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BOARD OF TRADE.
Committee of Arbitration for the month of December.
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Monetary and Commercial Review.

BALTIMORE, January 12, 1860.

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Stock was active again today, some 1,200 shares being sold at the Board, but prices for it continue to droop, the sales to-day showing a further decline in it of half a dollar per share. The opening sales were made at 71⅛ buyer 60 days, and 71¼@71 for cash and short time contracts; but the final sales were made at 71¼ buyer 60 days, and 70¾ for cash and short time operations, and it left off at 70¾ bid, 71 asked regular way, and 71 bid, 71⅛ asked buyer 60 days. In Northern Central Railway there was very little done, the only sale made being one of 100 shares at 46¼ cash. This stock closed at 46¼ bid, 46½ asked regular way. Northern Central Railway 1885 bonds advanced again to-day ¼, a sale of $1,000 being made at 59¾. There was nothing done in other Railroad bonds, but they were steady at yesterday's quotations. We note an improvement to-day of ¼ to ½ per cent. in Baltimore City 6's. Sales were made at the Board of $1,315 1875's at 97; $535 1880's at 97; $384 1890's at 98¾; and $3,220 1890's at 99. We note also sales to-day of 100 shares Franklin Bank at 31¼, and 400 shares Gardner Hill Mining Company at $2.50@2.56 time.

At the first board in New York to-day most of the principal stocks declined heavily, but at the second board some of them advanced again. New York Central declined at the first board 2¼; Reading 2¾; Rock Island 2¾; Erie ¾; Michigan Southern ⅛; Michigan Southern guaranteed 1; and Illinois Central bonds; but at the second board Erie advanced again ⅛; and New York Central 2¾.

Foreign Exchange continues dull and for both sterling and continental bills rates have declined within the past few days. The rates to-day are as follows, viz: London, bankers' bills, 108¾; do. commercial do., 108@108¼; Paris, 60 day bills, 5f. 18¾; do. short sight do., 5f. 15; Antwerp, 5f. 15; Bremen, 79; Amsterdam, 41⅜; Hamburg, 36⅜; Cologne, 73⅜; Frankfort-on-the-Maine, 41⅜.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD.

THURSDAY, January 12, 1860.

$3250 Balt. 6's		90..90	135 shs. B. & O. RR.			169..71⅛	
584	"	"	90..88¾	50	"	"	72..71
1275	"	"	75..97	50	"	"	139..71⅛
535	"	"	86..97	25	"	"	860af 10..70¾
1000 N. C. R.R. bds.			85..59¾	100	"	"	10b..70¾
5 shs. Citizens' Bank			..11⅝	50	"	"	b60..71⅛
100 shs. Franklin Bk.			..31⅛	125	"	"	b50..71⅛
250 shs B. & O. RR.			b60..71⅛	25	"	"	b15..70¾
25	"	"	b30..71⅛	25	"	"	b10..70¾
100	"	"	s60af 10..71	140 shs. N. C. RR.			..16¼
25	"	"	b30..71⅛	200 shs. Gardner Hill			
50	"	"	b60..71⅛	Mining Co.			b6..2⅝
75	"	"	71	200	"	"	b60..2.56
50	"	"	b30..71				

PRICES AND SALES OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK
FIRST BOARD BY TELEGRAPH.
Through WILLIAM FISHER & SON, Stock and Bill Brokers, No. 22 South street.

	1st Board	2d Board
Virginia 6's	91	90
Missouri 6's	66¾	66¾
Illinois Central bonds	85	90
Canton Company	16¾	60
Cumberland		85½
New York Central Railroad	71¼	73¾
Reading Railroad	51¼	57½
Panama Railroad	130	130
Cleveland and Toledo Railroad	19	00
Michigan Southern Railroad	5¼	00
Cumberland Coal		00
Harlem Railroad		23
Hudson and Chicago Railroad	00	61½
Michigan Southern, guaranteed	00	00
Rock Island Railroad	63¾	00
	heavy.	steady.

The New York *Tribune* of yesterday says:

The money market is somewhat easier to-day, some parties reporting greater ease, and others the reverse. There is certainly more currency for paper, and some favorite names have been passed at 8@9 per cent., which went last week at 9@10 per cent. Well-endorsed first class paper is 8@9 per cent., and single name 9@10 per cent. Demand loans are 7 per cent., with a rather better supply. The high rates which ruled for a few days in the open discount market have attracted a considerable amount of capital from the street, where it had been used in demand loans. The banks appear still disposed to contract, as they are still losing gold to the South, and may be called upon at any moment to furnish gold for deposite in the Sub-Treasury on the Treasury notes awarded last month. The arrangement which we noticed yesterday as to a loan made between the Erie and Central Roads for an advance of fares and freight charges, has been joined in by the Pennsylvania Central.

The business of the Clearing House was $26,990,981. It is significant fact in regard to the movement of gold is that the deposits of the last arrival from California have been made to large extent for coins, showing that no demand for bars is anticipated for export. Arrangements have been made at Philadelphia to expedite the coinage as much as possible, as in the present dilapidated state of the Federal Treasury no bullion fund is kept on hand at this depository.

The market for foreign bills is heavy and dull, with a good supply of bills. Sterling is 108@108¾; Francs 5.22¼@5.18¾.

Freights.—To London, 500 bbls. Flour at 2s. 3d.; 100 bales Bacon at 22s. 6d.; 250 boxes Cheese at 40s. To Liverpool, per steamer, 81 bales Sea Island Cotton, at 7-16d.; 500 bales Cotton at 3-16d. @7-32d.; 500 boxes Cheese, per steamer, at 40s.; 200 tierces Beef at 3s. 6d.; 100 bbls. Pork at 2s. 6d.; 500 bbls. Lard at 20s.; 20 boxes Bacon, per steamer, at 30s.; 3,500 bbls. Flour at 1. 9d. @2s.; 10 tuns Tallow, per steamer, at 30s.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was: Receipts, $147,056.75—for Customs, $116,000; Payments, $247,681.91—California Drafts, $38,000; Balance, $7,807,313.31.

The Sub-Treasury has advices of two drafts, for $260,000 in the aggregate, for redemption of 4½ per cent. Treasury Notes. One of them, for $151,000, appeared, and was paid to-day.

The Rock Island Railroad earned the first week of the January, 1859 ..... $15,000
January, 1858 13,318
Increase $17,422

This is upon one day less than 1859, the 2d inst. being kept as a holiday this year.

The earnings of the Illinois Central for the first week in January, 1860, were $43,856
January, 1859 26,434
Increase $2,318
—equal to 66 per cent.

We annex a comparative statement of the exports, exclusive of specie, from New York to foreign ports, for the week ending Jan 9.

	1858	1859.	1860.
For the week	$942,959	$664,752	$1,042,827

LAND WARRANTS.

	Buy.	Sell.
40 Acre Warrants	100	110
80 Acre Warrants	90	92
120 Acre Warrants	68	74
160 Acre Warrants	68	74

The annual meeting of the Lehigh Valley Railroad was held in Philadelphia on Wednesday. We from the annual report which was made we glean the following:

RECEIPTS.

From coal and transportation	$391,766.81
" Passenger, Express, and Mail	68,161.70
" Miscellaneous freight	65,937.97
Total	$525,866.48

EXPENDITURES.

For Coal transportation	$160,895.67
" Passenger, Express, and Mail	28,085.76
" Miscellaneous freight	22,991.07
Total	$211,972.50
Balance net earnings	313,893.96

Against which has been charged:

Interest on bonds, sinking funds, and current interest	$85,020.00
Salaries and office expenses	8,257.86
Dividends	6,259.40
	117,981.00
Total	$217,518.26
Leaving a credit balance of	96,375.72

In addition has just commenced operations at Boston which is calculated to be serviceable to the poorer classes. It is "The Pawners' Bank," the loans of which are confined to pledges of goods and chattels only, at a rate of interest not exceeding one per cent. per month.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* of the 10th says:

The order of sale in the case of the Third Bondholders against the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad Company, provides that the Road franchises, rolling stock, &c., shall be sold by the Sheriff of Hamilton County, Ohio, as an entirety, on notice by five weekly publications in papers in Marietta, Chillicothe, Cincinnati and New York.

A meeting of the stockholders in the Indiana and Illinois Central Company is to be held at Indianapolis, on the 9th of February, to consider and determine upon a plan for the reduction of the stock of the company, and the issuing of preferred stock, with a view to resuming the construction of the road.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

THURSDAY, Jan. 12, 1860.

COFFEE.—Coffee continues very firm, but there has been but little done in it to-day, the sales so far as we have heard embracing only 200 bags Rio at 11¾, 11⅞@12 cts. We quote Rio to-day at 10¾@11¾ cts. for common and ordinary, 11¾@11⅞ cts. for fair, 12@12¼ cts. for good, 12½ cts. for prime, Laguayra at 12¼@12½ cts., and Java at 15@16 cts. per lb. We note the arrival to-day of the bark "Empress Theresa" from Rio with 15,000 bags coffee, which increases the stock to nearly 20,000 bags.

FLOUR.—Flour was quiet again to-day, and the feeling in the market was rather heavy. There was however some inquiry for it, and sales were reported on Change of 450 bbls. Howard Street Super at $5.50 per bbl. Both Howard Street and Ohio Super may be quoted steady at $5.50 per bbl., but there are more sellers than buyers at this figure. Of City Mills super there is very little offering, and no sales are making. We quote this description as before nominal at $5.37½@5.50 per bbl. For Extra Flour prices are unchanged, and we quote it as before at $5.75@5.87½ for Ohio, $5.75@6 for Howard Street, $6.25 for regular shipping, and $6.50@6.75 per bbl. for fancy brands City Mills. We note since Change a sale of 100 bbls. Howard Street Super at $5.37½, which is a decline of 12½ cts per bbl. from the price last week.

FAMILY FLOUR.—Family Flour continues firm. We quote Welch's as before at $8, Patapsco and Reservoir at $7.50, and the Silver Spring and Ashland brands at $7.25@7.50 per bbl. Ohio and Howard Street Family may be quoted at $6 25@6.50 per bbl.

RYE FLOUR AND CORN MEAL.—We quote Rye Flour today at $4.37½, and Baltimore Corn Meal at $3.62½@3.75 per bbl. but we hear of no sales of either of these articles.

GRAIN.—There was a fair inquiry for Grain this morning, and for all descriptions the market was quite firm in tone. The receipts were however light, and the operations were in consequence limited. Sales were reported on Change of 400 bushels good red wheat at 130 cts.; 500 bushels fair white do. at 134 cts., and 1,300 bushels good do. at 140@142 cts.; but strictly prime red would have brought 132@133 cts., and we quote prime and choice white at 145@150 cts. For Corn there was a fair inquiry, and sales were made of 2,000 bushels white at 70@75 cts., and 2,000 bushels yellow at 74@75 cts. Rye has fallen off slightly within the last day or two, and to-day sales were made of 200 bushels Pennsylvania at 97@98 cts. Oats continue firm at 44@45 cts. for Maryland, and 48@49 cts. for Pennsylvania.

MOLASSES.—We are without transactions to note today in Molasses, but we quote it steady at 21@22 cts. for tart clayed Cuba; 25@26 cts. for sweet do.; 28@30 cts. for Cuba Muscovado; 30 cts. for English Island; 44@45 cts. for old crop New Orleans, and 51@52 cts. per gallon for new crop do.

PROVISIONS.—There has been some movement to-day in Bulk Meat, but the sales show a slight falling off in the rates. The sales include 50,000 lbs. Shoulders at 6¾ cts., and 120,000 lbs. Sides; 80,000 lbs. at 8¼ cts. 30 days, and 70,000 lbs. at 8⅜ cts. 60 days, interest added. Bacon is quiet and rather heavy. We quote it at 7⅜@7¾ cts. for Shoulders, and 9¾@9¾ cts. for Sides, but we hear of no sales of importance to-day. Lard is steady at 10½ cts. for Western Leaf in bbls. and tcs., and we quote Pork at $16.50@16.75 for Mess, $13 for new Prime, and $12.50@13 for new Rump. We note a sale to-day of 50 bbls. old Rump Pork at $11 per bbl. Beef is selling in retail lots at $11.50 for No. 1, and $15 per bbl. for Mess.

RICE.—Rice is quiet but steady at 3¾@4¼ cts. for fair to prime lots. The stock here amounts we understand to between 1,500 and 1,800 tierces, which is a much larger supply than we had supposed was here.

SEEDS.—There was quite an active inquiry this morning for Cloverseed and sales were reported or about 1,000 bushels at prices ranging from $5.12½ to $5.50 per bushel, the latter figure being for strictly prime. We still quote Timothy Seed at $2.25@2.50, and Flaxseed at $1.35@1.40 per bushel, but there is very little doing in these varieties.

SALT.—Salt continues firm, and we still quote Liverpool at $1.10 for Ground Alum, $2 for Marshall's and Jeffrey & Darcy's fine, and $2.25 per sack for Ashton's do., and Turks Island at 18@20 cts. per bushel from store.

SUGARS.—There has been little inquiry to-day for Sugars, and we hear of sales of only one or two small lots. They are however still firm at our former quotations, viz: $7@7.37½ for refining grades Cuba and English Island; $7.50@8 for fair to prime Cuba; $8.25@8.75 for fair to good new crop New Orleans, and $9 for prime do. We note the receipt to-day of a cargo of 137 hhds. Porto Rico Sugar.

WHISKEY.—Whiskey is quiet and the market for it is decidedly heavy. We note sales to-day of 150 bbls. City at 25 cts, and we quote it as closing at 24½@25 cts. for Country and City, and 25@25½ cts. for Ohio.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET, Jan. 12.—Quercitron Bark continues in demand, and 1st No. 1 is scarce and wanted at $27 per ton.

There is very little export demand for Flour; sales of some 2,000 bbls., mostly extras, are reported, part private and part at from $5.75@6.12½ per bbl., including 500 bbls. of a good brand at the latter figure. Straight Superfine continues scarce, and a demand for Western account at $5.50, this figure being refused by holders generally. The trade are buying moderately at from $5.50 up to $6@7 per bbl. for Superfine, Extras and fancy lots, as in quality Rye Flour and Corn Meal are dull, the former being offered at $4.25, and the latter at $3.75 per bbl. for Pennsylvania Meal, without finding buyers.

There is very little Wheat offering or selling, and only about 1,500 bushels found buyers at $1.34@1.36 for good and prime reds, and $1.50 for good white, at which rates there is a steady demand for milling. Rye is wanted, and Pennsylvania would sell at 93 cts. Corn is unchanged, and about 3,000 bushels dry new Southern yellow sold at 76 cts. in the cars; 800 bushels white also sold at 72 cts. Oats are dull, and good Pennsylvania sell slowly at 45 cts. from store. Nothing doing in Barley or Barley Malt, and no change in the prices of either.

The market for Groceries continues firm, but very quiet, the stocks of all kinds being very much reduced.

In Provisions there is little or nothing doing, and no change in prices.

There is a steady demand for Cloverseed, and sales of 400@500 bushels are reported in lots at from $5.12½ up to $5.44 per bushel for common to good and choice seed Timothy and Flaxseed are quiet, and the latter is in demand at $1.57@1.58 per bushel.

Whiskey continues dull, drudge selling slowly at 24 cts.; hhds. 25 cts.; Pennsylvania bbls; 25¾@26 cts., and Ohio do. at 27 cts.

CINCINNATI MARKET, Jan. 10.—Hogs were heavy and 10@15 cts. per 100 lbs. lower, with receipts since Saturday of 3,000 head, exclusive of 2 000 left at Brighton, during the week, and first reported to day. Prices ranged from $6.15 to $6.50, with sales of about 2,000 head. The offering of round lots for future delivery indicates the probable continuance of receipts through the present month—a prospect that packers are not pleased with. On almost every article of provisions, buyers contended for concessions, but holders were not disposed to yield, and there was but little done. A lot of 500 bbls. Mess Pork, best brand, sold at $16.50—but ordinary brands were not saleable at over $16.25. Nothing done in Bulk Meats. For future delivery, the best offers were 6 and 8 cts. for Shoulders and Sides. Bacon nominal at 7¾ and 9¾ cts. for Shoulders and Sides. There were no buyers for Lard at over 9¾@9¾ cts. for barrel and 10¾ cts for keg. Flour was very dull, and extra brands were offered at a decline of equal to 20 cts. as compared with last week, say $5.40 for bands which previously brought $5 60. Nothing done in Superfine upon which to base a quotation. The demand is of a limited, local character, and holders begin to exhibit some anxiety to realize.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Cotton—sales of 700 bales to-day at 11@11⅛ cts. for Uplands, the market closing quiet but firm. Flour is 5@10 cts. higher—sales of 1,200 bbls.; State $5.20@5.25; Ohio $5.65@5.80; Southern $5.50@5.75. Wheat is firm—sales of 15,000 bushels: Milwaukie Club $1.20. Corn is higher—sales of 16,000 bushels: new white and yellow 84@90 cts. Pork is dull—Mess $16.12½@16.25. Lard is quiet at 10¼@10⅜ cts. Whiskey is steady at 25½@26 cts. Spirits Turpentine is steady. Rosin is steady at $1 60. Rice is steady.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 12.—Flour is firm, and prices unchanged. Wheat is dull—sales of 30,000 bushels red at $1.34@1.36 cts. Corn is dull—sales of 1,600 bushels yellow at 76 cts. Oats 45 cts. Whiskey closed dull at 25¾ @27 cts.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 12.—Flour is dull and the market is generally unchanged. Whiskey has declined ½ cent—sales at 20¾ cts. Hogs are dull and prices have declined 10 cts—sales of 900 head at $6@6.40. Receipts to-day, 2,500 head. Mess Pork is in good demand at $16@16 25. Lard 9¾ cts. Bacon Shoulders, 7¾ cts.; Sides 9¾ cts.

IMPORTS AT BALTIMORE.

FOREIGN.

RIO DE JANEIRO—*Bark Empress Theresa*, 500 bags coffee, John M. Bandel; 1,200 bags do., order.

ST. JOHN'S, P. R.—*Brig Frances Jane*, 100 hhds. sugar, 38 bbls. do., Kirkland, Chase & Co.; 30 hhds. sugar, 5 tierces do., Wm. Wilkins; 300 orange, master.

MONTEVIDEO.—*Bark John C. Brune*, 8,546 hides, F. W. Brune & Sons.

CORNWALLIS, N. S.—*Br. schr. Henry Livingston*, 4,805 bushels potatoes, C. M. Jackson & Co.

COASTWISE.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—*Schr. Marcelia*, 90,000 feet lumber, Thomas J. Hand & Co.

EASTPORT.—*Brig Jenthe*, 522 bxs. herrings, 400 tons plaster, Kelsey & Gray.

EXPORTS FROM BALTIMORE.

FOREIGN.

WEST INDIES.—*Brig Anne Gilbert*, 700 bbls. flour, 456 bbls. corn meal, 134 bushels corn, 50 bags peas, 50 bbls. pork, 100 kegs lard, 100 kegs butter.

For Shipping Intelligence, see 4th page

LATEST NEWS.

TELEGRAMS.

The Lawrence Calamity—Sympathy for the Sufferers.

BOSTON, January 12.—Sympathy for the sufferers by the disaster at Lawrence, is the all-prevailing sentiment, and here assumes an active form. Private subscriptions already reach $20,000.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 12.—Most of the dead bodies at the City Hall have been recognized and removed. Others in which almost the resemblance of humanity is obliterated, have been placed in boxes to await recognition if possible. Letters and despatches are being constantly received from the friends of those recently employed in the mills, inquiring after their fate. Expressions of sympathy and of generous tokens of compassion are abundant.

The Treasurer of the Pacific Manufacturing Company, has placed in the hands of Mayor Saunders $2,000, to be expended in providing necessary comforts for the sufferers; at the same time giving verbal assurances of material aid from other gentlemen in Boston.

A large number of physicians are actively engaged in attending the wounded. The Coroner's inquest commenced this morning.

The Alabama Democratic Convention.

MONTGOMERY, January 11.—The Committee on organization, appointed by the State Democratic Convention, reported F. S. Lyons as President, Henry D. Smith and others Vice-Presidents, and Mr. Van Hoose and others, Secretaries. On taking the chair at the session to-night, Mr. Lyons made a strong Southern Rights speech. Mr. Yancy also made a tremendous speech before the Committee on Credentials. It is believed that the Southern Rights wing of the party will control the Convention. Messrs. Yancy, Hillard and Scott also made speeches before the Convention, which is still in session as this despatch is sent off—9 o'clock, P. M.

[SECOND DESPATCH.]

MONTGOMERY, Jan. 12.—The proceedings of the Democratic Convention progresses slowly. The report of the Committee on Credentials was favorable to the admission of Mr. Yancy's delegation from Montgomery county, and the report was sustained by a vote of 211 against 110.

Mr. Scott, of Monroe county, introduced a resolution asserting the right of slavery in the Territories, and the right to Legislative and Congressional protection; also, that the Delegates elected to the Charleston Convention be instructed to insist on this; and if that Convention fail to recognize the right, the Alabama delegates to withdraw and call this State Convention together.

The report and resolutions were referred to the Committee on the Platform.

From Kansas.

LEAVENWORTH, January 10.—The Territorial Legislature is still *in statu quo*, and it is probable that no business will be transacted by either wing till the opinion of the Attorney General, which has been called for by the Democratic Members, can be had on the subject of adjournment. The allegation on the part of the majority for quitting Lecompton is the insufficiency of accommodation, but a settled antipathy to that place exists on the part of the Republican members on account of former associations.

The Indiana Democratic Convention.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 12.—The Jackson and Hancock county delegates to the State Domocratic Convention withdrew to-day. The Lawrence county Douglas claimants were admitted. The Randolph county delegates compromised.

A motion was made that a committee be appointed by the Chair, to report the names of electors and delegates to the Charleston Convention for the State at large. An amendment was moved that such election be made by a vote by counties.

Indiana Democracy for Mr. Douglas.

Private despatches from Indianapolis to-night say that the State Democratic Convention has, by a large majority, instructed the delegates to the Charleston Convention to vote as a unit for Mr. Douglas.

The Kentucky Democratic State Convention.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 11.—The Democratic Convention adjourned yesterday after passing the majority report, and rejecting additional and more ultra demands for a slave code. An ineffectual effort was made to endorse the Cincinnati platform.—Douglas and Illinois politics were denounced.

Aid for the Lawrence Sufferers.

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—A meeting was held yesterday of the New England Society of Manufactures and Mechanic Arts, when it voted to dispense with their annual dinner and appropriate the money usually thus expended to the relief of the Lawrence sufferers. The members also made up an additional purse of $5,000.

[Special Despatch.]

Pennsylvania Legislature.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 12.—The resolutions relating to the organization of Congress are now under discussion in the Senate. Senator Welsh, of York, made a powerful speech in defence of the Democratic policy and the Union.

Nebraska Territorial Legislation.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 12.—A bill abolishing slavery in Nebraska has passed the Territorial Legislature, but it was expected Governor Black would veto it. A bill providing for the calling of a Constitutional Convention has also passed the House.

Hon. John Bell nominated for the Presidency.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 12.—The Opposition members of the Tennessee Legislature have nominated John Bell as the Union candidate for the Presidency.

Races.

SAVANNAH, Jan. 10.—In the first race here today, Exchequer beat Ned. Taylor in two straight heats. The second race was won by Nicholas. There was no opposition against him.

Death of Judge Boone.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 12.—Hon. Wm. F. Boone, Judge of the United States District Court in New Mexico, died here to-day.

The Expected Steamer.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12, 10 P. M.—We have no tidings of the steamer Europa now due from Liverpool.

TRADE OF CANADA.—A statement has been issued showing the value of imports into Canada, and the duties collected thereon during the eleven months ending the 30th of November, 1858 and 1859. In the eleven months of 1859, the value of imports was $31,857,468, and the duty $4,236,926; being an increase during the first eleven months of 1859, as compared with the corresponding period of 1858, of $4,125,458 in the imports, and $1,006,904 of duties.

THE AMERICAN CHAPEL IN PARIS.—The Rev. Dr. McClintock is invited to take charge of the American Chapel in Paris, and has indicated his acceptance of the invitation. The Rev. Mr. Seeley, recently the officiating clergyman there, returned to this country several weeks since. The Chapel is under the supervision of the Christian Union.

GARIBALDI AND THE ITALIAN WOMEN.—In an address to the women of Lombardy and Venetia, Garibaldi invites them to take a part in providing arms for the Italian volunteers, as in doing so they will contribute "to the redemption of a people which refuses any longer to be the slave of foreign masters, and feels itself worthy to sit by the side of the other States of Europe.

PROPER LEGISLATION.—There has been introduced into the Senate of Ohio a bill to punish all citizens convicted of raising military expeditions for the purpose of creating servile insurrections in other States.

Ex-President Comonfort and Gen. Arriosso of Mexico, have taken apartments at the Metropolitan Hotel, New York.

It is said that the telegraphic work of the London Telegraph Company is done by female employees.

New counterfeits are in circulation on the Union Bank of South Carolina. They are said to be well executed and calculated to deceive.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

ROBBERIES.—During Thursday night the dwelling of Mr. Lowrie, on Eager street, near York avenue, was entered by burglars, who stole therefrom a large quantity of wearing apparel, consisting of overcoats, dress-coats, ladies' dresses, &c. Mr. Lowrie's pocket-book, containing between sixty and seventy dollars, was in the pocket of one of the coats taken. The same parties, it is supposed, broke into two other houses in the neighborhood, but did not succeed in getting anything of value.

Last evening, about half-past seven o'clock, a man named Lewis Graham was arrested by Sergt. Love, in the act of robbing the office of Messrs. Brown, coal dealers, on High street, near Gay. Some time since the same office was robbed, and Mr. Brown gave the officer the key, so that he might enter the office after night at his pleasure. Last evening the Sergeant called to see if all was right, and just as he opened the door, Graham was in the act of rifling the drawers of the desk, three of which he had opened by the use of an oyster-knife. Graham ran out of the rear-door, by which he entered, pursued by the officer, and as he was in the act of getting over the fence he was arrested. In a safe underneath the desk there was a considerable sum of money, but it was undisturbed. Justice McAllister committed Graham for Court.

THE RIVER AND THE ICE.—The river and bay are now almost clear of ice. During Thursday night a strong north-west wind prevailed, which loosened the ice, causing it to break, and it passed down rapidly. With the exception of along the shores, the river is clear, and yesterday some small craft sailed out. Large quantities of ice were blown on the Eastern shore, which will somewhat interfere with the movements of the boats plying between that section of the State and the city. The steamer *Georgia*, which went to the assistance of the steamship *City of Norfolk*, of the Savannah line, ashore on the Man-of-War shoals, succeeded in getting her off about eleven o'clock Thursday night. The deck load of the steamship had to be removed to the *Georgia*, before she could be started. The steamship *Commerce* of the same line, which arrived yesterday, reports meeting the *City of Norfolk*, all right and on her course.

The ship *Scotland*, with cargo of guano, lying near Annapolis Roads, on Tuesday night was cut through by the ice, and to save her from sinking a portion of her cargo was thrown overboard.

HOP AT THE EUTAW HOUSE.—A large and fashionable company assembled at the Eutaw House last night, at the invitation of Mr. Coleman, the proprietor, to participate in a hop, given as a compliment to the committee and their friends, who lately gave a welcome to Mr. Coleman, on his assumption of the proprietorship of the House. About 150 ladies and gentlemen were present, and at 9 o'clock the dancing began. The music was furnished by Feldtman's band. The dance continued until a late or rather early hour, and all enjoyed themselves to the utmost. The two large ordinaries were thrown open. The refreshment table was filled with everything that could tempt the most fastidious taste. This house has been thoroughly refurnished, all the carpeting being new, taking about 4,000 yards to cover the large number of rooms. Mr. Coleman, during his short stay here, has made hosts of friends, and we are assured from his antecedents that the Eutaw House, under his direction, will be equal to any first-class hotel.

SAD CASE OF DESTITUTION.—Some persons living in Stockton alley, near Pratt street, yesterday called the attention of officers Brown and Dinsmore to the condition of a family named McCoy, living in the alley. On a cursory examination three children were found in the house, in absolute destitution; there was no fire in any part of it, no furniture, and the neighbors stated that they were in a starving condition. The mother, who is the only parent with them, had left them all day with nothing to eat. The officers took the children to the Western station, where they will be properly cared for.

ACCIDENTS.—Yesterday morning a man named Joshua Taylor, working in the ship-yard of Mr. Abrams, on Philpot street, was assisting in unloading heavy timber from a truck wagon, when one of the pieces fell on him, injuring him badly. He was carried to his home, No. 16 Bond street, near Hamstead, where Dr. Evans attended him.

Mr. Flinn, living at No. 184 Washington street, on Thursday evening slipped on the ice near his door, and received painful injuries by the fall. His left shoulder was dislocated, which Dr. Monkur replaced.

ROWDYISM.—Yesterday afternoon, George Robinson, John Shields and —— Brown *alias* "Hickory," took possession of a pair of horses and carriage belonging to George Sauer, which had been left standing in the street. They drove over Federal Hill, conducting themselves in a most outrageous manner, whooping, firing pistols, &c. Information being conveyed to the Southern station, Captain Manly, Sergeant Lumberson, and officers Dunlop and Inscoe, gave chase after them, and captured them at the corner of Cross and Hamburg streets. They violently resisted the officers, and during the contest a pistol was fired, but did no damage. Officer Inscoe was badly cut about the head and face.

TOWSONTOWN MILITARY.—The American Guards, a new military company, recently organized at Towsontown, under command of Captain Chew, was mustered into the 53d Regiment, Baltimore city, by Col. S. S. Mills, on Wednesday night.—The Independent Grays, Lieutenant Simpson, paraded, and afterwards proceeded to Towsontown in omnibuses. A number of the officers of the Regiment were present, and after the muster, the military and invited guests partook of a handsome supper, served up at the Smedley House.

POSTPONED.—The examination of Emanuel K. Thleisner, charged with passing counterfeit coin, which was to have taken place yesterday before Commissioner Hannan, was postponed, on account of the absence of witnesses, until this morning at 10 o'clock.

FIRES.

The alarm of fire yesterday morning at twenty minutes past two o'clock, was caused by the burning of a frame stable situated on Cross street, near Johnson street. The building, owing to the combustible character of the material, was entirely enveloped in flames before the arrival of the fire department. The stable was completely destroyed, with its contents. It was owned and occupied by Mr. P. S. Chappell, for the safe keeping of carts and drays, two of which were burned. The flames communicated to a two-story brick house adjoining, owned and occupied by C. & G. Rossmark, as a lager beer brewery, which was damaged slightly. Messrs. Rossmark have an insurance sufficient to cover their loss in the National of this city. Mr. Chappell is insured in foreign offices. Messrs. Rossmark were insured in the Maryland Company of this city; their loss being about $100.

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING, JAN. 13, 1860.

MUSEUM.—Benefit of G. C. Charles. *Ireland as it Was, and Our Gal, or the Yankee Heiress.*

HOLLIDAY STREET THEATRE.—*Conscript, and Magic Pills, or the Conjurer's Gift.*

FRONT STREET THEATRE.—*Cooper's Opera Troupe. Der Friesschutz* (in English.)

MARYLAND INSTITUTE.—*Russian War Panorama. Gift Distribution.*

LAW INTELLIGENCE

CRIMINAL COURT.—Hon. Henry Stump, Judge.—Milton Whitney, Esq., State's Attorney. Archibald Serling, Jr., Esq., City Counsellor. The following occupied yesterday:

On the opening of the Court, Wm. Schley, Esq., stated to the Court that he was one of the counsel in the matter of the appeal from the action of the Commissioners for opening Hollidays street. He had seen in the papers, that the Court had rendered a decision yesterday (Wednesday) invalidating all the proceedings of the Commissioners in the case of Johnson street. That decision would set aside the action of the Commissioners for the last twenty years, for all the records in street cases had been made in the same form, during, perhaps, that period of time, and they had been so made, in the case of Holliday street. He would like to argue that question before the Court.

The Court said Mr. Schley could argue the question as to Holliday street, but it had already decided in the case of Johnson street.

The Court would hear Mr. Schley on Monday or Tuesday.

Joseph Rundle *vs.* The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore. An appeal from the award of the Commissioners for Opening Streets, in the matter of West street.

T. Yates Walsh for appellant; John S. Thomas for appellee.

Motion to dismiss the appeal, on the ground that it was filed after the time allowed by law.

The Court asked Mr. Walsh what he wanted to do.

Mr. Walsh wanted the Court to proceed and summon a special jury in the matter, so that all the facts could be brought out. He also wanted to show that the appeal was not filed in time, because the appellant had received information from the appellee, that the time for filing would not expire before the middle of May, and the appeal was filed about the fifth of that month.

The Court said it was the duty of the Commissioners to notify parties interested through the newspapers, that their proceedings had been put upon record, and so many days only must elapse, during which appeals could be taken.

Mr. Thomas remarked that the proper notice had been published.

Mr. Walsh said he thought the appeal could be sustained, because information had been received through Mr. Garrity, his clerk, from the City Hall, that the appeal would be in time if filed before the 30th of May; he wanted to prove this fact before the jury, and in the event of the case going against the appellant, the facts could be on record and go in the bill of exceptions on an appeal to the higher Court. As to the notice, how could a man see a notice, stuck in the corner of a newspaper he didn't take?

Mr. Thomas replied, that if Mr. Walsh would waive the jury, he would admit that Mr. Garrity had been told that the time did not expire until the 30th of May.

Court.—Now, Mr. Walsh, he says he will admit that you now down at you want to prove.

Mr. Walsh then wrote a statement, to the effect that Mr. Garrity was sent by him to the Register's office, and in reply to a question, received a reply that at any time before the 30th of May the appeal could be filed, and that the mistake made in filing it in time was caused through this information.

Mr. Thomas—I'll admit that Mr. Garrity would swear to this on the stand, but I won't admit it as a fact.

Mr. Walsh—Then I'll go back. I ask now for a jury trial, and desire the Court to summon the jury.

Court—(to Mr. Thomas)—Now, you said you would admit it, and now you say you won't. What difference does it make? You keep on this way all day.

Mr. Thomas—Well, then, I'll admit the facts.

Mr. Walsh—No, sir; I want the jury. I'll have the case tried.

Court—Now, Mr. Walsh, he says he'll admit it; and you said you would go on. Now you say you won't; that's no way. If it can be decided without a jury, why not, without going to all that expense?

Mr. Walsh—Well, sir, second thoughts; I am entitled to think a second time.

Court—Yes, but that's no way to get through.

The Court then ordered a *venire* issued to summon twenty-two jurors, returnable on Monday morning.

A jury *de lunatico inquirendo* was empanelled, and Ferdinand Roth found to be a lunatic and pauper. The Court passed an order to confine him at the expense of the city in Mount Hope Hospital.

The Grand Jury found bills against James E. Thomas and William Jones for robbing Messrs. Hamilton Easter & Co.

The Court, at 12 o'clock, adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—Hon. Wm. L. Marshall, Judge.

The following occupied yesterday:

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Clark *vs.* Hamilton Easter & Co. An appeal from Justice Hayward. Judgment reversed and judgment for the appellee for $58 against George B. Clark.

Edward Hare *vs.* Andrew Hartner. An appeal from Justice Griffin. Judgment reversed.

George W. Cook *vs.* Thomas Davis. An appeal from Justice Morrisen. Judgment affirmed.

Adam Meeks *vs.* Charles Twele. An appeal from Justice Marrow. Judgment reversed, and judgment for appellee for $12 48 and costs, subject to appellant's discharge.

Assignment for to-day, 54 to 78.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.—Hon. Wm. Fell Giles, Judge.

The following occupied yesterday:

Isaac M. Singer and William Clark *vs.* William S. Walmesley, agent of Ladd, Webster & Co. Before reported. Examination of witnesses on the part of the defendant continued.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Hon. R. N. Martin, Judge.—The following occupied yesterday:

Elisha Warford and others *vs.* Richard Colvin Warford. An action of ejectment under the will of the late Rachel Colvin. Before reported. Wm. H. Norris, Esq., continued his argument on the part of the plaintiffs.

Susannah M. Merrick *vs.* Jesse T. Merrick. Decree passed divorcing complainant and defendant *a vinculo matrimonii*. Wm. H. Young for complain