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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 13, 1864.

New Rolling Mills of 1863.

The increase of Rolling Mills at Pittsburgh, during 1863, is very striking. While two has been the greatest number previously constructed in any one year, there have been six constructed in 1863. To a brief recital of the size, character, capacity and aggregate cost of this heavy addition, not only to the general magnitude of the iron trade, but also to the number of Pittsburgh manufactories, we give a few paragraphs.

Messrs. Lyon, Shorf & Co., of the well known Sligo works, have erected a new and powerful plate mill for the rolling of armour plates for iron-clad war vessels. The power of this mill will be best shown by the fact that its rolls are of a sufficient size to turn out plates of eight feet wide, and from one to two feet in thickness, and of such lengths as may be desired. The mill building is two hundred feet in length, by one hundred and four feet in width. They have also erected a sheet mill ninety feet long by eighty-four feet wide, with ability to roll sheets of eight and a half feet wide. The capacity of these two is about forty tons a week.

Messrs. McKnight, of the Birmingham Works, have erected a new sheet iron and armor plate mill, the buildings of which are sixty by eighty feet. The plate mill has a capacity of fifty tons per week, and is constructed with a view to the rolling of sheet iron, for the production of which it has a capacity of one thousand tons a year.

The Messrs. Jones & Laughlins, of the American Works, have erected a building two hundred by one hundred and twenty-five feet, within which is constructed two sheet mills, and a twelve inch train for bar, and three eight inch trains for small iron, and hoops; three heating furnaces and two annealing furnaces. The capacity of these mills is thirty tons per day.

Messrs. Reese, Graff and Dull have built a forge, a plate mill and a sheet mill, occupying a building two hundred and five by one hundred and five feet. The plate mill is constructed for rolling armor plates for naval use, ten feet long and from one to one and a half inches thick, weighing from one thousand six hundred pounds to a ton each; the plate mill has a capacity of one hundred tons; the sheet mill a capacity of fifteen tons, and the forge of two hundred and ten tons a week. They have also erected a hoop mill of two trains with a capacity of eighty tons per week, the mill building of which is one hundred and twenty by seventy-five feet. It is, perhaps, proper to say that the capacity of the forge is the gross capacity of the works, the same iron being being rolled into sheet, bar and hoops in the mills. The firm is also about erecting an additional mill for manufacturing guide and bar iron, with a capacity of one hundred tons a week, and occupying a building one hundred and twenty by eighty-five feet; also a machine shop for the planing and finishing of armor plates.

Messrs. Everson, Preston & Co. have put up a very powerful mill of one hundred a week capacity, expressly for the production of armor plates. The mill buildings are two hundred and fifty by one hundred and thirty feet, and the rolls weigh from eight to ten tons each.

Messrs. Kloman & Phipps have also constructed a rolling mill, but of its dimensions, capacity and character we have at present no data.

Messrs. Wharton Brothers & Co. have also built a new mill for rolling small iron, but of its size and capacity we have no reliable figures.

Arrival of the 77th Regiment

The Seventy-seventh regiment, under command of Captain Lawson, arrived rather unexpectedly in the city to-day. They were met at the depot by the Mayor, accompanied by several citizens, and were formely welcomed by Mr. Lowry in a neat and appropriate speech. From the depot the regiment was escorted to the City Hall, where a substantial meal was provided for them by the Subsistence Committee. The regular reception address was delivered by John M. Kirkpatrick, esq. who appeared in his happiest vein and made, one of the most eloquent, soul-stirring, and patriotic speeches to which we have ever listened. Captain Lawson, responded briefly after which the regiment was formed into line, and, preceded by a brass band, paraded some of the principal streets, bringing up at the Girard House, where their arms were stacked and baggage deposited. The regiment has but one hundred and ninety-five men left of the eight hundred and fifty who passed through here two years ago, and of these, we believe, all have re-enlisted for the war. There are three companies from Allegheny county in the regiment, of whom, however, but very few now remain. The company which went out with Captain, now Col. Rose, has but nine men left, and the others are also badly used up. Col. Rose is a prisoner in Richmond, and Captain Lawson of East Liberty, is now in command. The regiment has seen many a bloody fight, but it always acquitted itself nobly, and comes back with a record of which it may well feel proud. We bespeak for the men during their stay among us the warmest hospitality.

Railroad Difficulty.—The committees appointed respectively by councils and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, to consider the difficulty in relation to the right of way for the Steubenville Railroad from the river to the Liberty street depot, held their first meeting Thursday. The city was represented by Messrs. Phillips, Reed, McCandless Coffin White and Mr. White, city solicitor; and the railroad company by Messrs. T. A. Scott, W. H. Howard and John H. Hampton. We need not go into a report of what transpired. It is enough to say that the conference was marked by a spirit of frankness and conciliation, and with such a desire to settle the matter amicably, that we feel satisfied the whole thing will now be arranged without the interference of the court.

Church Opening.—The church of St. Mary, Kittanning, was opened for divine service on Sunday last. Solemn High Mass was celebrated by Rev. F. L. Tobin, Rev. James Keogh, D. D., Deacon, and Rev. J. Schmidt, Subdeacon. After the Gospel Rev. Dr. Keogh preached on Sacrifice, the true way of worshipping God. In the evening solemn Vespers were sung, after which Rev. F. L. Tobin delivered a discourse on private judgment and church authority. The ceremonies closed with the benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Lecture.—Rev. Dr. Keogh will deliver a lecture for the benefit of the Mercy Hospital on Sunday evening, February 21st, in the basement of the Cathedral. Subject: "Modern Infidelity." Tickets 25 cents. Lecture to commence at half past seven o'clock.

The War Commenced.

The Philadelphia *Ledger* of Thursday says:

"It is understood that the New York State banks have appointed a committee to attend at Washington to watch the movements directed against their existence by the Secretary of the Treasury in his manifest determination to build up a new and what he esteems a better system of banking. His power to do this, by the increase of his official patronage against the one and in favor of the other, is great, and will ultimately, if continued, clear the field of banking of all State banks. Should the State banks make common cause and oppose to it all their influence, the struggle may be prolonged, but the issue, it seems to us, can have but one end, the winding up of all State banks of issue. We see it stated the Secretary has ordered that the revenue officers refuse to receive for taxes, licenses or other United States dues, any bills of the State banks. The Secretary's object is to drive out of circulation the bills of these banks, and to discredit them. Congress has not responded to his proposition to tax the issue of the State banks two and two-fifths per cent.; but the discrediting of their bills has the same effect. Must he not succeed, even if he does not secure the co-operation of Congress?"

Echo answers, will the Secretary succeed?

Our Book Table.

CHICKAMAUGA. *The Price of Chattanooga.* A description of the strategic plans, marches and battles of the campaign of Chattanooga, with illustative maps. By the author of the "Annals of the Army of the Cumberland." Philadelphia: J. B. Lippencott & Co.

Here is a very interesting work, which should be in the hands of all who wish to keep themselves thoroughly posted in the current events of the war as conducted by the Army of the Cumberland.

Twenty-First Volume.—On the 27th inst. the *Pittsburgh Catholic* will commence its twenty-first volume. The editor in referring to the matter says:—The recurrence of the anniversary of the first appearance of our paper naturally brings with it thoughts about its success in the past, and hopes not unmingled with anxiety for the future. As the organ of this Diocese and that of Erie, THE CATHOLIC has the first claim for support on the faithful of Western Pennsylvania. Yet, we regret to say, the support actually given is not at all commensurate with the numbers and the means of the Catholics of both Dioceses. The persevering energy of our worthy publisher has carried the paper through all difficulties, but the apathy of those who should have come forward to aid it, would have been enough to discourage many another man. This is not as it should be.

We reiterate the last sentence. This is not as it should be. The *Catholic* should have a large and remunerative circulation in Western Pennsylvania. The price of the paper is lower than that of any Catholic weekly in the country, and while many of its co-temporaries have lately made an advance in their subscription terms, it is not the intention of Mr Porter, its publisher, to follow their example; for most who profess to be Catholics aid, to the extent of their influence and individual support, to extend the circulation of the acknowledged organ of the church in this region. It is a duty they owe themselves and the church to which they belong.

The Bounty Board Question.—It is stated that the County Commissioners refuse to issue the bounty county certificates recommended by the late Tax Payers' Convention. In other words they decline taking any action whatever looking towards an issue of bonds until the Legislature has first given them authority to execute the same. The action of the Commissioners will have a tendency to retard subscriptions, but this can hardly be remedied now. They have the matter altogether in their own hands, and if they see fit to refuse to issue the certificates, there is no power that we know of to compel them to adopt a different course.

Death of a Young Officer.—Captain William Swain Small, of the 26th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, son of Col. William F. Small, died in Philadelphia on Tuesday. Captain S. entered the ranks of his father's regiment as a private, and rose to the post of a captain step by step. He participated in all the actions in which the 26th regiment was engaged with the Army of the Potomac.

Many of the old Mexican soldiers remember the brave and intrepid Captain Small, of the First Pennsylvania volunteers. If the son inherited his father's brave and chivalrous spirit, the army of the Union has lost an efficient officer.

Monongahela Water Company.—Mr. Bingham has read a bill in the House in relation to the Monongahela Water Company, the first section of which provides for an increase of the capital stock to an amount not exceeding $100,000 additional to the present capital, to be divided into shares of $25,00 each. Section two confers power, to borrow from time to time, an amount not exceeding $50,000, and to make and execute a mortgage or mortgages upon the property and income of the corporation for security of the amount borrowed.

The Fenian Brotherhood.—The Fenian Brotherhood of Philadelphia have presented through a public meeting a recent attack of Bishop Wood on their organization. They deny that the Brotherhood is a secret society, adding that "the society have no oaths, signs or grips." The constitution and by-laws are free to inspection. Fifty thousand men have subscribed their names of membership in the United States, and in the British provinces and Ireland one hundred and fifty thousand men are enrolled.

Death of a Priest.—The Rev. Jos. Aschwander, for many years pastor of Trinity Church, Georgetown, and afterwards Professor of Theology, Philosophy, Scripture and Hebrew, in Georgetown College, died there Wednesday afternoon, aged 49 years. He is said to have been one of the most erudite living Greek and Hebrew scholars.

A meeting of the citizens of the First Ward was held at the School House on Friday evening, at which James Rees was appointed chairman and W. V. Diehl secretary. On motion it was adjourned to meet at the same place this (Saturday) evening at 7 o'clock. Punctual attendance is requested.

Dead.—Lieut. A. E. Alcorn, one of the four hundred rebel prisoners who passed through this this city Thursday on their way to Annapolis, who jumped from the train at Swissvale station while the cars were in rapid motion, thereby sustaining serious injuries, died yesterday at the military hospital in this city.

Subsiitute for Eggs.—Eggs are now retailing at forty to fifty cents per dozen, and are not to be obtained at that. As a matter of general interest, we will state that corn starch is an excellent substitute for eggs for culinary purposes, one spoonful of corn starch being reckoned as equal to a single egg.

The Fenian Brotherhood, will hold a meeting in Lafayette Hall on Saturday evening at 9½ o,clock. Capt. P. F. Walsh, Organizing Agent of the Brotherhood, will be present, and deliver an address. Subject: "The Mission of the Fenian Brotherhood and Irish Nationality." The public are invited to attend. Admission free.

Installation.

The installation of the officers of Hastings' Chapter of Temperance and Wisdom, No. 1, of the State of Pennsylvania, took place in their Hall, over the Dollar Savings Bank in Fourth street, on the evening of Thursday, February 12th, when the following named officers were regularly installed by the D. D. G. R., E. H. Heastings: K, George G. Roddick; Q. Anna Boyd; M, Alexander Newlon; L. of Hon., Emma Barr; W, John H. Miller; L. of H., Maggie Leary; U. Marshall Gardner; I. M, Judith Miller; Y. P. Thomas B. Cluley; R, Limienbrink; L. R, Mary McCann; T. Arthur Fitzpatrick; L. T, Amelia Dickey; S, James Boyd; L. S. Emma Hunker. This temperance association is in a most flourishing and prosperous condition, and doing good service in the cause they have espoused. They have not been in existence but a short period, and now number about two hundred members—quite a large number are now fighting the battles of their country on the battle-fields against the enemy of the Union quite as valiantly as against the enemy of our social compact—caring fully as well for the widow and orphan of the drunkard as for the safety of our political institutions.

The Soldiers Orphan's Home.—We observed that one of our Representatives, Mr. Slack, has offered a bill in the Legislature to incorporate "the Soldiers Orphan's Home" in this county. The corporators named in the act are Charles Knap, Redmond J. Grace, Joshua Rhodes, James M Gallaghei, Charles W. Ricketson, James P. Barr, George W. Cass, William H Meloy, Thomas A. Scott, John D Scully, William H Smith and James McCabe.

The Cabinet Organ.—We quote the following from the Boston *Transcript*:—The quality of tone of these instruments is admirable so much so as to excite the very warm praise of our best artists, while their capacity for expression is quite new in instruments of their class. The use of these instruments will doubtless be the means of introducing, in parlor music, a class of admirable compositions which have not heretofore been popular.

It is not surprising to know that the manufacturers of these instruments are again under the necessity of very greatly increasing their facilities in order to supply the rapidly growing demand for them. Within a few days they will commence the extension of their factory on Cambridge street to the corner of Charles street. In connection with the building out of the city, occupied by their works, this will enable them to turn out over one hundred instruments per week." Mr Mellor is the exclusive agent for these beautiful instruments. He has just received a splendid lot, which may be seen at his Piano Rooms, No. 91 Wood street.

Pianos.—By referring to our second page, our readers will notice Mr Mellor's advertisement of Pianos. He has just received some splendid instruments from the factories of Chickering, Hallet, Cumston and Tarnum and Gilbert, that cannot fail to please the most fastidious eye or ear. Those persons who do not wish to go to the expense of a high priced instrument, can find in his stock, Pianos that will just suit them, low priced, sweet tone, and well finished. A lot of second-hand Pianos, from $40 to $150, are also to be seen at his warerooms.

The attention of the ladies is called to the sale of Furs, at Fleming's, 139 Wood street, who is closing out his entire stock of Furs at cost. Ladies who intend buying Furs this season should avail themselves of this opportunity, as the assortment is the very best, consisting of the most fashionable varieties. Also, misses' and children's silk and felt hats, with a large and elegant stock of newest styles of hats and caps for men and boys.

New Music.—"Just before the Battle Mother," by Root; "Oh I wish the War was Over," words by J. K. Holmes; "Its all up in Dixie," new song for the times. All the above, price 25 cents each. A large and choice selection of new Polkas, Schottisches, Gallops, &c. Some with elegant lithographic titles, just received and for sale at Mellor's Music Store 91 wood street.

William Allair.—Hunt, Fifth street, sends us "William Allair; or Running Away to Sea," a novel by Mrs. Henry Wood, issued here in advance of its publication in Europe. Mr Hunt has it for sale.

"Willie has Gone to the War" and "Song of all Songs." The above popular songs with chorus, by the late Stephen C. Foster, are for sale by Charlotte Blume, 65 Fifth street.

Harper's Weekly. Clipper, Wilkes', Independent, Waverly, for this week. Harper's Magazine, Godey and Atlantic for February, at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

Late Books.—Gurowski's Diary, Perfect Gentleman, Little Dorrit, cloth, Bruttwell's Tax Law, &c., &c., at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

Pittock, opposite the Postoffice, has a large and elegant stock of Albums, suitable to every taste, at low prices. Call and see them.

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Life of Archbishop Hughes, at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

Ballou, for March, at Pittock's.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

FOR THE POST.

XXXVIIIth CONGRESS.

LATER FROM CHARLESTON.

Arrival of the Steamer Fulton

An Expedition to Florida.

Gloomy Account of Rebel Affairs.

N. Carolina Speaking Out

Interesting from N. C. Papers.

Pennsylvania Deserters to be Shot.

Jeff. Davis Buying English Steamers.

&c., &c., &c.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12—SENATE—On motion of Mr. Lane, of Ind., the Committee on the Judiciary were instructed to inquire into the expediency of so amending the present law regulating the Supreme Court to define its decisions to matters of law only. On motion of Mr Fessenden, of Me., the Senate took up the House Deficiency Bill as reported by the Senate Finance Committee with amendments.

The committees' amendments with few slight exceptions agreed to. Senate committee amendment, and strike out all House provisions for an increase of clerical force of Departments, and authorizes the appointment in various Bureaus, for a term not exceeding one year after the close of the rebellion, about 1000 clerks and employees of various grades. The Senate amendment appropriates amount necessary to pay salaries of additional employees to 30th June, 1864, and provides for employment of female factory of males at a salary not exceeding — per year.

It also repeals the act limiting the time of Assistant Registers of the Treasury to one year.

HOUSE.—The House proceeded to the consideration of Senate enrollment bill, as amended by Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union. Mr Cox (Ohio) suggested that the bill shall lie over till Monday, in order to give further time for examination. House amendments being much confused. Mr Schenck (O.) replied that the public exigencies were so pressing that he could not give an hour. He moved the previous question and then explained the amendments and substitute, concluding by an appeal to the friends of the country to pass the bill that the army may be recruited and the government sustained. Mr Harding (Ky.) desired to address the House.

Mr Garfield proposed that the gentleman from Kentucky should, by general consent, be allowed half an hour for that purpose, but Mr Schenck objected. Opposition to further proceedings on the bill was manifested.

Mr Rogers (N. Y.) moved to reconsider the vote by which, in the earlier state of the proceedings, the House had agreed to adjourn till Monday. The motion was laid on the table, yeas 100, nays 40.

Mr. Harding (Ky.) moved that the House adjourn. No quorum, voting the question was taken by yeas and nays, and determined in the negative. It was now 4½ o'clock.

Mr. Clay (Ky.) asked leave of absence till Monday, but afterwards withdrew his request.

Mr Wadsworth (Ky.) moved that the bill and amendments be laid on the table. The question was determined in the negative. The House then proceeded to vote on the amendments to the Senate bill.

The House then debated on the following amendment adopted by the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Nation: All able-bodied male persons of African descent between the ages of 20 and 40 years, whether citizens or non-resident in the United States, shall be enrolled according to the provisions of the act to which this is a supplement, and shall form a part of the national forces, and when a slave of a loyal master shall be drafted and mustered into the service of the United States his master shall receive a certificate thereof for the bounty of one hundred dollars now payable by law for each drafted man, and shall be paid to the person to whom such drafted person owes service or labor at the time of his master into the service of the United States on freeing the person. The Secretary of War shall appoint a commission in each of the slave States as are represented in Congress charged to award a just compensation, not exceeding three hundred dollars, to each loyal person to whom the colored volunteer may owe service who may volunteer into the service of the United States, payable out of commutation money upon the master freeing the slave. The above was agreed to by 84 to 87.

The House having agreed to the Committee's amendment to the bill, Mr Schenck (O.) submitted a substitute which was agreed to and the original bill as thus amended was passed by 95 to 60. The bill as passed provides the quota of each ward of city, town, township, precinct or election district of a county where the same is divided into towns, townships, &c., shall be as nearly as possible in proportion to the number of men resident therein subject to draft, taking into account as far as practicable the number which has been previously furnished, and in ascertaining and filling said quota, there shall be taken into account the number of men who have heretofore entered the naval service whose names are upon the enrollment list as already returned to the office of the Provost Marshal General. Any person enrolled under the provisions of this act who may hereafter be so enrolled, may furnish at any time previous to the draft an acceptable substitute who is not liable to the draft, nor at the time in the military or naval service. Such person furnishing a substitute shall be exempt from draft during the time for which substitute shall be exempt from draft, not, however, exceeding the time for which such substitute shall have been accepted, but no private soldier, musician or non commissioned officer being actually in the military service shall be procured or accepted as a substitute. The boards of enrollment to enroll all persons liable to draft under the provisions of this act and the enrollment act whose names may have been omitted by the proper enrolling officer. All persons who arrive at the age of 20 years before the draft; all aliens who shall declare their intentions to become citizens; all persons discharged from the military or naval service who have not been in service two years during the present war and all persons who have been exempted under the provisions of the 2d section to which the act is a supplement, but who are not exempted by the provisions of this act, and the boards of enrollment shall relieve and discharge from draft all persons who between the time of enrollment and draft shall have arrived at the age of 45. Any person drafted may before the time fixed for his appearance for duty at the draft rendezvous furnish an accepted substitute, subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of War; and if such substitute is liable to draft, the name of the person furnishing him shall be liable to draft in filling future quotas, and if any person drafted shall hereafter pay money for the procuration of a substitute under the provisions of the act to which this is an amendment, such payment of money shall operate only to relieve such person from draft during the time for which such person was drafted, unless the names placed in the box be sooner exhausted, in which case the names shall be returned to the wheel. Members of religious denominations who shall, by oath or affirmation declare themselves conscientiously opposed to the bearing of arms, and who are prohibited from doing so by rules and articles of faith and practice of said religious denomination, shall, when drafted into the military service, be considered non-combatants, and shall be assigned by the Secretary of War to duty in hospitals or to the care of freedmen, or shall pay the sum of $300 to such person as the Secretary of War shall designate to receive it to be applied to the sick and wounded soldiers. Provided no person shall be entitled to the benefits of the provisions of this act, unless his declaration of conscientious scruples against bearing arms shall be supported by satisfactory evidence that his deportment has been uniformly consistent with such declaration. The following persons are exempted and excepted from enrollment and draft, viz., such as are rejected physically and mentally unfit for service, all persons actually in the military or naval service of the United States at the time of draft and all persons who have served in the military or naval department for two years during the present war, and been honorably discharged therefrom, and no persons but such as are herein excepted shall be exempt. The two clauses heretofore provided for enrollment are consolidated. In all cases where colored persons have been heretofore enlisted in the military service of the United States all provisions of this act, so far as payment of bounty and compensation are provided, shall be equally applicable as well to those who may be hereafter recruited. The bill also contains the section for enrolling all able-bodied persons of Arctic descent. Adjourned till Monday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12—The steamer Fulton has arrived from Port Royal, which she left on the 9th. She left Charleston bar on the morning of the 10th inst with the 67th Ohio regiment on board. Purser McManus furnishes the following to the press:

A blockade runner grounded during a fog on the 7th, and was destroyed by our fleet and the batteries in Charleston harbor.

An expedition left Port Royal on the 5th, under General Seymour, consisting of three brigades and one light battery, and landed at Jacksonville, Fla., on the morning of the 9th inst. without any casualties. It is reported the expedition will push on to Tallahassee. General Gillmore and staff sailed on the 8th to join the expedition.

The British war steamer Petrel, with despatches for one Benjamin, the rebel Secretary of War, arrived off Charleston Bar on the 5th, and requested permission to communicate with the British Consul at Savannah, which Admiral Dahlgren declined to grant and the Petrel put to sea immediately.

The Savannah *Republican* gives a gloomy account of the rebel affairs and states only one months' supply of subsistence was in possession of the commissary.

Admiral Dahlgren with the Pawnee, Water Witch and Wachusetts has sailed for St. John's, Fla.

Five deserters from the 97th Pennsylvania regiment were to be shot on the 9th.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12—The following interesting extracts are made from late issues of the North Carolina papers received here. The Raleigh *Progress*, says: The present Congress is bent on fastening a military despotism on the people of these confederate states, and the people must either submit quietly to receive the yoke or resist the tyranny. Resistance to tyrants is obedience to God, and the people of North Carolina, will not hesitate as to the course they should pursue. North Carolina, will not submit to have every able bodied man conscripted, and the whole State turned into a military camp. We want to achieve an independence over the common enemy, but we are not willing to become the vassals of usurpers at home, to achieve that or any other object. We speak the words of truth and soberness, because we know the sentiments of the great mass of the people in North Carolina. This State will never willingly submit to despotism with Jefferson Davis, or any one else at its head. The Salem N. C. *Press says*: The time is not far distant, when all must agree that this war must be brought to a close by other means than the sword.

NEW YORK, February 12.—The British ship Mattaba, reported to have been burned by the Alabama, was formerly the Texian Star, and was sold at Mauritius, to go under the British flag. It is doubtful, it is said, whether the British Register will hold good.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The *Tribune's* London letter says that a fleet of six steamers, built in England and taken to China, have been sold to Jeff. Davis agents, and will be made into rebel privateers. The letter hints that an attack will be made by them on San Francisco.

WASHINGTON, February 12.—The patent hat body case is before the Supreme Court to-day, and will probably be continued through all of next week. It excites much interest, in consequence of the heavy pecuniary interests involved.

CELEBRATED EXTRACTS FOR THE HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ashland Flowers.	Mignonette.
Allisum.	Musk.
Amaryllis.	Meadow Flowers.
Bouquet de Californie.	Lilac.
Bouquet d'Arabie.	Lilly of the Valley.
Bouquet de Carolina.	New-mown Hay.
Bergamotte.	Orange Flowers.
Cassie.	Patchouly.
Camelia.	Pink
Clonautte.	Poppinak.
Cedrat.	Portugal.
Citroncile Rosat.	Prairie Flowers.
Crystal Palace.	Rose.
Geranium.	Rough and Ready.
Gilliflower.	Spring Flower.
Garden Flowers.	Sweet Briar.
Heliotrope.	Sweet Pea.
Honey.	Sweet Lavender.
Honey Suckle.	Sweet Lettuce.
Hawthorn.	Sweet Clover.
Hyacinth.	Tuberos.
Jasmin.	Tea Rose.
Jockey Club.	Violette.
Jenny Lind.	Verbena.
Jonquille.	Vetivert.
Mousseline.	Vanilla.
Millebeurs.	West End.
Magnolia.	White Lily.
Marechale.	Winter Blossom.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—ALL persons having claims against the estate of Archibald Boyd, deceased, of Ohio township, Allegheny co., Pa., will please present them duly authenticated, and those owing said estate will please pay over said claims to the undersigned without further notice.

JAMES M. BOYD,
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COMMERCIAL & FINANCIAL.

PITTSBURGH PRODUCE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY POST, SATURDAY, Feb. 13, 1864.

BUSINESS yesterday was more active—the sales of certain leading articles was larger than on the previous day. Among the sales we note as follows:

HAY—19 loads were disposed of at $30@35.

FLOUR—Extra at $6,25@6,40; Extra Family at $7@7,40.

GROCERIES—Sugar—Sales of 10 hhds Cuba at 14¼@14½c; 10 do Orleans at 14½c; 6 do 15c; Coffee "A" at 17½c; Coffee "B" 17½c. Molases old at 70c; new at 78@80c. Coffee—70 sacks Rio at 35@36c. Rice at 9¾@9¾c.

SALT—Sales at $2,60.

APPLES—Sales at $2,50@3.

GRAIN—Wheat—Red at $1,40; White at $1,48. Corn—5000 bush new at $1,15; old at $1,18@1,20. Oats—sales 700 bush at 75@78. Barley—Spring at $1,35; Fall at $1,50.

BACON—Shoulders—sales of 9,000 lbs at 9¾@9¾c. Sides—6000 do at 11½@11¾c. Plain Hams at 12½@13c. S. C. Hams—4000 do at 14½c.

WHISKY—Small sales at 85@88c.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY POST, SATURDAY, Feb. 13, 1864.

The demand for the past two days was larger than usual since the Allegheny river has become to low for steamers. Crude—sales of 150 bbls at 23½c, packages included; 250 do at 23½c; sales of a few lots of Crude in bulk at 15½@18c. Refined—Bonded ranged from 35@40; free at 48@50.

New York Dry Goods Trade.

Trade is not active, but nearly all goods are firmly held. The demand for prints has been light, and for a day or two they became easier in price, but the market fully recovered its tone. The supply of new goods is moderate. The inquiry for domestic cottons is for the moment dull. Prices are, however, steady. Drills are in light supply, and dull. Stripes and ticks are quiet. Bleached and brown shirtings and sheetings are very firmly held, with a fair demand for the better and finer grades. There if a good inquiry for delaines; and all desirable goods for the season are secured as they arrive. The market is steady without being very active, as there is no supply in excess. In fancy cassimeres the demand has abated. Country buyers think by waiting they may obtain their goods lower, but the market is against them, and the production of goods is far from being profuse—the high cost limiting the supply. The lower descriptions are in short supply, and all the desirable styles are very firmly held. Satinets are in fair demand, but with little accumulation of stock. Broadcloths are quite firm. Some demand has sprung up for sheeting prime style. The assortment is good. Flannels are in request. Blankets dull. In foreign goods there is rather more doing. British worsted dress goods are in considerable demand. French dress silks are stronger for more quality. The importations will be fully up to the demand which is expected to show itself in due season. The value of the dry goods importations in last week amounted to $2,703,779; of which $1,291,679 were of woolens, $234,977 of silks, $206,369 of cottons, $215 943 of linens.

Cincinnati Whisky Market.

WHISKY—There was a good demand to-day, chiefly speculative, and notwithstanding the unfavorable advices from New York, an advance of 3c was established, with sales of 1,200 bbls at 86c, 50gs, the latter rate for wagon, the market closing steady.

Chicago Highwines Market.

HIGHWINES—The market rallied, and we note an advance in prices of 5c. per gallon—with sales of about 1,100 bbls at 79c, the market closing steady at 79c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12—Cotton has a declining tendency; sales of 350 bales at 81½c. Flour firm; sales of 11,000 bbls at $6,25@6,45 for State; $6,25@7,45 for O.; $7,65@8,10 for Southern. Wheat; 20,000 bush at $1,38@1,60 for Milwaukie Club.

MONEY MARKET.

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

	Buying.	Selling.
Gold	1 56	00
Silver	1 50	00
Demand Notes	1 53	00
Eastern Exchange.		
New York	par	¼
Baltimore	par	¼
Philadelphia	par	¼
Boston	par	¼
Pennsylvania Currency	par	¼
Western Exchange.		
Cincinnati	par	¼
Louisville	par	¼
Cleveland	par	¼
St. Louis	par	¼

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RIVER MATTERS.

THE RIVER.—Last evening at twilight there were six feet water in the channel and falling. The weather was pleasant.

The splendid passenger steamer Paragon, Captain Donnelly will leave for Cincinnati on Saturday.

The fine passenger steamer New York, Captain Lightner, leaves to-day for Cincinnati and Louisville.

The new steamer Interpid, has been sold to a St. Louis Company, and her name changed to Benton. She will be commanded by Capt. Thos. W. Rea, an experienced and clever officer. She will load for St. Louis.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

ARRIVED.

Gallatin	Clarke	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville
Jas. Rees	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Golden Era	Bryan	Cincinnati.

DEPARTED.

Gallatin	Clarke	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
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