlantic & Gt. Western	[illegible]	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]	[illegible]
Michigan Southern	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fort Wayne	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago & Alton	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alton & Terre Haute	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Western	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marietta & Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]
T. Wabash & Western	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock Island	[illegible]	[illegible]
Michigan Central	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ohio & Mississippi	[illegible]	[illegible]
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PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, January 29, 1868.

CRUDE—The market is devoid of any new characteristics worthy of special notice. There is some little inquiry for spot oil, and we can report a sale of 500 bbls at 7c; holders generally are asking 7¼ to 7½c, but there are no buyers above 7c, and even at that the demand is restricted entirely to supplying immediate wants. For March and April, seller's option, there are buyers at 7¼ to 7⅜c, but no sellers below 8c—we are cognizant of an offer to take 2000 bbls for April, at 7¾c. For all the year, buyer's option, there is not much inquiry, and but little offering; the last sale reported—some days since—was at 11½c. Telegrams from Oil City quote at $2.25@2.45.

REFINED—Bonded oil was a little more active to-day, though there is still plenty of room for improvement. We can report 500 for last half of February, January at 23¼c; 500 for last half of February, at 23c; and 500 for all the year, buyer's option, at 25c; we heard of an offer to sell a "call" for all the year, buyer's option, at 25c, and a dollar up; and an offer to buy March at 23¼c, seller's option.

ARRIVALS—The following are the arrivals of oil by the Allegheny Valley Railroad today: Jas. Wilkins, 166; Fawcett & Bro., 166; John Munhall, 330; total, 662.

OIL SHIPPED EAST BY A. V. R. R.

Montshelmer, Koehler & Co, 225 bbls ref. to Waring, King & Co, Philadelphia.

Clark & Sumner, 443 do do to P. Wright & Sons, Philadelphia.

Lockhart & Frew, 133 to do to Emil Schalk, Philadelphia.

Braun & Wagner, 250 do do to Waring, King & Co, Philadelphia.

Wormser, Myers & Co, 44 do do to Warden, Frew & Co, Philadelphia.

OIL SHIPPED EAST AT DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Hutchison Oil Co, 45 barrels refined to Warden, Frew & Co, Philadelphia.

St. Louis Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, January 29.—Tobacco buoyant but the prices remain unchanged. Cotton; sales at 15¼c for middling, but was generally held higher. Flour steady but the sales were very small, prices ranging at $7.25@8.25 for superfine; $8.25@9.25 for extra; $9.25@11.00 for double extra; $11@14.00 for treble extra to fancy. Wheat, buyers are holding off; prime to choice red and white fall held at $2.65@2.75. Corn opened firmer but closed weak at 85@88c. Oats dull at 67@70 and 71c, the latter for very choice. Barley firm at $2.25@2.50 for spring and fall. Rye nothing done. Provisions, nothing doing and prices nominal. Pork held at $21. Bacon nominal at 9@9½c for shoulders; 10½@10¾c for ribbed sides; 11@11¼c for clear do; 11½@12c for clear sides; 13@13c for plain hams; 14@16c for sugar cured. Lard firm and held at 13½@13c for choice steam and kettle rendered. Hogs range at $5@6.75. A previous statement of the number of hogs packed here this season contained an error. The total number is 243,000, averaging 222 pounds gross. Last year's packing was 172,000, an average weight of 223 pounds gross. The weather is clear and the coldest of the season, the mercury being three degrees below zero this morning.

Cincinnati Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—Flour firm but quiet. Wheat dull and prices nominal at $2.50 for No. 1 winter red and $2.58 for No. 2. Corn opened firm, but closed dull at 82c for ear; there is no demand for shelled and prices are nominal. Oats firmer at 67@68c. Rye a shade firmer; No. 1 $1.60@1.62; the supply is light. Barley firm at $2.25@2.35 for No. 1 to choice fall. Cotton active and prices higher, closing at 18¾@17c for middling. Whisky unchanged and quiet with but little demand. Provisions are held above the views of buyers. Mess Pork is held at $20.50@21.50 for old and new. Bulk Meats held at 8¾@9½c for shoulders and sides, with sales at 9@10c, but no buyers at more than these rates. Bacon was sold to a moderate extent at 9¾c for Shoulders; 11½@12c for clear rib and clear Sides. Sugar Cured Hams dull at 14½@15c. Lard is held at 13½c, but this is ¼c above the views of buyers. Butter and Cheese unchanged. Eggs 30@33c. Hay very dull at $15@18 on arrival. Seeds firm at $13 for Clover and with a good demand; Timothy dull at $2.50@2.80; Flax 16c for raw. Coffee firm at 20@25c for Rio. The money market is easy. Gold 140¾.

Chicago Cattle Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO; January 29.—Hogs; receipts 3,855 head; in moderate packing request, at $5.55@6.12½ for light shipping, and $6.50@7.00 for good to choice packing. Beef Cattle moderately active and 25c higher, at $6.75@8.00 for good to prime shipping. Sheep quiet, steady and unchanged.

Baltimore Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, Jan. 29.—Snowing all day. Flour unchanged. Wheat very firm and unchanged. Corn dull and steady. Oats dull at 78c. Provisions dull.

JAMES DALZELL & SON, 69 and 70 Water Street, LARD OIL MANUFACTURERS, And dealers in CRUDE, LUBRICATING and CARBON OILS. We warrant our No. 1 Lard Oil equal to the best. Cincinnati, or other brands, and propose to sell as low as Cincinnati or Chicago rates. Our No. 2 Lard Oil a lubricator cannot be excelled. Duck brand Lubricating and standard brands of Carbon Oil constantly on hand. Merchants and manufacturers will find it to their interest to give us a call before ordering Lard Oil from the West.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, January 29, 1868.

There is nothing new to be said about the general markets. Business continues about as dull as ever, with but little prospect of any immediate improvement; we confidently look for a good spring trade, however, and this impression seems to be gaining strength daily.

GROCERIES—The grocery market has not been very active during the past week, the volume of business in the aggregate being light, which may be attributed to the extremely cold weather and a restricted navigation. There has been no remarkable changes in values, with the exception of Rice, which is up from one to two cents per pound; Coffee also, is a shade higher, in consequence of the advance in gold. The following are the ruling quotations:

SUGARS—New Orleans, 14@14½c; Cuba, 13@13½c; Porto Rico, 13½@14½c; Crushed, 17½c; "A" Coffee, 16½c; "B" do, 16c; Extra "C," 15½c; "C" Yellow, 15c.

COFFEE—Prime Rio, 25½c; good, 24c; fair, 23c; Old Government Java, 37c; Lyguayra, 26c.

MOLASSES—New Orleans, 85@90c; Cuba, 65@70c; Porto Rico, 75@75c.

SYRUPS—"Lovering's," $1; "Booth & Edgar," 80c; "Amber," 70c; "Drips," $1.05@$1.10.

SPICES—Cassia, 80@85c; Cloves, 64c; Pepper, 35c; Allspice, 33c; Nutmegs, $1.50.

RICE—Rangoon, 11c; Carolina, 13c.

STARCH—Madison, 8½c; Silver Gloss, 12½c; and Corn Starch, 13½c.

FRUITS—Layer Raisins, $4.50 per box; Valentia, 20c per pound; Prunes, 21c; Currants, 15c for new.

BAR LEAD—11c; Shot, $2.50 per bag.

SOAPS—"Babbitt's," 12c; "Oakley's" 11½c; Rosin, 4½@6c; "Dobbins," 15c.

CANDLES—Mould, 14½c; Star, 23c.

CONCENTRATED LYE—$7.50 per case.

BI CARB SODA—$3.50 per lb.

GRAIN—Winter Wheat is in steady demand and scarce at $2.60@2.65 for Red, and $2.60@2.65 for White. Barley continues scarce and in demand, and prime Spring may be quoted at $1.85@1.90. Oats firm but unchanged; sale of 1 car in elevator at 66½c; small sales at 61@70c. Ear corn is in demand but unchanged at $1.05@1.10; shelled is plenty and dull. Rye is still quoted at $1.40@1.45.

FLOUR—The market is dull and somewhat neglected, though unchanged; we quote at $11@11.50 for Spring Wheat; $12@12.50 for Winter Wheat, and $13.50@15.00 for fancy brands. Rye Flour is steady at $9.50. Buckwheat is dull and unchanged at $4.50.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is quiet and steady but unchanged at 10½c for Shoulders; 12½c for Ribbed Sides, and 16c for Sugar Cured Hams. Lard is quoted higher; prime kettle rendered in tierces 13½c, and 14c@14½c in kegs. Mess Pork, $22, and Dried Beef, 20c.

APPLES—In steady demand, and with a limited supply, and light arrivals, prices are well sustained, ranging from $3 to $4 fair for to good, and $4.50@5 per barrel for prime to choice.

DRIED FRUIT—Is very abundant and dull but unchanged. Peaches are still quoted at 7@8c for quarters, and 10@12c for halves, and Apples at 7@8c.

POTATOES—Dull but unchanged; small sales in store at $1@1.10 per bushel, and $3.25@3.50 per bbl., as to quality.

SEEDS—Flaxseed is scarce and wanted; crushers are paying $2.25 for small lots, but a round lot would doubtless bring a higher figure. Small sales of Cloverseed at $7.60@8. No movement in Timothy.

BUTTER—Prime to choice Roll Butter is in steady demand but the supply is ample to meet it; we quote at 35@40c.

EGGS—Unchanged at 27@28c.

MILL FEED—Is scarce and firm but unchanged; we continue to quote at $1.50@1.55 for Bran; $1.70@1.75 for Seconds, and $2.25@2.35 for Middlings.

HAY—Is steady, with regular sales from country wagons at $18@22, for common to strictly prime Timothy. Nothing doing in Baled.

HOMINY—Is being sold to the trade at $6.75@7 per bbl., and demand light.

LARD OIL—Is still quoted at 90c for No. 2, and $1.10 for No. 1.

BEANS—Steady at $3.25.

POULTRY—In demand; none in market.

New York Produce Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Cotton firmer with a fair business; sales of 4,500 bales at 19¾@20c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts 6,231 bbls—a shade firmer; sales 6,800 bbls at $8.60@9.20 for superfine State and western, $9.95@10.50 for extra State, $9.90@10.90 for extra western, $11.50@13.00 for white wheat extra, $9.90@13.50 for R. H. O., $10.90@11.90 for common to good St. Louis, $12.00@16.00 for good to choice extra do, closing quiet; California firmer; sales 63,000 sacks at $12.50@13.75; small lots at $14. Rye Flour steady at $7.30@9.40. Corn Meal unchanged; sales 350 bbls at $4.75@5.90. Whisky nominal. Wheat—receipts 1,000 bush—firm and quiet; sales 11,500 bush at $2.45 for No. 2 spring in store, $2.61@2.65 for red Pennsylvania, $3.15 for California. Rye firm; sales 6,000 bush western at $1.77. Barley quiet; sales 3,000 bush Canada west on private terms. Malt quiet; sales 5,000 bush at $1.85. Corn—receipts 50,000 bush—firmer and fairly active; sales 46,000 bush at $1.24@1.30 for new mixed western afloat, closing at $1.25 for prime samples, $1.20@1.30 for new white southern, $1.23@1.34 for new yellow jersey. Oats—receipts 1,300 bush—firmer; sales 90,000 bush at 84c for western in store, 87½c afloat. Rice quiet, at 10½@11c for Carolina. Coffee steady. Sugar steady; sales Cuba at 11½@11¾c. Molasses steady. Hops quiet at 40@65c for American. Petroleum quiet at 15½c for crude, and 24c for refined bonded. Leather, hemlock sole more active and firmer; 25@32c. Wool very quiet; sales 19,000 lbs at 49@51c for domestic fleece. Coal quiet; sales at auction of 40,000 tons Scranton at $4.65@5.35 for lump; $3.45@5.60 for steamboat; $4.90@5.40 for grate; $4.90@5.15 for egg; $4.87@5.75 for stove; $4.40@5.85 for chestnut. Pork quiet and steady; sales 1,000 bbls at $21.35 regular; $21.00@21.00 for old mess, closing at $21.00 cash; $21.00@21.00 do., closing at $21.00 regular; $17.00@18.00 for prime, and $19.00@19.50 for prime mess. Beef in fair request; sales 760 bbls at $15.75@24.50; prime mess, $27.00@30.00. India Mess Beef quiet and steady; sales 120 bbls at $11.00@19.00 for new plain mess, and $18.50@21.50 for new extra mess. Beef Hams quiet; sales 280 bbls at $34.00@36.50. Bacon steady; sales 430 bxs at 11½@11¾c for long ribbed, 12½@13c for short ribbed; 12½@15c for Cumberland cut. Cut Meats quiet; sales 215 pkgs at 8@9c for shoulders, and 13@15½c for hams. Dressed Hogs firm at 8½@9c for Western; chiefly at 90 and 91 for city. Lard firmer; sales 2,300 bbls at 13½@14c for old mess, and 150 kegs on private terms. Butter steady at 38@49c for State. Cheese dull at 11@15c. Freights to Liverpool quiet.

LATEST.—Flour; the market closed quiet and firm. Wheat is quiet, but holders are insisting on full prices. Rye is steady with sales of western at $1.76@1.77. Oats; the market closed dull at 84½@85c for western in store. Corn; the market closed dull and heavy, with sales being made of new mixed western and State at $1.24@1.25, and the extreme scarcity of freight room has materially checked the export demand. Pork; the market closed quiet and firm, with sales at $21 for old mess, $20.75@21¼ for new mess, $21.25 for February and March, and $21.25@21.50 for April. Beef; the market closed firm with a fair demand. Cut Meats; the market is quiet. Bacon; the market closed steady with a moderate business being done. Lard was firm at the close and sales were made at 13¾@14c for fair to prime steam and kettle rendered.

Chicago Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, January 29.—Flour firmer and active, at $8.75@10.75 for spring extras. Wheat quiet and declined ½@¾c; sales of No. 1 at $2.19 and No. 2 at $2.08@2.09, closing at $2.08¼@2.08½ for No. 2. Corn opened firm and ½@1c higher; sales of new at 81¼@82c; it subsequently fell back and closed at 81@82½c; old No. 1 85½c. Oats ¼@¾c lower, closing at 58@58½c. Rye dull and 1@2c lower, at $1.50@1.51. Barley very irregular; lower, at $2.14@2.15; closed at $2.09@2.10. Provisions firm and more active. Mess Pork standard $20.50; straight brands held at $20.75@21.00; mess ordinary $20.50. Lard active at 13½c cash. Bulk Meats active; sales of shoulders at 7½c loose, 8c packed; rough sides 9c loose. English Meats in better request; Cumberland middles 9½@9¾c loose; short rib, 9¾@10c loose and 10¼c packed. Green Meats inactive. Dressed Hogs 10@15c lower, closing firm at $8.45@9.50; dwindling. Receipts—4,500 bbls flour; 18,800 bush wheat; 76,400 bush corn; 15,000 bush oats. Shipments—5,000 bbls flour; 1,000 bush wheat; 5,500 bush corn; 1,666 dressed hogs.

Cleveland Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, January 29.—Flour steady but firmer; double extra spring, $12@12.50; double extra white, $14@15; country brands 50c@$1 below the above figures. Wheat—not much doing; some grades are held higher; No 1 red winter, $2.65; No 2, $2.21; No 2 Milwaukee spring, $2.35. Corn firmer and 1@2c better; sales of No 1 shelled on the spot at 87@90 for April delivery; sellers are optional, at $1.03; 90 on the track at 83c. Oats dull but held firmer; for No 1 State 67½; Rye—the demand is light and the market quiet at $1.60@1.55 for No 1 State and western. Barley—the market is steady and firm; No 1 State and Canada held at $1.90@2.00; No 1 at $1.90@2.00. The petroleum market is dull and inactive; free oil is held at 35@40c, bonded at 18@19c.

Philadelphia Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, January 29.—Clover seed declined to $8@8.50. Flax seed $2.80@3.00. Petroleum moves slowly, Crude 15¼c, refined in bond at 23¼@24c. Flour inactive. Wheat in fair request; sales of 5,000 bushels at $2.50@2.60. Corn in fair demand; sales of 3,000 bushels of new yellow at $1.15. Oats dull at 75@78c. Mess Pork, sales of 400 bbls at $22.50.

Louisville Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, January 29.—Tobacco steady; sales 97 hhds lugs at $4.80@6; medium leaf at $8@15, and selections at $18.50. Flour at $7.50@8 for superfine, and $12.50 for fancy. Wheat at $2.40. Oats at 65@66c. Corn at 75c in bulk, and 75c in ear. Lard at 13c. Mess Pork at $21. Bacon, shoulders at 9¾; clear sides at 12½c; bulk shoulders at 8½c; and clear sides at 11¾. Tallow at 15@16.

Memphis Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, Jan. 29.—Cotton in active inquiry at 17@17½c; receipts 1303 bales; exports 1520 bales. Flour firm and scarce. Pork $22@22.50. Bacon firm; clear sides 12¼c; bulk shoulders 8½c; sides 13c. Lard 15@15½c. Corn 81@85c, with a large supply. Oats 77@78c. Hay $20@21.

Buffalo Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BUFFALO, January 29.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and a shade firmer; sales of two car lots of Port Washington Club at $2.30; Spring unchanged. Corn is a shade firmer; sales of 28 car lots at $1.20@1.25¼. Oats and Rye and all other articles unchanged.

Financial Matters in New York.

Gold Closed at 140⅞@140⅞.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29, 1868.

MONEY AND GOLD.

Money is easier than at any time since New Year's, offering heavy at 4@6 per cent on call. Sterling quiet and firm at 9½@9¾. Gold heavy; opened at 141, advanced to 141⅛, declined to 140⅝; advanced to 141, and closed at 140⅞@140⅞.

GOVERNMENTS.

Governments opened less active and scarcely so firm, and closed stronger and with more business. Coupons '81, 111⅝@111¾; do. '62, 111⅝@111¾; do. '64, 109⅛@109¼; do. '65, 109½@109¾; do. new, 107⅝@107¾; do. '67, 107¾@107⅞; 10-40s, 104@104¼; 107⅝@107¾.

RAILWAY MARKET.

The Railway market opened with increased firmness, and recovered from the lowest point of last evening, and gained strength as the day advanced, and closed firm. The report that the Erie Company loaned 20,000 shares of stock to the Hartford and Erie, to complete a deal is untrue. Canton 50¼@51¼; Cumberland 33@33½; Adams 77¾@77½; Merchants Union 28¾@27; American 73¼@74; United States 75@76¼; Wells 45@45¾; Quicksilver 23¼@23¼; Mariposa 8¼@9¼; Pacific Mail 114⅞@114¾; Atlantic 97¾@97¾; N. Y. C. 130¾@131; Erie 75½@76¼; Hudson 146¼@147; Harlem 127; Reading 92¾; C. C. 33½@33½; Marietta and Cincinnati, first preferred, 25¼; Wabash 46¾; St. Paul 47¾@47¾; do preferred 63¾@65; Michigan Central 111½@112; Michigan Southern 88¾@89¾; Toledo Central 134@135; Pittsburgh 97¼@97¾; Northwestern 66¾@66½; do preferred 74¼@74¾; Fort Wayne 103⅛@104; Hartford and Erie 18¼@18¾; Terre Haute preferred 74¾; now Tennessees 60¾; Missouris 101¼; Hannibal and St. Joseph 61; do preferred 72½.

MINING SHARES

dull: Gregory 310; Wallkill 44@46; Smith and Parmelee 235; Quartz Hill 115@117; Corydon 43.

SUB-TREASURY

Receipts $1,218,881; payments $798,135; balance $111,043,387.

New York Dry Goods Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, January 29.—The Cotton Goods market is buoyant especially for bleached, but not very active, owing in part to the snow storms. Goods like the James steam mills which a fortnight ago were selling as low as 13½c now command 14c, and muslins like Kearsarge are worth fully 11½c, while Tuscarawas are firm at 18c; Wamsutta 22½c, and New York mills jumped to 21½c. Through absolute scarcity all prints are selling quick at 12@12½c, the latter for seasonable styles; the Amoskeag prints command 11½c; the Freemans & Arnolds, new styles will open at 11c, although old styles are still jobbing at 10½c. Standard brown sheeting of the best Eastern makes are firm at 15@15½c, and Southern at 14¼c. The market for woolens is still inert and prices not fully established. Foreign fabrics do.

New Orleans Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, January 29.—Cotton firm; middlings 18@18½c; sales of 3,800 bales; receipts 4,500. Sugar in good demand; common 9¼@10¼c; fair 12½@12¾c; choice 14@14¾c. Molasses active; common 60@65c; prime 80c. Flour advanced; superfine $10.50@10.75; treble extra $12.50. Corn very firm at $1. Oats dull at 81@83c. Pork advanced to $22.50@23.75. Bacon; shoulders 10½c; clear sides 13½c. Lard; prime tierce quoted at 13½c; keg 15c. Sterling 51@53½c. New York Exchange ⅜ discount. Gold 140@140¼.

Toledo Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

TOLEDO, Jan. 29.—Flour is quiet. Wheat is firm; sales of amber at $2.67. Corn—receipts of 34,750 bu. and the market is less active and 1½c lower; sales of No. 1, at 89½@90c; Michigan, 89; No. 1, to arrive, 92c; for February, 93c; for March, 95c. Oats is quiet at 63½c for No. 1. Rye is $1.60 for No. 1. Sales of No. 1 Barley at $1.15. Seeds—sales of Clover at $7.15; Flax, at $2.25. Dressed Hogs are 7¾@8¼c. Pork—sales of Mess at $20.00, for April delivery $21.00.

Milwaukee Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 29.—Flour dull; city double extra $10@10.25; country do. $9.50@10. Wheat quiet and steady at $2.09¼ for No. 1, and $2.00 for No. 2. Oats quiet at 59c for No. 2. Corn nominal at 83c for new shelled. Rye steady at $1.50 for No. 1. Dressed Hogs firm at $7.50@8.00. Receipts—1,000 bbls flour; 18,000 bu wheat; 5,000 bu oats; 2,500 bu corn; 400 bu rye; 500 dressed hogs. Shipments—500 bbls flour; 700 bu wheat; 500 bbls pork.

San Francisco Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—Flour in demand; extra $7.50@8.50, superfine $6.75@7.25. Wheat firm at $2.05@2.15. Legal Tenders 72.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R., January 29—7 cars metal, J Wood & Son; 6 do do, Rhodes & Co; 2 do do, Bryan & Caughey; 190 bbls flour, C L Leech; 436 do do, D Wallace; 100 do do, J S Dilworth & Co; 100 do do, Shoenberger & Co; 1 car lard, Seshmyer & Yeakamp; 1 car milfeed, Pyeckett; 190 bbls flour, H Esaju; 1 do butter, 1 do eggs, Voigt & Co; 1 car butter, Vangesber & Shepard; 18 sks cloverseed, Geo Keehl; 11 sewing machines, Wm Sumner & Co; 100 bxs barley, A Woods; 100 bbls cream pans, McCullough, Smith & Co; 2 cars butter, Spencer & McKay; 150 bxs buckwheat flour, J Conner; 26 sks rags, Markle, Dickson & Co; 95 bxs starch, J K Smith; 15 do do, J A Renshaw; 16 do do, J H Lippincott; 15 bxs butter, Maryland; 41 do do, J S Dilworth & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, January 29—4 cars pig iron, Anderson, Cook & Co; 4 cars iron ore, Bryan & Caughey; 1 do do, Graff, Byers & Co; 6 do do, J & W Cooks; 3 do do, Laughlin & Co; 36 do do, Shoenberger & Blair; 30 bbls apples, McGinley & McWhinney & Co; 29 kegs lard, Henry, Lawrence & Co; 37 bxs cheese, 4 bbls pork, Haas & Benley; 1 car barley, Spencer & McKay; 15 do do, Haven; 1 car oats, J Murphy; 6 do do, Voigt & Co; 1 car corn, A Lincoln; 16 do potatoes, Finley & Co; 1 car, Krogh & Gibson; 1 bxs butter, 2 kegs lard, Arnold; 15 do do, 5 dos eggs, Voigt & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R., January 29—3 cars metal, Fawcett & Bro; 30 do do, Jas Wilkins; 4 do do, Jens, Munhall; 5 bbls sourkraut, Thos Goldrich; 2 cars metal, McKnight, Shoemaker & Co; 5 bxs eggs, Scott & Giese; 2 do do, Dan Wallace; 3 cars steel, Miller & Armstrong; 2 cars wood, Iron; 2 cars metal, Jas Graff & Dull; 100 sks oats, McNeary & Hood; 30 bgs rye, 60 do oats, J & W Fairley; 3 cars rye, Markle, Dickson & Co; 20 sks rye, Adams & Anstrahl; 2 sks corn, Jos Gallagher.

PITTSBURGH, COLUMBUS & CINCINNATI R. R., January 29—1 car staves, M Henner; 1 do do, J Kennish; 1 do do, U Albright; 1 do do, Miller & Crier; 12 bbls eggs, dry fruit, 2 kgs lard, Camp & Frazer; 13 do rye, 17 do barley, 17 do, McNeary & Hood; 1 car corn, R Bryan; 5 bxs tobacco, J Murphy; 6 do do, J Grant & Co; 5 do do, J Campbell; 31 do do, J A Morrison & Co; 25 bales cotton, Kennedy, Childs & Co; 24 bbls barley, C J Grant & Co; 1 car rye, J Campbell; 25 do do; 2 dressed hogs, Meanor & Harper; 7 pkgs lard, G A & W Flamm; 11 kgs do, A J McBride; 1 car rye, Jas Alexander & Co; 2 bxs broom corn, E B Mathews.

ALLEGHENY STATION R. R., January 29—1 car shingles, McCurdy & Co; 1 car corn, Kennedy & Lothrop; 1 cask cheese, J McFarland; 2 cars lumber, J McBriar; 5 cars iron ore, Hickey & Harron; 1 car staves Kalya & Robertson, 100 bbls flour, Stewart & Langenheim.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE R. R., January 28—6 pkgs cloverseed, Kirkpatrick, Herron & Co; 230 bxs window glass, Michaels & Co; 8 bdls sheet iron, A Bradley & Co.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR ST. LOUIS.—The fine steamer BELLEVERNON..........DARRAH, Master, Will leave for the above and all intermediate ports on the opening of navigation. For freight or passage apply on board or to J. D. COLLINGWOOD, JOHN FLACK, JAMES COLLINS, CHAS. BARNES, Agents.

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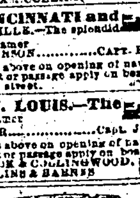

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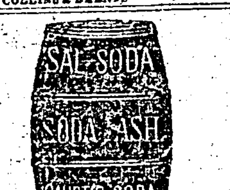

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RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to recede steadily at this point, with four feet two inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks. The weather continues cloudy and cold, and there is some new made ice in the Monongahela, but as yet it is thin and scattered, and does not seriously retard navigation.

The R. R. Hudson arrived from Cincinnati last night, showing conclusively that there is no gorge in the Ohio River between here and there. We understand that she will lay up for the present.

The Leonidas was to have left for New Orleans last evening, and we have no doubt she got off. She left here with a moderate trip, but, she doubtless has engagements below. Indeed she could not take much over half a cargo on the present stage of water.

The following boats were in port yesterday afternoon: J. N. McCullough, Grey Eagle, Leni Leoti, Messenger, Columbia, R. R. Hudson, Camelia, Kate Robinson, New York, America, Maggie Hays, Bellevernon, and Wauanita. The Kate Robinson is loading for Cincinnati and Louisville, Messenger for St. Louis and Camelia for Nashville.

Louis A. Welton, President and General Superintendent of the Lightning Line of Missouri River packets, has been adjudged a bankrupt. His liabilities are heavy, and among others we notice that he has quite a number of Pittsburgh creditors, as follows: Eureka Insurance Company, $1,000; Pittsburgh Insurance Company, $1,000; Citizens, $1,000; Western, $1,000; Wm. Barnhill & Co., $6,236 82, Carroll & Snyder, $5,261 81.

The Great Republic and Richmond arrived at New Orleans on Sunday last. The towboat Diamond is laid up at Parkersburg.

We clip the following from the St. Louis *Republican*, reflecting pretty freely on the exorbitant rates charged steamboats for insurance:

A petition is being circulated among the shippers, merchants and manufacturers of this city for their signatures. It is addressed to the different Insurance Companies of this city, and sets forth many reasons as to why the rates for insurance on merchandise in transit on the Missouri River should be reduced. It has long been felt that the rates charged were too high, many, in fact, asserting that they were exorbitant, and to look at the rates almost every one would agree with the statement. For instance, but one per cent is charged for insurance to New Orleans, a distance of 1200 miles, and insurance to New Orleans is taken on every description of boat or barge, while the rate to Omaha, a distance of 800 miles, has been two per cent, with risks taken only on first class side wheel steamers, built in every respect in accordance with the ideas of the Board of Underwriters as to their fitness for the trade. It is a well known fact that Missouri River boats never load to over one half of their carrying capacity, and seldom to one third, thus materially reducing the dangers of navigation. It is safe to say that during the past season the rate of insurance was equal to three and a half times the amount of the freight paid on the same quantity of freight; for instance, the average rate of freight to Omaha during the season was 60 per 100 lbs, or $12 per ton, while the insurance on the same freight would average $43 per ton, making the charges for freight and insurance 55 dollars per ton, equal to $2.60 per 100 lbs. So no wonder that merchants of the Missouri river seek other means of communication; and no wonder that St. Louis insurance companies can afford to pay 20 per cent dividends. It will be asserted by many that the Missouri river is extra hazardous; no doubt it is for extra boats, but the extra hazard is removed by the extra care in building, and the extra strength of the boats used in the trade. But look at the following statement will give a comprehensive view of the dangers of navigation. During the year 1867 there was lost, by sinking, of 56 steamboats on the Western and Southern waters. During the same period there were 25 partial losses; of these losses 7 occurred on the Missouri river; 4 were stern-wheelers which were insured at an extra rate. Of the regular Missouri river boats but two were lost during the season, viz: The J. H. Lacy and the Waverly, and the latter was the only St. Louis boat lost during the season, and she was coming down stream. Of the partial losses but 3 were of the regular Missouri class, viz: The Ben. Johnston, H. S. Turner and Waverly. It is pretty generally known that during the winter of 1866-67 the Board of Underwriters ordered peremptorily that risks should not be taken on stern wheelers, except such as were going out on a mountain trip, and then only at a rate of 3 per cent. additional, and, even of this class, so generally considered extra hazardous, but one, the Nora, was a total loss by sinking. The following list comprises all of the boats that were sunk or burned during the season: America, total loss, sunk and raised; Amaranth, sunk, total loss; Avasa, sunk and raised; Ben Johnston, sunk and raised; Deaver, burnt, total loss; G. A. Allen, sunk and raised; H. S. Turner, sunk and raised; J. H. Lacy, sunk, total loss; Jennie Brown, sunk and raised; Nora, sunk, total loss; W. J. Lewis, sunk, total loss; Viola Belle, sunk and raised; Waverly, sunk total loss. In addition to the above, the Nymph No. 2 exploded a boiler, and the Mollie Dozier exploded a boiler, sunk and repaired; and the Nymph was equipped as a wrecking boat, sunk, and the J. H. Lacy grounded, and it being found impossible to get her off, the shore, and most of the cargo, however, was saved in good order. It is perfectly safe to say that the insurance writers did not lose during the past season over $60,000, and during the same period it would be equally safe to say that the receipts for premiums were far in excess of one million dollars, some say as high as $2,500,000.

STEAMBOAT DISASTERS.—The Cincinnati *Commercial* has a detailed account of the Emerald disaster, from which we make some extracts:

Among the passengers were two sisters of Captain Benjamin F. Davidson, the daughter of Captain Shunk, and Mrs. Franklin Skinner, of Cincinnati. The Emerald had capacity for nine hundred tons, and was built in Cincinnati, in November, 1865, cost $36,000, and was owned by Captain J. O. Ishum, Jas. John and A. B. Bugher, and Capt. John N. Shank. She is insured in the following Cincinnati offices for $26,000, viz: Boatmens', Commercial, Union, and Crescent, $3,000 each, and the Buckeye State and Magnolia $4,000 each. Her freight list is not insured. She had about six hundred barrels of flour and twelve hundred barrels molasses, belonging to Louisville parties; about two hundred and fifty barrels molasses and twelve hundred barrels of sugar and molasses in $189,000, nearly all of which is insured in Cincinnati. The loss to the boat and cargo with insured, and cargo is the heaviest loss ever sustained by Cincinnati Underwriters in one cargo. There is on insurances of over $40,000 on her cargo in New Orleans offices. There was no insurance on her freight list. The Emerald had been thoroughly repaired, and was on her first trip this season. Capt. Shank had also introduced on her Miller's patent safety guard. In a letter to Captain James Bugher, dated New Orleans, January 23d, says: "The fire boxes will work well. We made good steam coming down with green firemen. We had always been carrying six, and I would not let them have but four, consequently I could not get good unless I would carry six firemen. Our fuel bill down was $200 less than usual."

SINKING OF THE GEO. D. PALMER.

The New Orleans and Arkansas river stern-wheel packet Geo. D. Palmer was snagged and sunk on Sunday, with a valuable cargo, in Arkansas river, at Swan Lake, fifty-four miles below Pine Bluff. The Palmer was formerly the Nannie Byers, sunk by a collision with the Louisville packet C. E. Hillman, and subsequently raised and rebuilt at Madison. The hull was originally built at Cincinnati, in October, 1863. Captain Oliver Palmer, agent for the Cincinnati underwriters, left for the wrecks of the Geo. D. Palmer and Emerald last evening.

The G. D. Palmer is owned by her commander, Captain D. Lanahan, and insured for $9,900—$4,200 each, in the Boatmen's, Firemen's, and National offices of Cincinnati.

STEAMER HOPE ABANDONED.

The steamer Hope, recently sunk in Yazoo river, and insured in Cincinnati and Louisville, has been abandoned to the underwriters, the recent rise in that stream having entirely submerged her over the hurricane deck.

ACCIDENT TO THE CHARMER.

On Friday the transfer steamer Champion, while crossing the river at Parkersburg, collided with the Charmer, and tore off her fantail, and otherwise damaged the Charmer slightly, for which the officers of the Champion claimed thirty dollars, which was promptly paid. The next evening, while the Charmer was lying ashore, the Champion again ran into her, breaking her wheel badly.

We take the following from the Louisville *Journal*, of Saturday: The Richmond is carrying corn from Evansville to New Orleans at rates ranging from twenty-five to thirty-five cents. The Great Republic is carrying the same article at 23 to 27 cents, and other freight in proportion.

The author of that paragraph must think that the readers of the *Journal* are as great fools as he is himself. The idea that shippers will pay from 23 to 100 per cent. higher prices to one boat than another is, to say the least of it, simply preposterous.

The law of Congress, passed in 1866, including among explosive fluids and combustible materials which steam vessels are prohibited carrying, oil of vitriol and muriatic acid. It is well known to chemists that neither of these articles will ignite spontaneously or by friction, and are not explosive, but on the contrary, will extinguish fire more effectually than water. As they are important articles of commerce, and as the present regulation causes unnecessary trouble and annoyance, a petition is being numerously signed by shippers and merchants of Cincinnati, asking Congress to except the articles above named from the provisions of the law.

River Matters.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, January 29.—River falling, with nine feet in the canal. Weather clear. Thermometer 18 degrees.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 29.—This is the coldest night of the season. The mercury is down to four degrees above zero.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 29.—Weather clear; coldest day this season. River still rising. The Dexter and F. W. Strader passed down; the latter took on three hundred bales of cotton. The Tennessee left for Cairo. The Laura Hill did not get off last night, but left this morning with twelve hundred bales of cotton. In port—Quitman, Des Arc and Cenuralia. The tow boat Dick Fulton, burnt at the bollers mouth in White River, left her tow and came here for repairs.

NASHVILLE, January 29.—Arrived, Nashville from Cairo. Departed, N. Phillips for Rowena. River falling rapidly with twelve feet on the shoals. Weather very cold.

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ALLEGHENY CITY ELECTION OFFICERS TAKE NOTICE. Resolution of the Committee on Finance: RESOLVED, That the Election Boards of each Ward are hereby respectfully instructed to insist, at the next municipal election in their respective Ward, upon the charter qualification of voters, to wit: "That the freemen of said city of Allegheny, citizens of this Commonwealth, who have resided within the bounds of said city twelve months immediately preceding the election, and WITHIN ONE YEAR PAID A CITY TAX ASSESSED IN SAID CITY, shall," &c. (See City Code, page 17, paragraph 15, section 4.) By order of the Committee on Finance. D. MACPHERSON, Clerk.

OFFICE PENNSYLVANIA R. R. COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 1, 1867. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company hereby give notice that they will receive proposals until the first day of January, 1868, for leasing separately or collectively the Union Depot Hotel at Pittsburgh, the Logan House at Altoona, and the Dining Saloon in the Harrisburg Depot, for a term of years, commencing on or before March 1, 1868. The hotels at Pittsburgh and Altoona are furnished throughout in the best manner. It must be expressly understood that the Railroad Company will require that all of these establishments shall be kept in a strictly first class manner, for the convenience and comfort of passengers patronizing its line. Proposals will be addressed to JOHN M. KENNEDY, Chairman of Special Committee, No. 238 Arch street, Philadelphia.

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