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FINANCE AND TRADE, OFFICE OF PITTSBURGE GAZETTE, ) Monday, February 8, 1868. Gold was strong early in the day, but the general decline in governments and stocks checked the rising tendency developed early; it was made scarce for

the purpose of squeezing the bears, but 135% was all what the bull party could raise it to. Bonds were very strong until noon, and had advanced about 1/2 per cent., but

at the close of business the market became heavy, and declined about 3/2 per Stocks have experienced a panic, and some of the Erie connections declined 2

per cent. Money is less stringent, although full per cont. is paid on call. Business is reviving.

Closing quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 135%; Eighty-one's, 112%; Five Twenties, 1862, 113%; do, 1123%; Five Twenties, 1862, 1133%; do, 1864, 1101%; do, 1865, new, 1093; do, 1867, 1091%; do, 1868, 1093%; Ten Forties, 1081%; Railroads — Clevelland & Pittsburg 1, 922%; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 1191%; Chicago & North Western, 833%; do Preferred, 913%; Erie, —; New York Central, 1623%; Michigan Southern, 931%; Reading, 95; Ohio & Mississippi Certificates, 363%; Western Union Telegraph Company, 374; oil shipments Benzole. ern Union Telegraph Company, 3714;
Merchants Union Express Company, 184; Pacific Mall, 143; Adams, 484;
Hutchinson Oil Ref. Co., 434 bbls reflect to Worden Erray & Co. Phile Mining shares—Gregory, 2,60; Quartz Hill, 70; Smith & Parmele, ——; Cory-

don. 10. -Closing quotations received by Jame —Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co.: Gold, 185½; United States Sixes, 1881's, 112½; 5-20's, 1862, 113¾; 5-20's, 1864, 110¼; 5-20's, 1865, 111½; 5-20's January and July, 1865, 109, do. 1867, 109¼; do. 1868, 109¾; Seven Thirties, par less ½; Due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central, 103; Cy. Pacifics, 101½.

ALLEGHENY CATTLE: MARKET. OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 8, 1869.

CATTLE. The supply of Cattle on sale to-day, although larger than last week, was again light, only reaching about 725 head, which is scarcely enough to supply the retail trade, let alone the eastern demand and country buyers. The market, therefore, was a remarkably stiff one, especially for good cattle, which were in limited supply, and prices, if anything, ruled higher than last week. We do not recollect of a time when there was such a universal growling about the high price of Cattle as at present. Butchers and drovers complain alike, that they are making complain, alike, that they are making nothing, and that the only thing that keeps them in the business, is in order to keep up their trade. Consumers, too, and very justly, complain about the exorbitant price of meat, and many a family, we have no doubt, is now on short family, we have no doubt, is now on short allowance, being unable to pay the prices now prevailing. And the worst teature about the whole thing lies in the fact that there is no prospect of relief for two or three months—not until grass Cattle commence to make their appearance, which is about the first of June.

A will be seen by reference to the report of sales, prime to extra steers sold
at 8 to 8,50, and good to medium at 7 to
7,50. Stockers may be quoted at 5 to
6,25, at to quality and condition.

Peter Shettemantie 14 head at 5 to 7,
and two extra Ritles county oven at Peter Shieltemantie 14 head at 5 to 7, and two extra Butler, county oxen at 8,50; Glass, Lafferty & Co. 46 head at 5 to 7,50; Nigholas Carr, sold 22, head at 6 to 7,50; Traurman & Lobman Bo stock cattle at 7 to 8,50; L. & J. Shamberg retailed 83 head at 5 to 8,50; Marks & Bro. 76 head at 6 to 8; Greenwald & Kahn 60 head at 7 to 8,37; L. Keefer \$2 head Ohio steers at 6,25 to 8,25; L. Rothchilds & Co. 32 head at 7 to 8,50; J. McAllister 40 head at 5 to 8,50; Kraus & Haas 56, head at 6 to 8,50; 8.50; Kraus & Haas 56, head at 6 to 8,50; Stakely & Bro, 20 head at 5 to 7; Hartman 23 head at 6,30 to 8,30; Hazlewood & B. 34 head of Chicago steers, for Doian, at 7,50 to 8,25; Hedges & Taylor 54 head at 6,7,50; E. Katz 20 head.

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There was a larger proportion of good Sheep than we have seen hare during any preceding week this winter. There was a larger proportion of good Sheep than we have seen hare during any preceding week this winter. There was rair number of Batler Sheep on sale, but these too have been adposite, invitaties of the street, fittedgraph, and the street, fittedgraph, and the street, fittedgraph and the street.

that they are now almost beyond the reach of the Butler butchers. Two to three dollars per head, is more than they can stand, and as a consequence many of them will doubtless be forced to susof them will doubtless be forced to suspend operations. Prime to extra ist Sheep sold at from 5,50 to 6,50 cts per pound, and medium do at 4,50 to 5. Common Sheep sold at \$2 to 83 per head—almost anything in the shape of a Sheep will bring the inside quotations. Clipping time is so near at hand, that there is not e disposition to force on the market that there was a month or two ago.

There was a fair supply of Hogs on sale, and with only a monderate demand, prices were fully sustained, ranging from 11 to 14 cts, in a retail way.

Jacob Needy wholesaled 54 head at 12.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 8, 1869. The expectations entertained by some, on Saturday, that the climax had been eached, and that a reaction was near at hand, has not thus far been realized, and if the operations of to-day can be taken as a criterion, the market this week promises to be stronger and more excited than the one which preceded it. Indeed, there was more excitement manifested to day than we have noted for a week or two, and prices have touched a point that have not been reached for several years. As there is a large amount of oil short for this month, it is supposed that the shorts are buying in order to cover, and this accounts for the fact that February is worth more than any other month in the year: as will be seen by reference to the repert of sales, slone to this month, as there is loquiry for almost every month in the year, and the late months have advanced as well

as the earlier ones. The Crude market was considerably stronger and somewhat excited to-day, and, compared with Saturday, prices have still further advanced. We can reort 500 bbls spot (sold early in the day) at 18; 1,000 at 18½; and 5,000 (in tank) buyers option, until July, 1st, at 20. At the close February was held at 18¾ to 19, and the same figures will apply to

As already noted, the sales of refined were unusualy large to-day, and with an excited market, prices have still further advanced. We quote as follows: 1000 each February to May..... 500 " February to May ...... 500 " July to December 38c 500 " February and March 381/20

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CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Exchange in moderate demand at 1-10 off buying and 1-10 premium selling. Flour quiet and the demand is almost exclusively for lew medium grades; sales at \$5a5,60 for spring extras. Wheat quiet and firmer and ½c higher; sales No. 1 at \$1,23½a1,24; No. 2 at \$1,15% al,16, closing with buyers at \$1,16; sales this afternoon at \$1,16% for No. 2. Corn active and easisr and %2%c higher; No. 1 at 66c; new 57%c; no grade 53a53%c, closing dull at 57%c for new; sales No. 1 at 69c; sellers for May, 78%c, sellers for the last half of April; new 58a 58%c, sellers for the last half of February and 58%c sellers for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for the last half of February for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for the last half of February for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for the last half of February for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for the last half of February for March; new 58a 58%c, sellers for March 58%c, sellers for the last half of Februarry, and 58%c sellers for March; market unchanged this afternoon. Oats active, opening at 43%a53%c, closing with sellers, but no buyers, at 53c. Rye dull and firm and laze higher, closing at \$1,17 al,18 for No. 1. Barley firm and 2a3c higher; sales No. 2 at \$1,90a1,93, closing at \$1,90. The highwine market is firmer at 90c for weederland 91c for iron bound at 90c for wooden and 91c for iron bound packages. Provisions quiet, steady and irm; sales Mess Pork at \$34 cash, closing steady. Bulk Meats steady and quiet at 15c for Cumberlands cash, and 1314c for 15c for Cumberlands cash, and 105c average shoulders; buyer February. Lard steady and quiet at 203c cash, and 21c, buyer February. Other descriptions of hog. product nominally unchanged. Dressed Hogs firm and quiet, with sales at \$14a15,50, closing at \$14,25a15,00, dividing on two hundred pounds. Re-

2,369 bush barley NEW YORK, February 8. - Dry Goods-The extreme prices for cotton have a tendency to impart firmness to the cloth market, and we note an advance by agents, of Keper yard on the most popular makes of heavy brown sheetings, such as Atlantic A, Appleton A, Indian Head and Pacific extras; but jobbers have made no change except on Appleton A, which has arisen from 1614 to 17; agents' prices being 17%, leas 2% per cent. discount. In other styles of cutton goods there is no particular change to observe. Prices generally are steady and firm and a better inquiry is noticeable, although a better indulty is noticeable, although trade is not very lively. Cottonades are in good request and advancing in sympathy with cotton bale prices being 40a 11. Carpet warps of best makes job readily at 35a37 % and 40a45, and twine is in good demand at 35a40 and 43, the latter for extra line 4-ply.

PHILADELPHIA, February & Caule Market Beer Cattle in fair demand at an advance: 20,000 sold at 10a103 for exsupervarior 20,000 sold at 1810% for extra Pennsylvania and western; steers at 8a9 for fair to good, 6a7 gross for common. Sheep in fair demand; sales 6,000 at 6a8 gross. Hogs in demand at an advance; sales 2,500 head at \$17,08a17,50 net.