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FOREIGN NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP

AMERICA.

ONE WEEK LATER INTELLIGENCE FROM EUROPE.

HALIFAX, Dec. 11.

The Steamer America, from Liverpool, arrived here at 6 o'clock this morning.

The Baltic arrived at Liverpool at half past 10 o'clock, on Thursday morning preceding the sailing of the Steamer, she encountered unusually heavy weather throughout her passage from New York.

ENGLAND.

There is greatly increased excitement in England and Scotland, in regard to the anti Papacy movement.

The Daily News asserts that the Attorney General is preparing a bill to make penal the building of English cities by the Catholic clergy, and the Times significantly remarks that Lord of Parliament in the first, as he assuredly will be in the last Session of Burning the Convent.

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Immense meetings, denouncing the entire agitation, are going on in the country, have been held in some cases in the streets, and in some cases in the open air, are assuredly and beyond all bounds of Burning the Convent.

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FRANCE

The Constitutionnel from Paris announce that M. de Persigny is appointed to have expressed his concern at the late King of Greece's abdication, differing in attaining the wishes and disposition of his people, and at his son not succeeding him, and says my further concessions.

ROME.

The latest advices from Rome state that the Propaganda effect to inform all the Bishops in England of the late Papal aggression, and profess to regard it as a mere matter of etiquette.

GERMANY.

The latest news from Germany is in no respect less pacific, and in the view of Austria has critical and complete feel than they had been for two weeks previous to the calling of the Assembly.

PRUSSIA.

The Prussian Chamber was opened on the 21st, by a speech from the King, which is regarded as favorable to the war party. He says, "We seek no war, but we demand an arrangement of the general Fatherland-suitable to our present position in Europe and Germany, and sufficient to the considerable amount of sacrifice that we have placed in our hands. We have a good old right and will defend it to the utmost under every form we may consider necessary. We owe it to Germany, we owe it to ourselves, we owe it to Germany in general."

The distance between Potsdam and the Bavarian frontier is 400 miles, very much on the 50th, and in a corner of the Austrian Empire between the two can find any satisfactory connection. The latest intelligence points a good deal more peaceable.

The Austrian and Federal army in Hesse is suffering for want of provisions, and the commander has informed the Prussian General that he will be compelled to advance. General Gerlach replied that they might advance unless an command would send a part, unless supplies were sent back whither.

The Chamber of Deputies has rejected by large majorities the motion to censure the late coup d'etat. Prussia is said to be concentrating troops on the frontier.

Advices from Berlin to the 29th, report a treaty between Austria and Prussia, by which the latter is to be a war against Russia.

Also, that the war fleets in the Baltic, subject to the Prussian Admiral.

LATER FROM HAVANA.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 11.

The steamer Isabella, Capt. Rollins, has arrived, with dates from Havana to the 7th, and from Key West to the 8th inst.

The Cholera had entirely disappeared from Havana, but had reappeared in several other parts of the Island.

All was quiet when the Isabella sailed. There was every prospect that new Sugars would open at high prices, and contracts had already been made for shipment to Spain, at 7½@11¼ rials, deliverable in March.

A large number of Spanish vessels were waiting for the new crop, in order to prevent early shipments to the United States.

Small parcels of Molasses, of this season's manufacture, have made their appearance, and contracts for first cargoes have been settled at 3 rials. For large cargoes, deliverable in February, 24 rials have been accepted.

Coffee is in demand, at 9@10 rials for fair to good.

STATE CONVENTION.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 13.

The Convention has been engaged for several days on the subject of taxation, without any action.

To day there was a long and animated debate on a proposition to tax Ohio and U. States bonds held by citizens of Ohio.

CHOLERA ON THE RIVER.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 13.

Every boat from New Orleans has more or less cholera on board—confined chiefly to emigrants.

GEORGIA CONVENTION.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Dec. 10

DECEMBER 11.

The Convention met in this city to day.

Mr. McIntosh was elected President; Messrs. Miller, of Richmond, and Wofford of Habersham, Vice Presidents, and Mr. Butler, of Bibb county, Secretary.

Nothing of importance was done. The Convention adjourned till to morrow.

DECEMBER 11.

At the meeting of the Convention to day, a committee of fifty was announced.

Mr. Calhoun, of De Kalb, offered a resolution that all resolutions be offered to the committee without reading, which led to some discussion. It was finally agreed that the published be tabled, and the resolutions be read and referred.

After some further argument, the Convention decided on printing 5,000 copies of their proceedings, after which it adjourned.

STEAMER ALVARADO SUNK.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 13.

The steamer Alvarado, in ascending the Illinois river, ran aboon 100 tons freight, and a large number of passengers, was sunk by coming in contact with a snag about 60 on Thursday last. She lies in about 9 feet water. The freight consisted of groceries, hard ware, corn, &c.—totally damaged, and a portion entirely lost.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 13

Navigation on the Missouri and Illinois, and the Upper Mississippi rivers, is chaos.

The Ohio river is very low, but which will prevent the shipment of any produce from that region as early as usual.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 13, 1850.

The river has fallen, altogether, 18 inches. There are 10 feet on the falls, and falling rapidly. The weather is clear and cold.

Hogs—Sales at 4@4 10 @ 100. The open are empty. 52 thousand people attended the execution of Rose, at New Albany.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 13.

The number of hogs slaughtered in this city will reach 175,000; against 180,000 last year.

Hogs at St. Louis are selling at $3.75@4.00; at Alton, Ill., $3 60 per cwt. At the packing points on the upper rivers, prices range from $3.25@3.50. Above the Rapids of the Mississippi, as low as $2.75@3.00; and at Burlington, Iowa, $2.25@2.50 per cwt.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.

Hogs are dull again, and 5,000 were sold at $4 10 per 100.

Mess Pork—Sales of 500 bbls. at $10 50 per bbl.

Lard—Sales at 5½ per lb.

Bacon—Sales of 100 hhds. at 3½ for shoulders, and 5½ for sides.

Whiskey—Sales at $1@2 per gal.

PATENT OIL.

A NEW article, recently invented as a substitute for Sperm and other Oils. It is compounded of vegetable extracts, the basis of which are chemical oils, and will not coagulate. It has the appearance of clarified Sperm Oil—has burns with a much more brilliant flame—has no displeasant smell, will not injudicially soil cloth, is quite cheap—is thereof, and is free of smell, and will supersede from 3 to 5 cents per gallon from any danger of explosion. It burns profitably, giving a clear, steady light, unless smoky, grease, none. It can be used in any common oil lamp, with only the addition of a lamp tube, the expense of which will not exceed 12½ cents per lamp.

The above, together with the Lamps, Tubes, &c., and directions for using, may be had of

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Prepare for Christmas.

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French Currants ..... 10 cts per lb
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ST. LOUIS MARKET.

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Flour—The market is heavy; sales of 600 bbls. at $3 75, but nowonder this close there were no buyers at over $3 50.

Whiskey—Sales at 21@22c.

Hogs—The market is quiet, owing to the scarcity of cash. We hear of something to be interest by

Corn and Oats—Sales of Corn at 35@36, and of Oats at 19@20c.

Provisions—Sales of Mess Pork at $8.00@10; Sides at 3½ and Lard in bbls and tins at 6½, and in kegs at 7 @ 8. Of cut meats, we note sales 1,000 lbs from the store at 3½ for shoulders, and 5½ to 6 for sides.

Hog—No large sales have transpired. The prevailing rate is $3.75@4, according to quality and cold date.

In Tobacco, Hemp and Lead nothing is doing.

Freights to New Orleans—Flour, per bbl, 25c; Hemp, 25 @ 12½; Tobacco, 25 @ bhd; Corn, 12½ cts, per 9 bbls.

The weather is cold.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.

Sugar is steady, 4½@6c.

Molasses—Sale of 1200 bbls, at 21c @ gal.

Flour—The market is dull, at $4.31; coarse at $4.25 for large lots are nominal.

Grain—Sales Corn at 57c.

Coffee—Sales of 200 bags in the last few days, at 9½@10 cents and of 3500 lbs at 10½@10¾ @ lbs.

Whiskey—Sales at 21@22c @ gal.

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COMMERCIAL RECORD.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE AND MERCHANT'S EXCHANGE.

COMMITTEE FOR DECEMBER.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE, PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
Saturday evening, Dec. 14, 1850.

The weather yesterday was extremely cold and unpleasant for outdoor business, and the business done in the market was limited.

FLOUR—Very little came forward yesterday, and prices were, if any thing, more firm, and some advance of former prices was realized. Small lots were disposed of from first hands, at $3.85@3.90 for good & f to extra brands. From store the holding price was $3.90@3.97, with small sales.

GRAIN—The supplies of Grain coming in, and no sales of consequence come to our knowledge. We continue our quotations as follows, from first hands: Wheat, 75@80c, Rye, 50@60c; Barley, 75c; Corn, 45@ 48c; and Oats at 27½ @ bu

GROCERIES—We notice a general firmness in Groceries, at last quotations—say, for R B Sugar, 6½@6¾; N O Molasses, 26@27c for new and old; Rio Coffee, 12½@13c to day and yesterday's sale. Rice may be quoted at 2½, and Loaf Sugar at 9.10c @ lb.

BUTTER and CHEESE—There is a fair regular demand at full prices. Sales of extra roll, in small lots, at 16c of common and prime qualities do, at 11@12½; sales of keg at 9@9½.

DRIED FRUIT—Our last quotations are fully maintained—say, for Apples, 75c; and for Peaches, $1.25@ $1.31 @ bbl. 500 bushel Apples were sold at 75c.

BEANS—The sales are some 18 to 20 bbls, at $1@ 1.12½ @ bu.

ASHES—A fair general business has been done, as for Soda Ash, 3½@3¾; Pearl Ash, 6¼@6½; Saleratus, 5 @5½; Pots, 4¾@4¾; and Scorchings at 3½@3¾ @ lb.

FISH—We continue our quotations as for Salmon, $10; Shad, $11.50, No. 3 Mackerel, $7.50; No. 2, $10.50 and No. 1 at $12 @ bbl. Sales of pickled Herring at $3.50 @ bbl, and of Cod fish at $4.25 @ cwt.

PIG METAL—Sales of 25 tons Shapfeldt Furnace at $25, 6 months.

BANK STATEMENT—From a report of the late Secretary of the U.S. Treasury, recopied, we glean the following aggregate results, relative to the Banks in the United States.

The whole number of Banks and Branches in operation in the Union, at the commencement of the present year, was 824.

Total capital paid in, $211,317,281.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$344,801,079
Stocks	26,006,769
Real Estate	10,999,252
Other Investments	21,849,586
Due by other Banks	41,631,863
Notes of other Banks	23,509,048
Specie, Funds	15,402,329
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LIABILITIES.

Circulation	$131,566,907
Deposits	119,883,993
Due other Banks	26,599,254
Other Liabilities	9,653,200
The Circulating and Deposits	$310,953,121
Aggregate immediate Means	114,917,211
The Eastern States have Banks	297
Middle States	293
Southern States	97
South Western States	73
Western States	74

The Eastern States have $81,651,181 capital—the Middle, $70,933,681—the Southern, $23,675,231—the South Western, $21,320,000, and the Western, $9,504,067.

The Loans and Discounts in the Eastern sections, $92,210,000—in the Middle States, $140,758,000—in the Southern, $59,000,000—in the South Western, $14,600,000—and in the Western, $20,000,000.

The circulation and deposits in the several sections were as follows:

	CIRCULATION	DEPOSITES.
Eastern	$27,000,000	$16,854,000
Middle	41,899,000	64,764,000
Southern	22,227,000	9,677,000
South Western	10,000,000	12,334,000
Western	15,625,000	5,826,000

THE EASTERN STATES are—Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut.

MIDDLE STATES—New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland.

SOUTHERN STATES—Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia.

SOUTH WESTERN STATES—Alabama, Louisiana, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri.

WESTERN STATES—Incorporated in Florida, Texas, Arkansas, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, Oregon, California, District of Columbia.

The Pork Trade.

At Cincinnati, on the 9th, the market was heavy, and the advance of Saturday was not only maintained, but a further improvement was established. The sales reported, were per Dolphus—1,000, 600, 600 and 250 hogs, at $4 25@25 6-7 90, 900 do averaging 225 lbs at $4.12½, and 250 deliverable the last week in December, at $4.25. There was a sale last Saturday, but not before reported, of 515 head, at $4 25.

At Louisville, on the following day, there was a slaughter of 3,500 hogs, and sales were made of 1,000 hogs, at $3.96 net, and 1,000 hogs at $4. Receipt of hogs moderate, the whole number received "around the Falls," from far, is stated at near 10,000.

At Boston, Ohio, on the 5th inst., "Was large, and the supply is represented to be "not equal to" one half that of other seasons"—prices from $2 50 to $3.

The LaGrange Journal, of the 5th, says "a large number of hogs have been brought into market this week. The average price is $3 25.

FORT OF PITTSBURGH.

RIVER—There were 7 feet 0 inches in channel, at dusk, last evening, and falling.

ARRIVED

Fashion, Peebles, Elizabeth.
Meteor, Brice, Beaver.
Beaver, Gordon, Beaver.
Baltic, Hennen, Brownsville.
Atlantic, Parkinson, Brownsville.
J Mckee, Hendrickson, McKeesport.
Wm. Jackson, Pittsburgh, Mansfield.
Jas Nelson, Moore, Wheeling.
Empress No 2, Wilson, Cincinnati.
Empress, Cox, Zanesville.
Arena, Kinney, Wellsville.
Brilliant, Grace, Beaver.
Geneva, Wilkins, Nashville.
Mt Vernon, Koontz, New Orleans.
Jos Barker, Jr, Barker, Cincinnati.

BOATS LEAVING THIS DAY.

SUNFISH—Cashier, 4 p. m.
WELLSVILLE—Rosedile, 10 a. m.

REGULAR WHEELING AND BEAVER—The elegant packet steamer Cadiz, Capt. McMillan, will leave as above this day.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS AT PITTSBURGH.

ST. LOUIS—Per Telegraph—15 bbls lard oil, Wadsworth & Co; 7 do do, J & W Herbaugh; 10 do do, Wm Wood & Co; 154 coal oil, Bartlett, Mosher & Co; 1 do do, Wm Wood & Co; 1 do do, Wm Wood & Co; 1 do do, Wm Wood