The Pittsburgh Post.

James P. Barr, Editor & Proprietor. TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 18, 1863. Established 1842.

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A HIGHLY CONCENTRATED

Vegetable Extract.

A PURE TONIC.

Dr. Hoofland's

GERMAN BITTERS

PREPARED BY

DR. C. D. JACKSON, Philadelphia, Penna.,

Will effectually cure

Liver Complaint,

DYSPEPSIA, JAUNDICE,

Chronic, or Nervous Debility, Disease of the Kidneys, and all Diseases Arising from a Disordered Liver or Stomach, such as Constipation, Inward Piles, Fullness of Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or suffocating sensations when in a lying posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or webs before the sight, Fever and Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, and great depression of spirits.

And will positively prevent Yellow Fever, Bilious Fever, &c.

THEY CONTAIN

NO ALCOHOL OR BAD WHISKY

They will cure the above diseases in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred.

Induced by the extensive sale and universal popularity of Hoofland's German Bitters, (purely vegetable) hosts of ignorant quacks and unscrupulous adventurers, have opened upon suffering humanity the flood gates of Nostrums in the shape of poor whisky, vilely compounded with injurious drugs and christened Tonics, Stomachics and Bitters.

Beware of the innumerable array of alcoholic preparations in plethoric bottles, and big-bellied kegs, under the modest appellation of Bitters; which, instead of curing only aggravates diseases and leave the disappointed sufferers in despair.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS;

Are not a new and untried article, but have stood the test of fifteen years trial by the American public; and their reputation and sale, are not rivalled by any similar preparation.

The proprietors have thousands of Letters from the most eminent

Clergymen, Lawyers, Physicians and Citizens,

Testifying of their own personal knowledge, to the beneficial effects and medical virtues of these Bitters.

DO YOU WANT SOMETHING to STRENGTHEN YOU?

DO YOU WANT A GOOD APPETITE?

DO YOU WANT TO BUILD UP YOUR CONSTITUTION?

DO YOU WANT TO FEEL WELL?

DO YOU WANT TO GET RID OF NERVOUSNESS?

DO YOU WANT ENERGY?

Do you want to sleep well?

Do you want a brisk and vigorous feeling?

If you do, use

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.

PARTICULAR NOTICE.

There are many preparations sold under the name of Bitters, put up in quart bottles, compounded of the cheapest whisky or common rum, costing from 20 to 40 cents per gallon, the taste disguised by Anise or Coriander Seed.

This class of Bitters has caused and will continue to cause, as long as they can be sold, hundreds to die the death of the drunkard. By their use the system is kept continually under the influence of Alcoholic Stimulants of the worst kind, the desire for Liquor is created and kept up, and the results to all the horrors attendant upon a drunkard's life and death.

For those who desire and will have a Liquor Bitters, we publish the following receipt. Get One Bottle Hoofland's German Bitters, and mix with Three Quarts of Good Brandy or Whisky, and the result will be a preparation that will far excel in medicinal virtues and true excellence any of the numerous Liquor Bitters in the market, and will cost much less. You will have all the virtues of Hoofland's Bitters in combination with a good article of Liquor, at a much less price than these inferior preparations will cost you.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS,

AND THE FRIENDS OF SOLDIERS

We call the attention of all having relations or friends in the army to the fact that "HOOFLAND'S German Bitters" will cure nine tenths of the diseases induced by exposures and privations incident to camp life. In the lists, published almost daily in the newspapers, on the arrival of the sick, it will be noticed that a very large proportion are suffering from debility. Every case of that kind can be readily cured by Hoofland's German Bitters. Diseases resulting from disorders of the digestive organs are speedily removed. We have no hesitation in stating that, if these Bitters were freely used among our soldiers hundreds of lives might be saved, that otherwise will be lost.

We call particular attention to the following remarkable and well authenticated cure of one of the nation's heroes, whose life, to use his own emphatic language, "has been saved by the Bitters:"

PHILADELPHIA, August 23d, 1862.

Messrs. Jones & Evans—Well, gentlemen, your Hoofland's German Bitters has saved my life. There is no mistake in this. It is vouched for by numbers of my comrades, some of whose names are appended, and who were fully cognizant of all the circumstances of my case. I am, and have been for the last four years, a member of Sherman's celebrated battery, under the immediate command of Capt. R. B. Ayres. Through the exposure attendant upon my arduous duties, I was attacked in November last with inflamation of the lungs, and was for seventy two days in the hospital. This was followed by great debility, heightened by an attack of dysentery. I was then removed from the White House and sent to this city on board the steamer "State of Maine," from which I landed on the 28th of June. Since that time I have been about as low as any one could be and still retain a spark of vitality. For a week or more I was scarcely able to swallow anything, and if I did force a morsel down, it was immediately thrown up again.

I could not even keep a glass of water on my stomach. Life could not last much longer under these circumstances, and, accordingly the physicians who had been working faithfully, though unsuccessfully, to rescue me from the grasp of the dread Archer, frankly told me they could do no more for me, and advised me to see a clergyman, and to make such disposition of my limited funds as best suited me. An acquaintance who visited me at the hospital, Mr. Frederick Steinbron, of 6th below Arch Street, advised me as a forlorn hope, to try your Bitters and kindly procured a bottle. From the time I commenced taking them the shadow of death receded, and I am now, thank God for it, getting better. Though I have taken but two bottles, I have gained 10 pounds, and feel sanguine of being permitted to rejoin my wife and daughter, from whom I have heard nothing for eighteen months; for, gentlemen, I am a loyal Virginian, 13 miles in the vicinity of Front Royal. To your invaluable Bitters I owe the glorious privilege of again clasping to my bosom those who are dearest to me in life.

Very truly, yours, ISAAC MALONE.

We fully concur in the truth of the above statement, as we had despaired of seeing our comrade, Mr. Malone, restored to health.

JOHN CUDDLEBACK, 1st N. Y. Battery.
GEORGE A. ACKLEY, Co. C, 11th. Maine.
LEWIS CHEVALIER, 92d N. Y.
I. E. SPENCER, 1st Artillery, Battery F.
J. B. FASEWELL, Co B. 3d Vermont.
HENRY B. JEROME, Co B, do.
HENRY T. MACDONALD, Co C 6th Maine.
JOHN F. WARD, Co E, 5th Maine.
HERMAN KOCH, Co H, 72d N. Y.
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BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

See that the signature of "C. M. JACKSON," is on the WRAPPER of each bottle.

PRICE PER BOTTLE 75 CENTS, OR HALF DOZ. FOR $4.00.

Should your nearest druggist not have the article, do not be put off by any of the intoxicating preparations that may be offered in its place, but send to us, and we will forward, securely packed by express.

☞ Principal Office, and Manufactory, No. 1811 Arch street.

JONES & EVANS,

(Successors to C. M. Jackson & Co.,)

Proprietors

☞ For sale by Druggists and dealers in every town in the United States, and by

Dr. G. H. KEYSER, Pittsburgh.

B. P. SCHWARTZ.

☞ Also for sale at JOSEPH FLEMING'S corner of the Diamond and Market street.

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SIMON JOHNSTON, Corner Smithfield and Fourth street

A. J. RANKIN & CO., Market street three doors below 4th. Pittsburgh

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THE DAILY POST—ADVANCED RATES.

One year, by mail	$8 00		
Six months	4 25		
Three "	2 15		
One "	70		
One week, delivered in the city	18		
Single copies	3		
To agents per hundred	2 00		

NEW ADVERTISING RATES.

The following rates of advertising have been agreed upon by the Publishers of the Pittsburg Daily Press, to take effect on and after the 10th day of November, 1862, on all new contracts:

FOR STANDING MATTER.

PER SINGLE SQUARE, EVERY DAY.

One insertion	$ 60	Two months	$ 8 00
Two insertions	1 00	Three months	11 00
Three insertions	1 25	Four months	13 00
One week	2 00	Five months	14 00
Two weeks	3 50	Six months	15 00
Three weeks	5 00	Nine months	20 00
One month	6 00	One year	25 00

FOR CHANGEABLE MATTER.

Which allows the privilege of a weekly change of matter, to be inserted among new advertisements.

PER SINGLE SQUARE, EVERY DAY

Six months	$18 00
Twelve months	30 00
Administrators' Notices	2 25
Marriage Notices	75
Death Notices, each insertion	50

☞ All advertisements ordered in for one Month, or less time, to be cash at the time of ordering.

DAILY POST.

THE REaCTION IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Candid Statement by a Rebel Print.

The Raleigh *Standard* of a recent date copies an article from the Raleigh *Daily Progress*, which expresses great fear that unless the war is stopped slavery will be obliterated, &c., and adds:

We agree with our contemporary in much of the above. But we have no idea that peace can be obtained upon our own terms. The most powerful nations seldom succeeded in doing that; what the greater mass of our people desire is a cessation of hostilities and negotiations.—If they could reach that point they would feel that the conflict of arms would not be renewed, and that some settlement would be effected which would leave them in the enjoyment of life, liberty and happiness.

It is a great crime, especially at a time like this, to conceal the truth. We intend to tell the truth as far as we know it, let the consequence be what it may. From the beginning of the war until the present the enemy has slowly but surely gained upon us; and but for the extraordinary endurance and courage of our troops, his flag would now be floating at the capital of every State. We have lost Missouri, Maryland, Kentucky, Tennessee, the Mississippi valley, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, and considerable portions of other States. Vicksburg has fallen, as we feared it would. Charleston, Mobile and Savannah, will probably go next. Port Hudson has fallen. Gen. Lee is attempting to retire from Maryland with his spoils but no substantial victory crowned his arms. We are weaker to day than when he crossed the Potomac into Maryland.—Our recruits in the way of conscripts will scarcely keep our regiments full, as we cannot hope to add materially to our forces. Our fighting population is pretty well exhausted. Everybody knows this—the North knows this and so does Europe.

On the contrary our enemy, flushed with triumph, have a larger army in the field, and their President has just called for three hundred thousand more. He will get them. The movement on Pennsylvania by Gen. Lee, and the fall of Vicksburg and Port Hudson have hushed all clamors for peace in the North and have banded the people there as one man for the prosecution of the war. We have nothing to hope for from foreign nations, and just as our cause is, we see no indication that Providence is about to interpose in our behalf. The war will then go on. One side or the other must conquer. Will five millions of whites conquer twenty millions of the same race? Will they conquer a peace on the very soil of these twenty millions? Not in any event, if these twenty millions possess ordinary manhood and will fight. They fought at Sharpsburg and Gettysburg, and they worsted us at the latter place. Northern troops are not cowards. We cannot achieve signal victories over them on their own soil. If the worst is destined to overtake us, would it not be wise and prudent to take less than the worst if we can do it honorably.

The Richmond *Enquirer* recently declared that there were but two roads before the South—one, to invade the North and conquer a peace, and the other to restore or reconstruct the old government. That paper was either indulging vain speculations as to the future, or it will be prepared to abandon the contest if General Lee should fail in his effort to conquer a peace by invading the North. To abandon the contest or attempt to subdue the presence of Northern armies on our soil, and to resist them only by guerrilla warfare, is most probably to be conquered. It does not follow that a nation is not conquered because its troops or a considerable portion of them are not whipped or captured. Whipped we never have been and never will be; but we may be overcome by mere physical force. Such was the fate of Poland, Hungary and Ireland. It is no disgrace to a people to be overpowered by mere brute force, if they resist manfully and desperately. No troops since civilization commenced have fought with more courage or constancy or ardor, than the Southern troops. Their future and the future of the country for which they are contending, can never be in any event otherwise than respectable and honorable among nations. We grope in the dark, looking for the designs and endeavor to interpret the workings of Providence in the affairs of nations. The birth of a nation on this planet is a great event. It it should please Him to build up and perpetuate this new nation of Confederate States, He will do it; if not, he will not do it. This is all we know about it.

It is time to consult reason and common sense, and to discard passion. That peace cannot be attained by fighting merely, is now apparent to all. In the language of a highly intelligent friend who writes us from a county bordering on the South Carolina line, "the people are tired of this awful war. It must end at some time, and there must be a starting point to an end. Let our next congressional elections turn on the propositions, that Congress shall appoint commissioners to meet others on the part of Lincoln to make an honest effort to stay the effusion of blood, by an honorable adjustment. Let what these commissioners may do be submitted to the people. If they approve it, peace will be the result. If they reject it the war will be renewed and continued indefinitely." If an honorable peace were tendered by the South and rejected by the North, desperation would then nerve every Southern arm and our people would share a common fate and fill a common grave. But this awful result, it seems to us, may be averted. It may do much good and can do no harm to talk—to negotiate or pave the way to negotiating while we fight.

We spoke just now of the worst befalling our people as the result of this war. What is the worst? It would be the condition of provincial dependence on the Federal Government, each State being ruled by a military governor as Tennessee is, and the emancipation of our slaves in our midst. That would be the worst. If the war continues is it not likely that this will happen? Judging the future by the past (and we have no other means of judging) we fear it will. What then? Must we rush on to our doom? Must the sword still wave and the strong arm of physical force still exert itself, and no effort be made by mental and moral means to close the war? Why, North American savages sometimes bury the tomahawk and meet together to smoke the pipe of peace. Are we of the North and South—Christians as we profess to be—more savage than the savages?

These are sad truths, but we feel it to be our duty to lay them before our readers. We do not censure others for entertaining their own opinions, and we have a right to express ours without censure from friend or foe. But censure, and even the grossest abuse, we feel sure we shall incur; yet "none of those things move us" when we know we are speaking the truth, for the sake of humanity and liberty, in the name of the people themselves, who ought to be, if they are not, practically the master of us all.

Is the Sun Inhabited?

Sir John Herschel concludes that the sun is a planet abundantly stowed with inhabitants—his inference being drawn from the following:

On the tops of mountains of sufficient height, at an altitude where clouds seldom reach to shelter them from the direct rays of the sun, are always found regions of ice and snow. Now, if the solar rays themselves convey all the heat on this globe, it ought surely be the hottest place where their course is least interrupted.

Again, aeronauts all confirm the coldness of the upper regions of the atmosphere. Since, therefore, even on earth, the heat of any situation depends upon the aptness of the medium to yield to the impression of the solar rays, we have only to admit that on the sun itself, the elastic fluids composing the atmosphere and the matter on its surface are of such a nature as not to be capable of any affection from its own rays. Indeed, this seems to be proved from the copious emission of them, for, if the elastic fluids of the atmosphere, or the matter on the surface of the sun, were of such a nature as to admit of any easy chemical combination with its rays, their emission would be very much impeded.

Another well known fact is, that the solar focus of the largest lens thrown into the air, will occasion no sensible heat in the place where it has been kept for a considerable time, although its power of exciting combustion, when proper bodies are exposed, should be sufficient to fuse the most refractory substances imaginable.

Thus, remarks the *Scientific American*, from arguments based solely upon the supposed physical constitution of that luminary, he deduces the somewhat astonishing idea that the sun is in reality inhabited.

He Wears Her Name Near His Heart.

Samuel Burns gave his name at the First District as a substitute. On examination the letters B. C. were handsomely marked upon his breast. When asked what was the meaning of the above letters, with a twinkle of the eye he exclaimed: "that's for Bridget Connelly, my sweetheart.'—*Providence Journal.*

WEEKLY MORNING POST.

A GOOD FAMILY NEWSPAPER,

JUST ISSUED,

Price in Wrappers, FIVE CENTS.

W. E. Schmertz & Co.,

NO. 31 FIFTH STREET,

Have just received a large and superior assortment of

MISSES AND CHILDRENS,

BALMORALS, BUTTON BOOTS,

EUGENIE, CONGRESS AND

LACE GAITERS.

PATENT LEATHER, KID,

AND MOROCCO SLIPPERS.

MOROCCO AND KID BOOTS, &c, &c.,

Which they are selling at very low prices. jul1

NEW DISCOVERY

To Strengthen and Improve the Sight.

THE Russian PEBBLE Spectacles,

PERSONS SUFFERING FROM DEFECTIVE SIGHT, arising from age or other causes, can be relieved by using the Russian Pebble Spectacles, which have been well tried by many responsable citizens of Pittsburgh and vicinity, to whom they have given perfect satisfaction. The certificates of these persons can be seen at my office.

☞ All who purchase one pair of the Russian Pebble Spectacles are entitled to be supplied in future free of charge with those which will always give satisfaction.

Therefore, if you wish to ensure an improvement in your sight call on

J. DIAMOND, Practical Optician,

Manufacturer of the Russian Pebble Spectacles,

jan16,dawly No. 89 Fifth street, Post Building

☞ Every place of business is closed on Saturday

FOR SALE.

THE VERY DESIRABLE RESIDENCE and Horticultural garden in the borough of Turtontum, Allegheny county, located on the second bank of the river, with a beautiful view of the river and railroad. The ground is in a high state of cultivation. There are upon the place on fourth of an acre of Strawberry, with 1,200 to 1,500 one and two year old young grape vines ready for planting this fall; also a lot of New Rochelle blackberries, from which there was made last fall 180 gallons of wine, and rhubarb and a few apple and peach trees coming in bearing, with flowering shrubbery, all of the choicest kind. The lot contains three acres, with a brick cottage with six rooms and a hall, and wash and lumber house, a stable, and never failing well of water at the door.

Wishing to domestic affiction I wish to sell and will make payments easy and give possession immediately. It would make a beautiful private residence or would suit a gardener, for which purpose it has been used. If not sold before the first of January it will be leased to a gardener on the shares.

For particulars enquire of W H McGee, Merchant Tailor, Allegheny City, or of the subscriber, living on the premises.

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Young Hyson.
Oolong.
Imperial.
Gunpowder.

100 half chest in store and for sale by

MILLER & RICKETSON.

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When this Cruel War is Over.

BY CHARLES CARROLL SAWYER.

Dearest love, do you remember,
When we last did meet,
How you told me that you loved me,
Kneeling at my feet?
Oh! how proud you stood before me,
In your suit of blue,
When you vowed to me and country
Ever to be true.

CHORUS.—Weeping sad and lonel
Hopes and fears how vain,
When this cruel war is over,
Praying that we meet again.

When the summer breeze is sighing,
Mournfully along:
Or, when autumn leaves are falling,
Sadly breathes the song,
Oft in dreams I see thee lying
On the battle plain,
Lonely, wounded, even dying,
Calling, but in vain.
CHORUS.—Weeping, sad, &c.

If amid the din of battle
Nobly you should fall,
Far away from those who love you,
None to hear your call—
Who would whisper words of comfort,
Who would soothe your pain?
Ah! the many cruel fancies
Ever in my brain.
CHORUS.—Weeping, sad, &c.

But our country called you, darling,
Angels cheer your way:
While our nation's sons are fighting,
We can only pray.
Nobly strike for God and country,
Let all nations see
How we love the starry banner,
Emblem of the free.
CHORUS.—Weeping, sad, &c.

BANKING HOUSES.

W. J. KOUNTZ.....PH. R. MERTZ

KOUNTZ & MERTZ,

BANKERS,

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DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND Domestic Exchange, Coin, Bank Notes, and Government Securities. Collections promptly attended to.

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—AND—

REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

OFFICE 89 GRANT STREET,

Opposite the Court House, Pittsburgh.

☞ Particular attention given to the settlement of Estates, sale and transfer of Real Estate, Examination of Titles, Soldiers claims, collections in any part of the west.

Prompt remittances, and full correspondence in regard to all business entrusted to our care.

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Wanted.

75 DOLLARS A MONTH! I WANT to hire Agents in every county at $75 a month, expenses paid, to sell my new cheap Family Sewing Machines. S. MADISON, Alfred, Me.

Wanted

60 DOLLARS A MONTH WE WANT Agents at $60 a month, expenses paid to sell our *Everlasting Pencils, Oriental Burners*, and 13 other articles. 15 circulars sent free. Address SHAW & CLARK, Bideford, Maine.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION. *Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met*, That the following amendments be proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof:

There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows:

SECTION 4. Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in actual military service, under the call of the President of the United States, or the authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are or shall be prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual places of election.

The third bill has two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, to be designated as sections eight and nine, as follows:

SECTION 8. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, except appropriation bills.

SECTION 9. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature granting any powers, privileges, in any case, where the authority to grant such powers, or privileges, has been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the courts of this Commonwealth.

JOHN CESSNA,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JOHN P. PENNEY,
Speaker of the Senate.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, Harrisburg, July 1, 1863.

PENNSYLVANIA, SS:

I do hereby certify that the foregoing and annexed is a full, true and correct copy of the original Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, entitled "A Joint Resolution proposing certain amendments to the Codstitution," as the same remains on file in this office.

L. S.

Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Secretary's Office to be affixed the day and year above written.

ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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KIER, GLOVER & CO.,

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A GOOD ARTICLE

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NEGLIGEE,

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TRAVELING SHIRTS,

of which we have received a large invoice of new and very handsome styles.

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5,000 BARRELS OF PURE RYE WHISKY, of different ages to suit purchasers, at lowest cash prices. For sale by THOS. MOORE, Distiller,

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ALL BUSINESS ENTRUSTED TO his care will receive prompt attention. Collections made and the money promptly remitted.

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SPADES, SHOVELS, HOOKS Forks, Scythe Stones, &c., for sale by

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COMMERCIAL INFORMATION.

Arbitration Committee of the Board of Trade.

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MONEY MARKET.

CORRECTED DAILY FOR THE MORNING POST BY RESSES. KOUNTZ & MERTZ, BROKERS. No. 118 WOOD STREET.

The following are the buying and selling rates for Gold, Silver, &c.:

	Buying	Selling
Gold	1 23	00
Silver	1 17	00
Demand Notes	1 22	00
Eastern Exchange.		
New York	par	¼
Baltimore	par	¼
Philadelphia	par	¼
Boston	par	¼
Western Exchange.		
Cincinnati	par	¼
Louisville	par	¼
Cleveland	par	¼
St. Louis	par	¼

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

Tuesday, Aug. 18th, 1863.

The market yesterday was dull and unsettled, buyers at present having the advantage. In fact they were perfectly independent, talked as if they did not wish to purchase. Holders said this was all very fine, but hinted that their day would come before long. From the feeling exhibited in the market it would be difficult to fix the rates. We quote nominally at Crude, 23, packages returned and 28@29½c with packages. Refined in bond, 48c; free, 58@60c.

In New York Crude has been stationary at 35c: at this figure it would be impossible to ship and save at the asking rates in this market.

The imports by the Allegheny river foot up, Crude, 1754; Refined, 436. By the A. V. R. R. 249 bbls Refined.

Exports East, 894 bbls.

Crude—We could not learn of a single transaction. Buyers refuse to take hold at present rates and holders are unwilling to submit to the decline demanded. We quote nominally in bulk at 23c; packages included, 28@29c.

Refined—Sales limited, the asking rate for prompt delivery of bonded being 48c; sales for October delivery at 55c; free held at 58@60c, the market closing with sellers but no buyers.

PITTSBURGH PRODUCE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY POST, Tuesday, Aug. 18th, 1863.

We have nothing of particular interest to state to our readers. That our market has been dull and flat for some time past is about as well known to our readers as to ourselves. In fact the weather is too warm for the transaction of any business that can be avoided. Our rivers are down to about forty-two inches. Light draught boats continue to leave our port pretty regularly, there being three new boats to go the present week.

Money matters presented but few changes. Gold and silver continue to decline steadily. Flour very dull, with more sellers than buyers. Dealers are very shy and refuse to take hold at the present asking figures. The sales were confined to lots to meet the wants of the local trade. The stock was sufficient to meet the demand. Grain—The demand is on the increase. Still we have but light sales to report. The receipts of new oats are on the increase. Bacon is firm and in good demand. The stock in first hands is not large. Country meat was pretty much disappeared. Groceries were firm and in moderate demand. Sugar is looking up, while coffee has a downward tendency. Molasses holds its own.

Flour—The market was dull in all its departments. In fact buyers at present have matters pretty much their own way. The sales were altogether local and confined to the wants of the home trade. Sale 150 bbls Extra from store at $5 25; 220 bbls Family at $5 75@6 25. Country brands from wagon lower.

Apples—Former prices were maintained. Sales of a small lot of new at $1 per bush.

Potatoes—The receipts are on the increase, but prices as yet rule pretty high; sales regular at 50@70c per bush.

Hay—The market was firm; sales at scales of now at $22@20; old $32@34 per ton.

Grain—The market was dull. Wheat, small sales of red from wagon at $1 35; white at $1 10. Oats, sales of new at 65c; old at 62c; in other descriptions there was nothing done.

Butter—Sales 11 tbs at 14@15c per pound, as per quality.

Cheese—Demand fallen off; sales 120 boxes W Reserve at 9@9½c.

Eggs—Sales 15 bbls at 8@9c per dozen.

Bacon firm. The supply rapidly disappearing; sales of 1,500 lbs shoulders 5¾; sides, 2800 lbs, 6¾c; plain hams, small lots, 9¼@9½; S. C. hams, 2,000 lbs 12½@13c.

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Hogs—The offerings were large and the demand only fair. Sales of common to prime were made at $7@7 5 per 100 lbs net, a decline of ¼c ⅌ lb on the better descriptions.

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