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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Jan. 7, 1870.

The bull movement in gold, bonds and stocks is still in the ascendancy. Gold, which was selling at 120¾ before the board, opened at 121¼, sold up to 121¾, declined ½ per cent, and closed at 5 P. M. at 122½ very strong. The principal causes assigned for the advance are the Cuban question, fears of trouble with England should the Alabama claims be pressed in Congress for settlement, and the easy money market, which enables the bulls to have their gold carried at low rates of interest. But the main reason is the big movement in stocks by the clique, who hope not only to induce the bears to cover, but also to draw on the outside public, by proving that stocks have been sold at too low a figure and are worth more than they are selling for now. The rise in gold, however, will have the effect in the European markets to force down the price of our securities and decrease the investment demand from that quarter. Rather strong money measures to be adopted towards a conversion of our six per cent. bonds into a security bearing less rate, say 4½ or 4 per cent. interest. Government bonds are strong but did not keep pace to-day with the advance in gold, and were rather off without any material decline; the free offers to sell come from a class anxious to earn a high interest, and then accept the present favorable premium and invest their money in local securities.

Stocks are strong and the speculative shares, Lake North West, Lake Shore, Reading and Cleveland, have rapidly advanced. This, however, may be followed by realizations either on Saturday or Monday, as it is hardly probable that a rise of 5 or 6 per cent. will hold good without some reaction.

For local securities we refer capitalists to the banking house of Ph. R. Mertz, who can furnish valuable information about all the securities in our market.

Money is still in pressing demand, but rates are easier. Business very dull.

For London, Paris and German exchange, see the advertisement of Ph. R. Mertz, the agent of the North German Post Office Department.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 121¾; Silver, 117; Eighty-ones, 116¾. Five Twenties, 1862, 114¾; do 1864, 114¾; do 1865, 114¾; do 1866, 114¾; do 1867, 115¼; do 1868, 115¼; Ten Forties, 111¼; Adams Express Company 62; Merchants Union Express Company, 48; American Express Company, 56; Western Union Telegraph, 32¾; New York Central, 91¾; Reading, 94¼; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 98; Ohio & Mississippi, 35; Michigan Southern, 87¾; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 57¾; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, 105¾; Chicago & North Western, 70¼; Chicago & North Western Preferred 84¾; Erie 24.

EXCHANGE.	Large.	Small.
London, per £	$6.00	$6.10
Paris, per franc	24¼	25¼
Berlin, thaler	90	92
Frankfort, florin	53¼	54

Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold: 121¾; United States Sixes, 1881, 116¾; Five-Twenties, 1862, 114¾; do. 1864, 114¾; do. 1865, 114¾; Ten-Forties, 111¾; Five-Twenties, January and July, 1865, 113¼; do. do. 1867, 113¼; do. do. 1868, 113¼; Union Pacific 113¼; do. do. Railroad, 90; Central do. do. 99; Cy. Pacific, 109¼; Lake Superior 96.

Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, January 7, 1870.

Wall street was excited to-day. The Long room was crowded with brokers eagerly bidding for stocks, under which prices advanced sharply. Still greater excitement prevailed in the Gold room. Fluctuations are frequent and mainly in an upward direction. The cause assigned for this buoyancy and activity is prospective of the purchase of some West India island. There is an increase in the volume of currency, but there is no doubt that the return of some prominent clique to leaders on the street is the real explanation. The indications point to a sharp revival of speculation in Wall street and important movements in the future. The failure of R. W. Martin, Jr., is announced.

Money plenty at 7 per cent. for call loans.

Sterling quiet at 85¾@8¾.

American gold firmer; opening at 121¼, advancing and closing at 122¾. Carrying rate 1-32 per day. Clearances, fifty-six millions.

The *Commercial* says the bulls, undeterred by the fiasco of report, have again entered to the ring under the leadership of Fisk. August Belmont purchased $1,000,000; he was followed by a leading merchant, who invested $9,000,000. Jay Gould, it is said, also put in some two or three millions. Other operators bought up nice or ten millions more, and are still buying. In addition to the purchases by Jay Gould, Mr. Fisk has bought largely. European brokers have telegraphed to their agents here to buy freely with the avowed purpose of bulling the market.

Governments strong. Coupons: 81s, 17½@17¾; 62s, 15½@15¾; 64s, 14¾@15; 65s, 14½@15; do new, 13½@13¾; 67s, 14½@14¾; 68s, 14¾@14¾. Ten-Forties, 12¾; Pacifics, 99¾@9¾. Offerings small.

State Securities firmer: Missouris, 87, old Tennessees, 52½; new do, 47¼; old North Carolines, 41¾; new do, 28¾.

Stocks active and higher, closing strong.

Five Thirty Prices.—Canton, 50; Cumberland, 36; Western Union Tel., 32; Quicksilver, 15; Mariposa, 8; do preferred, 17½; Adams Express, 62½; Wells & Fargo, 19¾; American, 39¾; United States, 49¾; Pacific Mail, 43¾; New York Central 92½; Erie, 24½; Hudson, 87¼; Reading, 94¼; Michigan Central, 117¼; Lake Shore, 87¾; Illinois Central, 135¾; Pittsburgh, 87¾; North Western, 87¼; do preferred, 85¾; Rock Island, 105¾; St. Paul, 74¾; do preferred, 87; Wabash, 52¾; do preferred, 72¾; Ft. Wayne, 88¼; Terre Haute, 25¾; do preferred, 50; Chicago & Alton, 144¾; do preferred, 144¾; Ohio & Mississippi, 35¾; C. C. & I. C., 20¾.

Mining shares dull; Boston prices—Caloumet, 68; Franklin, 9; Hecla, 75; Quincy, 225.

Sub-Treasury balance, $96,218,000, including $4,009,764 currency.

PHILADELPHIA, January 7.—Flour steady, with sales super at $4.25@4.50. Wheat steady, with sales red at $1.29@1.32. Corn steady, with sales new yellow at 85@93c. Oats steady at 56@57c. Petroleum lower—crude 20@20½c and refined 29½@30c. Provisions dull and declining. Whisky quiet at 90c@$1.02.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Jan. 7, 1870.

Business, generally, is dull and neglected, though hopes are still indulged in that there will soon be an improvement. At no time, perhaps, within the past year, has there been such an absence of speculation as during this winter; it is probable that the stringency in money matters had something to do with it, but, aside from this, there is not the same disposition to speculate that there was a year ago, though it is true, the temptation has not been so strong, as values have been unusually uniform, and, consequently, there has not been much chance to make quick turns; or, in other words, but little inducement thrown out to stimulate the speculator to action. In addition, it is also a fact that those who do this kind of business have not been very successful within the past two or three years, and this is not without its effect. It has been discovered that those who do what is termed a legitimate business, notwithstanding they are frequently dubbed as old fogies, generally come out with the best balance sheet at the close of the year; and while it is possible they may not have done as much business as those who are pleased to call them old fogies, yet as a general thing it will be found that they have made and cleared more money.

APPLES—Dull and unchanged; sales in a regular way at $2.50@3 per bbl.

APPLE BUTTER—Quoted at 7½@8c.

BUTTER—The demand continues light and with a full supply, the market is dull and prices unchanged. We continue to quote good to prime roll at 34@35, and choice at 38.

BEANS—Dull and lower; we now quote at $2.25@2.75 per bushel.

BROOM CORN—Sales at 13@14 cts.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—4@4¼ cts.

CHESTNUTS—Quoted at $4.50.

CRANBERRIES—Continue to be quoted at $12@16 per bbl.

CIDER—Continues dull and nominally unchanged, at $5.00@5.50 per bbl, as to quality.

CHEESE—Is dull though the stock in this market is not large and prices are unchanged. Hamburg, 17@17½; Factory, 17½@18; New York Dairy, 18½@19; Goshen, 20.

CARBON OIL—There is only moderate demand, and the market is quiet and prices unchanged; we continue to quote at 27@27½ for standard brands, in a jobbing way.

DRIED FRUIT—There is a fair demand for apples, and we can report sales of Western at $3@3¼. Peaches dull and unchanged—$9@10c for quarters and 11@12c for halves.

DRESSED HOGS—Sales at 12@12½ cts.

EGGS—Quiet and unchanged; sales reported at 35@37.

FEATHERS—In better demand and higher, and we now quote at 85@90 to the trade and the usual advance for small lots in store.

FLOUR—Continues quiet and unchanged. It is said that spring wheat flours, in many instances, do not give satisfaction, and that there is not much inquiry for them for family use, and that the bakers do not buy as much as formerly. This, of course, will tend to give winter wheat flour the preference, even at a higher cost. We continue to quote the former at $5.25@5.50, and the latter at $5.75@6.

GRAIN—Wheat is scarce in this market but the mills report that they are getting all they want from the west; we continue to quote at $1.15@1.15. Corn is offering pretty freely but prices are maintained, and there is no disposition to grant any more concessions in order to effect sales; we continue to quote ear at 80 on wharf and track and shelled at 85. Oats in limited supply but the demand is light and prices unchanged—47@48 on wharf and track and 50 in store. Barley continues dull and there are but few offers; we quote for prime spring at anything over $1.00. Rye is dull and unchanged at 95@$1.00.

HAY—The arrivals continue light which, of course, is owing mainly to the bad condition of the roads; sales from country wagons at $16@23.

HUSKS—Sales at 3 cents per pound.

HOMINY—Sales at $6.00@6.50 per bbl.

LIME—Sales of Cleveland white lime at $2@2.25 per bbl.

ONIONS—Sales at $2.50@3.00 per bbl, the outside figure for choice.

LARD OIL—No. 1 Extra is quoted firm at $1.49@1.50.

PROVISIONS—Market easier and drooping; shoulders, 14½ for plain and 15½ for sugar cured; sugar cured hams, 21; breakfast bacon 20¼@21. Lard, 18@18½ in tierces, and Meats pork, $21@21.50.

POTATOES—Quiet and unchanged; we continue to quote at 55@60.

POULTRY—Dressed Chickens 12@14, and dressed Turkeys 16@20. Live Chickens, 50@55 c. per pair, by the coop

PEANUTS—Quoted at 9@10 cts.

PEARS—Dribble at $2.50 per bushel.

SEEDS—Sales of Timothy seed at $3.75@4; and Clover seed at $8@8.25. Flaxseed is dull and cannot be quoted above $2.10.

SALT—Is dull, and Allegheny River brands are quoted at $1.80 by the carload, with the usual advance for small lots in store.

STRAW—Sales at $14@15 per ton.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Jan. 7, 1870.

There is nothing new or important in the oil business, and the market is dull and unchanged. As has been the case for some time past, there is little or no inquiry for Crude or refined, either for present or future delivery, while at the same time the offerings are by no means large.

CRUDE.

Sale 1,000 bbls seller this month (40@45) at 12¼; 500 do do, (40@45) at 12½, 40@45, oil either on spot or seller January, quoted at 12¼; the inside figure offered and the outside figure asked.

REFINED.

Sales: 1,000 bbls January at 30; 1,000 February at 30¼; 1,000 January at 30; 500 do at 29¾. Private advices from Philadelphia to day, report that the sales there were unusually large yesterday, Pittsburgh selling and New York buying. Antwerp unchanged at 60¼ francs.

RECEIPTS OF CRUDE OIL BY A. V. RR.

Peerless Oil Works 240, on account Rose Bros Owsston & Sowers 1,209, on account Owston & Sowers; Chrystal Oil Works 416, on account Fisher Bro; Jas. Wilkins 520, on account; Phila. & Boston Pet. Co. 300.

Total..... 2,194 bbls.

SHIPMENTS OF OIL BY A. V. R. R.

Lockhart, Frew & Co. 256 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.

Standard Oil Co., 561 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Phila.

Total refined..... 817 bbls

PITTSBURGH IRON MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, January 7, 1870.

The iron business, as is nearly always the case at this particular season of the year, is dull, as most of the mills have stopped to take stock and make repairs. The demand for metal continues light, as manufacturers are not disposed to carry any more stock than they can help, and while the market is weak the offerings are not very large, and the great proportion of the receipts are being put in yard to await better times. The commission men understand the situation—they know that there are but very few buyers, and that to throw even a small amount on the market, would only tend to make it worse for their principals, and instead of making any great effort to sell, they are quietly storing their consignments out of the way.

ANTHRACITE.

50 tons	$41.00 5 mos
50 " No. 1 Foundry	42.00 4 mos
10 " No. 1 Ex. Foundry	43.00 4 mos
300 " do do	37.00 4 mos

BITUMINOUS COAL SMELTED FROM LAKE SUPERIOR ORE.

200 tons Medium Gray Forge to arrive	$36.00 30 ds
250 " Open Gray Forge	37.50 5 mos
200 " Common Clear Gray and Mottled	36.00 6 mos
200 " Gray Neutral	37.00 6 mos
150 " " "	37.00 6 mos
70 " " "	37.50 4 mos
60 " Mottled Red Short	38.00 6 mos
120 " Common Grade Close Gray Forge	35.50 6 mos
100 " Open Gray to arrive	37.50 5 mos
75 " Foundry No. 1	38.00 4 mos
100 " Gray Forge	36.00 6 mos

CHARCOAL.

200 tons Ex. Charcoal F'ge	$50.00 6 mos
45 " No. 1 Foundry Hanging Rock	47.00 5 mos
37 " No. 2 Foundry Hanging Rock	45.00 4 mos
58 " Foundry Common Rock	43.50 4 mos

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, January 7.—The dry goods market continues inert, yet steady, for most classes of staple goods. In prints and cottonades there is a moderate inquiry for early southern trade, but there is no general opening as yet, and the prices are not fully established; Sprague's new styles of prints have been selling at 12½c, but new and rich styles have come forward to-day which opened at 12@12½c. Cocheco and Allens are in American Dunnels and Allens are in good display, and are selling at 12@12½c; also heavy sheetings of the best makes are firm at 16c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Cotton quiet and steady; sales 1,800 bales at 25½c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts 6,671 bbls, dull and unchanged; sales 2,800 bu; western $5.25@6.20, common to choice extra state $5.15@6.25. Whisky a shade firmer; western $1 free. Wheat—receipts 9,888 bu, and closes slightly more active in buyers' favor; sales 78,000 bu at $1.10 for No. 3 spring, $1.19@1.22½ for No. 2 do., the latter an extreme, $1.26 for inferior red western, $1.29@1.32 for winter red and amber western, $1.45@1.50 for Michigan. Rye quiet. Barley more active and in favor of buyers; sales 18,600 bu at $1.10@1.20 for Canada East, $1.25@1.32 for Canada West. Barley malt heavy; sales 2,800 bu at $1 @1.10 for state, $1.27½ for Canada West. Corn—receipts 12,800 bu, dull, heavy and declining; sales 22,000 bu, at 90@93c for new western mixed, 97c for new yellow southern, 97@$1 for new white southern, and old mixed western nominal at $1.05@1.07. Oats—receipts 5,500 bush; market more active and lower; sales 75,000 bush at 66@62½c for western; 64@65c for State. Rice dull. Coffee steady. Sugar steady; sales 300 hhds Cuba at 11@11½c. Molasses dull; sales 48 bbls N. O. at 75@80c. Hops firm at 18@20c for American. Petroleum steady at 15¾; crude 30¼@30½c. Linseed Oil quiet at 90@91c in casks. Turpentine firmer at 44½@45c. Pork firmer and in fair demand; sales 350 bbls at $22@22.50 for new mess; $22 for old do.; $24@25 for prime, and $26@26.50 for prime mess; also 3,750 bbls new mess at $23@23.12, seller February; $23.25, seller March; $25, seller six months. Beef steady; sales 150 bbls at $5@13 for new plain mess; $10@17 for new extra mess. Tierce Beef dull; sales 100 tierces at $22@23 for prime mess; $27@30 for India mess. Beef Hams firm; sales reported of 90 bbls at $32@34 for new. Cut meats heavy; sales reported of 90 pkgs at 11@12c for shoulders; 14@16c for hams. Middles dull, with sales 85 boxes Cumberland cut at 14½c, and 50 boxes long clear on private terms. Dressed Hogs a shade firmer, with sales firmer, with sales 600 tierces at 15¾@16¾c for steam and 17@18c for kettle rendered; also sales 1,250 tierces steam, seller February, at 16¼@16½c. Butter steady at 18@30c for Ohio. Cheese quiet at 10@17½c. Freights to Liverpool without decided change. Shipments per steamer: 15,000 bush wheat at 4d and 500 bbls flour at 1s 3d.

Latest—Flour market closed dull and without decided change in price. Wheat lower and dull at $1.19@1.21½ for No 2 spring, $1.29@1.31 for winter red and amber western. Corn lower and dull at 60@62c for western. Corn dull and nominal at 90@94c for new and $1 @1.07 for old mixed western. Pork firm; $22.25 bid for mess for February and $23.50 asked, with sales of 750 bbls seller March at $26.50. Beef quiet and unchanged. Cut meats steady with moderate demand. Bacon dull and nominal. Lard firm, with sales of 250 tierces prime seller March at 16c. Eggs steady, with fair demand at unchanged prices.

CHICAGO, January 7.—Eastern exchange scarce at 1-10 premium, selling. Flour, in fair demand at $3.25@4.50 for spring extra. Wheat firmer and active, at 76@76½c higher for No. 1, sales at 85c; No. 2, 1c higher, early sales at 77¾@77c; later at 77¼c; closing with buyers, at 77½c, and sellers, at 77¾c. Corn more active and higher; sales of No. 2 at 70½@73c; closing at 71½c for regular. Oats quiet and a shade stronger, at 40@40½c for No. 2. Rye quiet but firm; sales at 72c for No. 1, and 68c for No. 2. Barley dull and nominal, at 75@80c for No. 2. Pork active and higher, at $21@22. Sugar at 11¼@13½c for common to choice Orleans. Meats firm, at $27.50@28 cash and seller February; prime mess pork, seller February, 1st. Lard in fair demand and ½c higher, at 16c cash, 16½c seller February. Meats: prime short ribs 15¼; short ribs, seller February, 14¾; dry salted hams firmer and ½c higher, 13¾@14c for green, and 14¾@15c for sweet pickled. Dressed hogs active at $10@11, closing at $10@10.75 for good lots, dividing on 200. Receipts for the past 24 hours: 7,079 bbls flour, 37,000 bush wheat, 146,000 bush corn, 16,518 bush oats, 2,999 bush rye, 3,454 bush barley, 7,383 hogs. Shipments, 4,330 bbls flour, 11,812 bush wheat, 41,000 bush corn, 4,400 bush oats, 4,500 bush barley, 4,234 hogs.

ST. LOUIS, January 7.—Tobacco quiet and unchanged. Cotton: sales of Mississippi at 23c. In hemp there is nothing doing. Flour very dull, with superfine at $4@4.25, choice double extra $5.15@5.25, choice triple extra $5.75@6. Wheat dull and heavy; No. 2 red fall sold at 97½c, No. 1 do, in elevator, $1.10@1.15, choice $1.20, choice fancy white $1.25@1.30. Corn dull and lower, at 60c for mixed in bulk, 64c for white, 68@70c for mixed and yellow, sacked, white 70@75c. Oats dull and lower, at 45c in bulk, 50½@52c sacked. Barley dull, at $1.12½ for minor spring, $1.30@1.50 for Missouri fall. Rye dull, at 80c for choice. Whisky is very dull at 91c. Groceries quiet and unchanged. Provisions are thoroughly demoralized, and entirely nominal. Pork is offered at $27, without buyers. In dry salt meat and bacon there were no sales. Lard is very dull, and in retail sales of choice at 16c, which is the best price for choice kettle in lots.

Cattle are in pretty good demand at $3@6½c for inferior to choice. Hogs dull and heavy at 7¾@8c for light to extra.

CLEVELAND, January 7.—Flour market dull and lower; country brands double extra $6 50@7; red double extra $5.25@5.75; amber double extra $5.25@6; spring double extra $5.25@6. Buckwheat flour: the market steady and demand good at $7 50@8. Wheat: no transactions reported and prices are nominal. Corn dull and entirely nominal. Oats: nothing doing, and holders asking 50c for No. 1 State. Rye dull and nominal at a range of 80@90c. Barley dull and inactive, and held at 90c@$1 as the nominal rates. Petroleum lower, refined being held at 25@25½c in large lots, and 26@26½c in small lots; crude $5 30 per barrel.

TOLEDO, Jan. 7.—Flour active. Wheat dull and without material change;ember sold at $1.05; buyers at $1.04¾; No. 1 red $1.08; No. 2 red held at $1.03, with $1.02½ bid; No. 1 white Michigan $1.15@1.16, closing at the inside. Corn: old 1.16, closing at the inside. Corn: old dull at 90@93c. Barley dull and inactive, and held at 90c@$1 as the nominal rates. Petroleum lower, refined being held at 25@25½c in large lots, and 26@26½c in small lots; crude $5 30 per barrel.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to recede steadily at this point with 7 feet 3 inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks. The weather has again turned cold, the mercury indicating 20 to 21 all day.

Business continues very dull at the landing, freights for all points being scarce, and boats continue to experience considerable difficulty in picking up a trip.

The Camella left for Cincinnati and Louisville last evening with a slim trip.

The Vicicress arrived and departed for Wheeling as usual.

The Nellie Rogers departed for St. Louis with a moderate trip. Pilots—Capt. Thos. Rogers and Jas. Whitten.

The Glasgow, Captain Andy Robinson, will be the first boat out for Nashville.

The Argosy did not get in until last night, having been delayed considerably by the storm. She will depart again for Portsmouth to day, provided the ice is not too heavy to render navigation hazardous.

The high-headed Glendale, Capt. Hare, is filling up steadily and will be the first boat out for St. Louis.

The Maggie Hays, Capt. R. C. Martin, is announced for New Orleans.

The R. C. Grey arrived from St. Louis on Thursday night—she will lay by for a while.

The Messenger, Sallie and Wild Duck, all from New Orleans, are enroute for this port; also, the Kate Putnam from St. Louis.

—Some days ago we published an account of the sinking of the steamer Rebecca, at Parkersburg, by a collision with one of the railroad bridge piers at that point, in which the bridge company were construed by the Coroner's jury for obstructing the channel. The Parkersburg *Gazette* publishes the following, correcting our statement: "Captain Mohiman, who furnished the information upon which the article is based, we understand, is President of the company to which the Rebecca belongs. The Captain evidently did not hear the evidence before the coroner's inquest that was held in Parkersburg, or see the verdict of the jury, or he could not have made such a mistake in his facts. The verdict of the jury was that the Rebecca was injured "from striking a barge fastened to the Virginia side of pier No. 3 of the Bridge," which is outside of the channel span, and that "the pilot on duty on said steamer Rebecca at the time of the accident, by mistake passed between piers Nos. 2 and 3, instead of 3 and 4, which were designated by proper signals as one of the regular channels of the river, thereby causing the collision as aforesaid." The law compelling the construction of this bridge provides for but one channel span, as at Steubenville, where in high water but one channel is used, and at Wheeling, with a twenty-five feet rise of water, there is not more than forty feet from the surface of the water to the bottom of the bridge. This is a liberal consideration for the interests of navigation the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company have expended over $100,000 in channel span at this place fifty feet (of course at a large expense,) and not only this, but have added another channel by making two spans of three hundred and fifty feet each, and ninety feet space clear above the water. It was proved that the Rebecca was not injured, it was not claimed that there were lights on the stone-barge; there they were not believed to be necessary, as the barge was not in the channel. The stone barge which had been in use in the channel during the day, was removed before dark, so as to leave the regular channel unobstructed. We have no disposition to find fault with any of the parties concerned in this unfortunate Rebecca, but simply state the facts as they actually occurred.

—The Natchez *Democrat* in relating the Wild Wagoner and Richmond collision, says: It seems that the Wild Wagoner was heading to land at New Texas landing, and the Richmond was tied up to back out to proceed, as the pilot of the Wagoner thought, down stream, on her way to New Orleans. Acting on this impression, he steered his boat so as to make the landing as the Richmond backed out, and the pilot of latter boat immediately put her ahead to yard above the landing some distance, ran into the Wagoner and struck her amidships before the pilot could avert the disaster. A scene of confusion ensued among the passengers, but beyond the damage done to the Wagoner, there was no injury sustained.

—The three steamers, Tyrone, John Lumsden and Talisman, composing the Cairo and Nashville Packet line, are not doing much business, but are confident dependent—except to an agreed tariff of prices for freight and passage. If either of these boats get behind schedule time the one so doing forfeits one hundred dollars to the boat following. The Tyrone forfeited one hundred dollars to the Lumsden last week.

—The officers of the Dardanelle report a heavy run through ice for forty miles below Fort Smith, on her last trip out of the Arkansas.

—The damage to the Major Anderson is more serious that at first reported. She is repairing at Wheeling.

—The Mary Forage, Pittsburgh to St. Louis, passed through the canal at Louisville on Wednesday.

—The Lorena and Messenger from New Orleans, were at Evansville on Wednesday.

—The Kate Putnam was to have left Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Thursday.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD—For the last twenty-four hours, January 7.—34 bales flax, Jas Carney; 23 dressed hogs, Henry Rea Jr; 1600 bls pork, P Christy; 20 bbls meal, 10 bbls pork, W H Eagan; 37¼ bbls flour, 130 sks feed, J A Dietz; 25 dox brooms, Bruggerman & O'Brien; 11 bxs butter, J W Graff; 10 bgs buckwheat flour, J W McGuire; 2 cars lime-stone, Laughlin & Co; 13 kgs spikes, W H Brown; 171 bgs corn, 33 do rye, Burke & St Clair; 3 pkgs mdse, Siebert & Berg; 24 bdls shovels, Myers & Armor; 21 pkgs scraps, Hoveler & Co; 25 bxs soap, 5 pkgs lard, W Franco; 8 sks rags, McCullough, Smith & Co; 2 bxs tobacco, A Schaub; 1 car shingles, McQuaan; 6 Douglas; 5 cars corn, Dan Wallace; 200 bbls flour to owners.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, January 7.—49 bgs barley, 8 do rye, 82 do wheat, 8 Hood; 27 do barley, 26 do oats, 8 do wheat, Fred Schlaid; 5 bbls cider, Volgt, M & Co; 2 dressed hogs, Meanor & Harper; 10 hides, Lapp & Shaw; 2 pkgs mdse, 1 pkgs butter, W H Graff & Co; 3 cars lumber, J A Marshall; 19 dressed hogs, Hipley & Rocker; 40 lcs lard, W B Howard; 50 bbls chickens, Shipton & Wallace; 25 do do, Little & Mechling; 25 do do, R Wood & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, January 7.—9 cars iron ore, Shoenberger & B; 1 do ore, Graff, B & Co; 2 do do, Everson, P & Co; 100 bbls lime, Adams & Co; 8 kgs lard, 15 pkgs sundries, Volgt, M & Co; 4 rolls leather, Aiken & Co; 1 bbl s iron, P Considine; 1 e machine, Wm. Sumner & Co; 1 safe, Burke & St Clair; 3 car loads stone, Berg; 24 bdls shovels, Myers & Armor; 21 pkgs scraps, Hoveler & Co; 25 bxs soap, 5 pkgs lard, W Franco; 8 sks rags, McCullough, Smith & Co; 2 bxs tobacco, A Schaub; 1 car shingles, McQuaan; 6 Douglas; 5 cars corn, Dan Wallace; 200 bbls flour to owners.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CONSUMPTION.

DR. SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP for the cure of Cough, Colds and Consumption.

DR. SCHENCK'S SEAWEED TONIC for the cure of Dyspepsia and all the Debilitated Conditions of the Stomach.

DR. SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS, for Diseases of the Liver or to act as a Gentle Purgative.

All of these three Medicines are often required in curing Consumption, though the Pulmonic Syrup alone has cured many desperate cases. The Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills assist in regulating the Stomach and Liver, and help the Pulmonic Syrup to direct and search through the blood vessels, by which means a cure is soon effected.

These Medicines are conscientiously offered to the Public as the only safe, certain and available remedy for Pulmonary Consumption, and for all those morbid conditions of the body which lead to that fatal disease. Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia are often forerunners of Consumption, and w on they manifest themselves they require the most prompt attention.

The Pulmonic Syrup is a medicine which has had a long probation before the public. Its value has been proved by the thousand cures it has made through a period of more than thirty-five years, in all of which time its reputation has increased and the most great men and physicians can no longer doubt that it is a remedy which may be used with confidence in all cases which admit of a cure.

If the patient will perseveringly follow the directions which accompany each bottle, he will certainly be cured, if his lungs are not too much wasted to make a cure possible. Even in cases supposed to be incurable, when friends and physicians have despaired, the use of this Medicine has saved the life of the patient and restored him to perfect health.

Dr. Schenck does not claim that all cases of Pulmonary Consumption are within the reach of medicine, but he emphatically asserts that often when patients have the most alarming symptoms, such as a violent cough, expecting chills, night sweats, general debility, etc., to such a degree that they are obliged to lie in bed, and when they are given up by their physicians they may still be cured. No medical treatment can cicatrize the lungs, but when the lungs are very sound yet diseased and to some extent destroyed, a cure may be effected by Dr. Schenck's medicines.

Also, in Scrofulous Diseases, these medicines are equally efficacious. Dr. Schenck has photographs of a number of persons who have been nearly covered with running sores and now all healed up. This shows its purifying properties, which must be able to heal a diseased lung.

In the treatment of Consumption it is of the utmost importance to give vigor and a healthy tone to the system. Hence it is necessary to stimulate the appetite of the patient and improve the digestion. Proper nourishment is required together with such means as will make the food easily digestible. The articles most suitable for the diet of Consumptives are enumerated in Dr. Schenck's Almanac, which can be obtained gratuitously. In general all the most highly nutritious articles are to be preferred, but the digestive organs must be in a condition to enable them to make either food or medicine nutritious. This particularly applies to the Seaweed Tonic, and for this purpose it was designed.

When the digestive powers are put in good order, the food has its proper effect on the blood of the patient; it invigorates and strengthens the lungs, enabling them to perform their functions in a healthy manner. Then the healing powers of Pulmonic Syrup can well effect a cure.

Although Consumption is almost always complicated with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, Schenck's Mandrake Pills are in ended to remove obstructions from the Liver, and restore a healthy action. Patients who think their liver is affected by calomel or "blue mass," may safely take Mandrake Pills, which is a vegetable preparation, perfectly free from any mineral poison. These Pills exert the most powerful influence upon the Liver, but do not gripe or cause nausea, sick headache, piles, or loss of time, and all other diseases which arise from a torpid or obstructed condition of the Liver, yield to these pills will prove the efficacy of the medicine.

In Consumption the Sea Weed Tonic and Mandrake Pills are invaluable auxiliary medicines. They relieve the suffering of the patient and assist the Pulmonic Syrup in effecting a cure. They have been found useful in advanced stages of Consumption, where the lungs are almost entirely destroyed and all symptoms according to the judgment of the physician to lead speedily to death. The lives of patients who were actually lying in a dying condition have been preserved for months by the use of Schenck's three great remedies.

Dr. Schenck's Almanac contains a full treatise on the various forms of disease, the best mode of treatment, and general directions how to use his medicines, and may be obtained gratuitously by addressing his Principal Office, No. 15, North sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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