pushing the case from that simply between the complainant and Beale. But the proofs show that these defendants not only had notice of complainant's rights, but were expressly forbidden by her to print or publish the book—she claiming that Beale had no authority to make the contract before they had entered upon this expense.

They are therefore chargeable with notice of the want of authority on the part of Beale, if in point of fact no such authority existed, and are in no better situation than Beale himself in this issue with the complainant.

Indeed, the proofs show that these defendants, after they were forbidden to print and publish, and before they entered upon the business, sought a negotiation themselves through their friend and agent, with her, to procure her consent, and failed, the complainant insisting that the manuscripts belonged to her, and had been improperly withheld, and that Beale had no authority to make the contract.

The case is a peculiar one. The defendants are seeking to print and put into circulation a work in the name of an authoress, which name, as is obvious, is supposed to give to it its chief interest and attraction in the public estimation, against her remonstrance, and, as she claims, not only in violation of her rights, but also in some respects, as printed and sought to be published, in disparagement of her character, and one and the principal answer to her complaint is that she is not the authoress and that the work is the production of other minds.

Another ground is that although not the authoress she consented, in consideration of receiving a portion of the profits of the work, that her name should be used as the authoress of it.

A third, that being the authoress and proprietor, and therefore having a right to control the printing and publication, she authorized Beale, one of the defendants, to contract for the same with De Witt & Davenport, two of the other defendants.

There is no pretense that he had any written authority. It is sought to be made out by verbal statements and corroborating circumstances. This is met by the denial of authority in any form by the complainant, supported by the deposition of her father and sister. If they are to be credited, Beale has repeatedly admitted that he had no authority, had done wrong, and expressed his regret at his conduct in the business.

The deposition of the father, who naturally must have taken a deep interest in the matter, is very full and particular, both as to the relation in which Beale stood in respect to the manuscripts of his daughter, the terms and conditions of it, and also as to his admissions since the difficulty has arisen, repeatedly made to the father, that he had acted without authority in entering into the contract for publication.

The book itself contains a certificate of the Mayor and other public men of Norfolk of the character of the father as "a gentleman of geobity and honor," and entitled therefore to the highest confidence.

We are satisfied therefore that neither of these grounds of defense has been sustained, and that in the present posture of the case the preliminary injunction heretofore granted must be continued till the final hearing.

SUPERIOR COURT—May 18—Before Judge OAKLEY.

FURNITURE EXEMPT FROM EXECUTION.

John Leyor agt. John Orser, Sheriff.

Plaintiff complains that on 20th January last the Sheriff levied upon and invalidly seized and took away from the house of plaintiff (Thirty-fifth-st., near Fourth-av.) a quantity of necessary furniture, being a sofa, carpet and other articles contained in his parlor, and which was free from execution under the law exempting in favor of a householder, in addition to what had already been allowed by statute, $150 worth of furniture, provided it was not furniture the pay for which suit was entered. He brings action to recover the value of said furniture so levied upon, being $250.

In defense it was said that the Sheriff left to plaintiff in value what the law provided for, and also that the furniture in question being handsome parlor furniture, was not really necessary to the use of plaintiff or his family, and therefore not exempt.

In reply it was stated that a portion of what had been left was not really necessary and might have been levied upon with more propriety than what was taken; that the furniture levied upon was absolutely necessary, considering the position of plaintiff, which was that of a teacher, not only to the use of his family as furniture, but in order to enable him to sustain his ordinary respectability in society, and further that the whole of what was left was not worth in reality more than $75.

The Court charged that plaintiff was entitled to retain $150 worth of necessary furniture, in addition, &c., and that it is a question for the Jury whether that taken was necessary and if the required quantity had not been left. The Jury returned a verdict for plaintiff of $75, subject to the opinion of the Court. For plaintiff, Messrs. Pinney and Postley. For defendant, Messrs. Brown, Hall and Vanderpool.

Gilman Goodwin agt. Aaron H. Bean.

To recover on contract for shoring up building, already referred to. Verdict for plaintiff $525 and interest, being amount.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—May 18—Before Recorder SMITH.

Mary Wilson was tried and convicted of grand larceny in stealing $293 from Wm. W. Dennis, of Milan, Dutchess Co., N. Y., whom she enticed to her room, corner of West Broadway and Thomas, and there robbed him, after having given him drugged liquor. She was remanded for sentence.

Caroline Milner, Moll Hodges and Mary Wilson each pleaded guilty to petit larceny. The prisoners Miller and Wilson were remanded for sentence, and Moll Hodges was sent to the Penitentiary for six months, and fined $100.

Michael Masket was tried on a charge of burglary upon the store of Daniel Smith, No. 51 Cortlandt-st., from which, it was alleged, he stole property to the value of $103, owned by Barger, Hurlbut & Co., of Front-st. The jury were unable to agree upon a verdict, and were discharged.

The Court then adjourned for the day.

COURT CALENDAR—THIS DAY.

COMMON PLEAS—Part I—Nos. 688, 630 to 703, Part II—Nos. 627, 637, 644, 704 to 708, 710 to 716.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Monday* (four Courts)—Nos. 311, 316, 317, 319, 815, 394, 464, 467, 413, 589, 854½, 283, 635, 636, 840, 482, 583, 1152, 671½, 956, 125, 558, 661, 667, 219, 61, 69, 685, 45, 786, 748, 669, 909, 345, 768, 444, 289½, 536, 537, 98, 339, 109, 617, 776½, 777, 535.

The Circuit Court stands adjourned to Monday. Its Calendar was not taken up yesterday.

CORRECTION.—In the case of Gilman Goodwin agt. Aaron H. Bean, reported in Thursday's TRIBUNE, Mr. Goodwin desires a correction. In addition to the ground being mucky and wet, Mr. Goodwin proved that the walls were badly settled and cracked. A verdict was given yesterday (Friday) in Mr. Goodwin's favor, to the amount of his contract, $525, with interest.

MARRIED.

HARRICH—GRANT—On Tuesday, May 15, at the Church of the Holy Communion, by the Rev. Dr. Muhlenbergh, J. J. HARRICH to HATTIE, eldest daughter of the late James Grant of Puyghkipsie.

MATSON—SPENCER—At Rondout, Ulster County, on Wednesday, May 2, Mr. JULIUS A. MATSON to Miss SARAH E. SPENCER, both of this city.

O'HARA—TAPPEN—On Thursday, May 17, by the Rev. Mr. Wells, Mr. C. EDWARD O'HARA, son of Robert O'Hara, Esq., to Miss KATE D. TAPPEN, daughter of Col. Chas. B. Tappen, all of East Brooklyn, Long Island.

VAIL—POUND—In this city, on Thursday, May 17, at the residence of and by his Honor the Mayor, Mr. ALFRED VAIL to Miss MARY J. POUND, all of Plainfield, N. J.

Plainfield papers please copy.

DIED.

CATHELL—On Thursday morning, May 17, after a short illness, ARIADNE W., wife of Henry L. Cathell, and youngest daughter of Capt. Ira Shaler, 26 years of age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral at No. 166 West 11th-st., on Satuday afternoon, May 19, at 3 o'clock.

CASWELL—On Friday, May 19, of consumption, FITZWILLIAM CASWELL, aged 27.

The funeral will take place at St. Columbia's Church, 25th-st., between 5th and 9th-avs., at 9 A. M. on Monday, 21st inst. His friends are respectfully invited to attend. Requiescat in pace.

CUTLER—On Thursday, May 17, MARGARET A. CUTLER, at No. 157 Cherry-st., aged 30 years.

The remains were interred in the Cemetery of the Evergreens.

LOCKWOOD—In Newburgh, on Wednesday, May 16, LOUISA A., wife of William A. Lockwood, of consumption.

PEARSE—At Gabeon, Africa, on Saturday, Feb. 24, Mrs. E. L. PEARSE of the Mission of the American Board.

WILLETS—On 6th-day morning, 18th inst., JOSEPH WILLETS, in the 6'th year of his age.

His friends and acquaintances are invited to attend his funeral on 7th-day, the 19th inst., at 5 o'clock, at his late residence, No. 223 Henry-st. His remains will be taken to Westbury on the following day for interment.

WHEELOCK—In Brooklyn, on Friday, May 18, CLARK WHEELOCK, aged 66 years.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 91 Washington-st., on Sunday, the 20th inst., at 1½ o'clock P. M.

WITHERS—On Thursday morning, May 17, at 3 o'clock, after a long and severe illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, MARGARET, wife of John Withers, in the 49th year of her age.

The friends and relatives of the family, and also the members of Attorney-st. and Norfolk-st. M. E. Churches, are affectionately invited to attend her funeral on Sunday, May 20, at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 289 Houston-st., near Norfolk-st.

Dearest mother, thou hast left us,
Here thy loss we deeply feel;
But 'tis God that hast bereft us—
He can all our sorrows heal.

New-Brunswick, N. J., and Western papers please copy.

COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—MAY 18.

2,000 Missouri 6's	91½	100 Erie Railroad	43½
2,000 Ill. Int. Imp. Stk. '47	94½	50 do	b30 43½
5,000 Virginia 6's	96½	250 do	b30 43½
300 do	97	100 do	s60 43
7,000 do	s3 96½	50 do	s10 43
6,000 Tennessee 6's '90	96½	125 do	c 43
12,000 Erie Bonds of '75	86½	250 do	b3 43
5,000 do	b60 86½	200 do	47½
10,000 Ill. Cen. R.R. Bds	s3 72½	200 do	b60 49½
5,000 do	c 72½	25 Nor. & Wor. Railroad	36½
3,000 do	b3 73	50 Hudson River Railroad	33½
5,000 Chic. & R.Isl.R.R. Bs	85	146 N. Y. Central R. R.	s3 91
1,000 T.H.& Alton 2d Mt. Bs	78	50 do	s60 90½
1,000 Hud. Riv. 1st Mt. Bds	102½	200 Harlem Railroad	28
5,000 Hud. Riv. 3d Mt. Bds	71½	100 do	b10 28
45 Mechanics' Bank	118	100 do	27½
60 Mech. Banking Associa.	102	500 do	27½
8 Bank State New-York	103	100 Reading Railroad	c 57½
27 Seventh Ward Bank	125	100 do	b3 57½
3 Shoe & Leather Bank	100	200 do	b60 57½
15 Del. & Hud. Canal Co.	127	100 do	c 57½
20 U. S. Trust Co.	166	600 do	s3 57
10 Ohio Life & Trust Co.	33½	200 do	b3 57
600 Niagara Tran. Co.	b60 18½	100 do	57
150 Cumberland Coal Co.	s3 25½	100 do	b30 57
100 do	b60 26½	200 do	s30 56½
200 do	26	200 do	c 56½
200 do	s60 26	12 Michigan Central RR.	88
100 do	s30 26	17 Mich. So. Inda. RR.	101
200 do	b60 26½	25 Mich. So. & N. I. Con.	96
100 do	b60 26½	100 Cleve. & Toledo RR.	b3 79½
150 do	26½	50 do	79½
100 do	c 25½	150 do	79½
100 do	s30 25½	50 Panama Railroad	95½
50 Illinois Central RR.	92	55 do	95

SECOND BOARD.			
5,000 Virginia 6s	96½	500 Erie Railroad	b3 47½
10,000 Ill. Cen. RR. Bds	s3 72½	100 do	47½
400 New-York Cen. 7s	103	100 do	s3 47½
1,000 Erie Bonds of '75	86½	200 do	47½
1,000 Hud. Riv. 3d M. Bds.	71½	200 do	b3 47½
26 Cleve. & Toledo RR.	79½	13 New-York Central RR.	90½
50 do	79½	500 Reading Railroad	s60 56½
50 do	s30 79½	200 do	56½
50 do	s30 79½	50 do	c 56½
100 Cumberland Coal Co.	25½	200 do	b60 56½
200 do	25½	100 do	s60 56½
300 do	s30 25½	100 do	s3 56½
100 do	b60 25½	200 Harlem Railroad	27½
100 do	s3 25½	200 do	b60 27½
100 Erie Railroad	s10 47½	150 do	b30 27½
300 do	b60 47½	100 do	b3 27½

FRIDAY, May 18—P. M.

There was a fair amount of transactions at the Stock Board this morning, but the heaviness of yesterday continued to rule, and lower prices were touched for the leading fancies. Between the Boards and at the opening of the Second Board the market fell off still further, Reading touching 56¾ and Erie 47¾. Toward the close however there was a recovery of buoyancy. Reading went to 56¾ and Erie to 47¾, leaving off a little lower than these prices. The demand for Reading to-day has been to considerable extent from Philadelphia. The Erie statement in THE TRIBUNE to-day was considered favorable and caused some short stock to be bought in, but not sufficient to sustain the market. Harlem fell off ¼ ⅌ cent. New-York Central was steady at the close at 91. Panama was 95. Cleveland and Toledo fell off 1 ⅌ cent. Michigan Southern was steady. Cumberland was 25¼ and not firm. In Bonds the business was $60,000 and the market was rather heavy. State Stocks are quiet with a downward tendency.

In Exchange there has been but little done for the steamers of to-morrow and rates are not firm. Sterling is 9¾@10¼ nominally. Francs 5.15@5.12½. The supply of commercial bills is light.

In Freights the engagements to Liverpool include 2,500 bales Cotton at 5-32d. and Sea Island at 5-16d.; 100 bbls. Shoe-pegs, 1/, and 5,000 bushels Corn at 3½d., in ship's bags. To London 1,000 bbls. Rosin, 1/9. Ship-Screamer was taken up to proceed to Calcutta, thence to London at 84 10/, and a Deal charter to London at £5.

The payments at the Sub-Treasury are $107,207. Receipts $157,144, including $50,000 from Dubuque. Balance $2,250,374. Paid from Assay Office $147,083. Paid on disbursing checks $79,641.

The following sales of Stocks and Bonds were made at auction by Simeon Draper:

1,653 shares old stock Rocky Bar Mining Co. $100 each	$7
7 shares old stock Rocky Bar Mining Co.	6
2 shares old stock Rocky Bar Mining Co.	4
17,500 shares new stock Rocky Bar Mining Co., $5 each	1c
3,653 shares new stock Rocky Bar Mining Co., $5 each	1c
1,853 shares new stock Rocky Bar Mining Co., $5 each	1c
$13,000 7 ⅌ cent Bonds of Flushing R.R. Co., int. added	67

The imports of Dry Goods are small for the week, and show a moderate decrease as compared with the same week of last year, being $698,141 against $882,090. The details are:

ENTERED FOR CONSUMPTION.					
Manuf. of	Pkgs.	Val'e.	Manuf. of	Pkgs.	Val'e.
Wool	533	$174,326	Miscellaneous	160	47,993
Cotton	595	81,676			
Silk	504	208,492	Total	2,446	$540,529
Flax	249	55,737	1854	3,629	749,862
WITHDRAWN.					
Wool	119	$40,456	Miscellaneous	42	11,193
Cotton	94	16,128			
Silk	257	49,410	Total	618	$142,773
Flax	108	43,926	1854	413	108,223
WAREHOUSED.					
Wool	116	$29,752	Miscellaneous	156	26,102
Cotton	151	24,637			
Silk	41	13,823	Total	499	$99,912
Flax	55	5,542	1854	431	141,168

In the statement of the business of the Erie road, which we published to-day, in making the calculation of the per centage of cost of expenses on earnings, only the transportation expenses were considered. If the items of rent of the Union road, taxes, hire of engines and cars had been included, as probably they should have been, the per centage of cost of operating the road would have been increased about 3 ⅌ cent in 1854 and 2¾ ⅌ cent in 1855, as will be seen by the annexed statement:

	1855.	1854.
Earnings	$2,236,454	$2,543,793
Expenses	1,469,251	1,570,979
Expenses in 1854	53-90 ⅌ cent.	
Expenses in 1855	52-96 ⅌ cent.	

In relation to Land Warrants *Thompson's Reporter* says:

"There is a spasmodic demand for Land Warrants, and our quotations are $1 08 to $1 12½ ⅌ acre. The new Warrants will be along in about a month when the market will be supplied."

The debt of Detroit is $567,624, of which $123,608 is due in 1855, '56, '57 and '58.

The bridge over Grand River on the Painesville and Ashtabula Railroad, which was burned some weeks ago, is nearly rebuilt, and will be ready for the passage of trains next week.

There is considerable activity in uncurrent money, but there is no accumulation in the hands of brokers. The circulation is all needed for the business of the country and banks keep their notes out without any difficulty.

The effect of the large shipment of gold on Wednesday is not to be perceived in the money market. The supply is abundant both on call and papers.

The offerings at many of the Banks are not one-half as large as their receipts. We hear of further amounts of gold received to-day from the interior. There was a letter in town from Philadelphia stating that the Banks of that city held in their vaults only $500,000 in coin. This statement was contradicted, however, by a Philadelphian who stated that he knew of two Banks which alone had more than that amount in vault. The statement is also contradicted by the state of the Philadelphia Money market which is extremely easy.

Letters received to-day from the Land Department of the Illinois Central Railroad Co., state that sales of land are very large and that the office is crowded with applicants, most of them actual settlers, who buy 80 to 160 acres. Among the buyers this month is Judge Nebraska Douglas, who bought 4,600 acres at $10 ⅌ acre, in the neighborhood of 10,000 acres which he purchased some time since of Government. He proposes to make a great stock-farm on this property. The sales of May will be unprecedently large, having been over $220,000 in the first ten days of the month.

We have advices from Albany that the Trustees of the Utica and Schenectady Railroad will soon make a final dividend to the stockholders of that road, who are impatiently waiting for it. Our information however is not official.

The bids for the Cumberland Coal Company's loan will be opened to-morrow, 19th inst., at the office of Messrs. Dunham & Co., No. 13 William-st.

The receipts on the Morris Canal for the week and the year, compared with the week and year last year, are as follows:

	1854.	1855.
To May 6	$2,406 52	$2,395 75
Week ending on 13th	3,126 66	3,068 99
Total	$5,533 18	$5,639 74

This shows an increase of the present year's business of $7,206, being equal to an increase of nearly 36 ⅌ cent.

A breach took place in the St. Mary's Canal upon letting in the water, which may prevent the passage of boats for six weeks.

We cannot hear of any large amounts of gold going by the steamers to-morrow, but the shipment on Wednesday next from Boston will be a large one.

At Cincinnati the Money market has been quite stringent, in consequence of a large amount of paper maturing. Good paper goes at 12 ⅌ cent. At Philadelphia and Boston the Money markets remain very easy.

The Baltic brings advices of a large activity in Cotton and a further advance of ¼d. The sales of the week were 107,000 bales. Breadstuffs had also advanced—Flour 1/@2/ ⅌ bbl. and Corn 2/ ⅌ quarter. At Hamburg there was an immense speculation going on in Corn with a large advance. Consols did no show much change from last accounts.

The following table will show the fluctuations in Consols during the past week:

	For Money.			For Account.		
April.	Lowest.	Highest.	Closing.	Lowest.	Highest.	Closing.
Sat. 12	89½	89½	89½	89½	89½	89½
Mon. 30	89½	89½	89½	89½	89½	89½
May.						
Tues. 1	shut	shut	shut	shut	shut	shut
Wed. 2	89½	89½	89½	89½	89½	89½
Thur. 3	89½	89	89½	89½	89	89
Fri. 4	88½	88½	88½	88½	88½	88½

The Bank of England had again reduced the rate of interest, from 4½ to 4 ⅌ cent. Outside the Bank, however good bills were done at 3½ ⅌ cent, and loans on the Stock Exchange were 2 ⅌ per cent. The discount houses have reduced their rate for money on call to 3 ⅌ cent. The arrivals of specie reach over half a million sterling, chiefly from the United States and the West Indies, and some small parcels from Australia. A large amount of specie from the latter colony is known to be on its way. There has been a large business done in Silver and prices have been sustained, and for immediate delivery an advance has been given. Bar Silver done at 5/1, and Dollars at 5/, but these rates are in the extreme. The import of specie has been to some extent, but Gold is only taken for shipment to a limited amount, the Exchanges with the continent still ruling high.

The return from the Bank of England for the week ending the 28th of April gives the following results, when compared with the previous week:

Public deposits	£4,468,513	Increase.. £17,759
Other deposits	13,173,472	Increase.. 153,915
Rest	3,131,759	Increase.. 3,217
On the other side of the account:		
Government securities	£14,214,373	Decrease.. £60,000
Other securities	12,344,224	Decrease.. 88,218
Notes unemployed	8,432,165	Increase.. 352,630

The amount of notes in circulation is £20,359,680, being an increase of £96,815, and the stock of bullion in both departments is £15,499,409, showing an increase of £477,857, when compared with the preceding return.

In regard to the reduction of interest by the Bank *The Times* says:

"It is regarded with general satisfaction, since it will in part confidence, which is greatly needed, while its influence on the actual value of money, which was already below the rate now adopted, will be too slight to have in any important degree an unfavorable action on the foreign exchanges. Probably 4 per cent will remain the rate for a long time. The contingencies of an extended war and of the next harvest are those which might operate in an adverse direction, and on the other hand there is the certainty that the steady influx of specie must soon be increased by arrivals from Australia, which have been delayed for weeks by easterly winds. Even the contingencies of the war are not all of a character to lessen the possibilities of an easy money market, since with each day of their continuance a further contraction of business is observable, while by far the largest proportion of direct expenditure incurred is for home materials and labor. Russia, meanwhile, is obliged to import immense supplies, and to submit, in consequence, to a drain of gold which has for many months assisted in producing that favorable state of our money relations with the continent which is still maintained and is likely to continue. Under these circumstances, the harvest is the most important subject of consideration, and, although no opinion can yet be formed on its prospects, the fact is obvious that the lowering of the rate of interest can have no bearing on it, except such as prudence would dictate, since, as far as it has any effect, it can only increase the facilities for importations of grain at the present moment, and to that extent lessen the possible evils of a failure."

From the manufacturing districts the advices are not favorable.

In regard to American Stocks Baring says:

"The transactions have been very trifling during the last week, and the quotations, which remain the same, may almost be considered nominal; but Stocks are firmly held."

Markets.—CAREFULLY REPORTED FOR THE TRIBUNE.

FRIDAY, May 18, 1855.

ASHES—The market is steady for both kinds; the arrivals are light; sales of 40 bbls. at $5 31½@$5 87½ for Pots and $6 12½ @$6 25 for Pearls.

WEEKLY STATEMENT BY LESTER, PALMER & CO.

Stock on hand May 18, 1855:

Casks.	Pots.	Pearls.
First sort	447	46
Second sort	43	12
Third sort	4	11
Condemned	7	—
Total	501	69
		501
Total Pots and Pearls		570

COTTON—The market is quiet pending the news per Baltic, now at her wharf; the sales are estimated at 1,000 bales. We omit quotations.

COFFEE—The market is very dull; prices rule steady. The auction sale of Rio was well attended and spirited; all the offering of 1,017 bags was sold at good prices for low grades. At private the sales include 150 bags at 10⅝@10¾c.; 150 Laguayra at 10½c.; 100 mats Java at 15½c. By auction 1,017 bags Rio at 8½ @10¾c.

FLOUR AND MEAL—Under the influence of liberal arrivals of Western and State Flour, the market is 25c. lower and is unsettled, and in ordinary Western brands we noticed early in the day quite a panic and many of the sales made cannot be taken as a guide to the market. The better grades are heavy but are not very freely offered. The best brands extra Genesee are held by new houses and are well supported. The sales of Western Canal are 7,600 bbls. at $9 75@$10 for common to good brands. Michigan, Indiana and common to good Ohio and $10 62½@$12 75 for common to best extra Genesee and small lots $13. Included in the sales are 2,000 bbls. Wisconsin "Stone Mills," to arrive in two weeks, at $10 25—an extreme price. Canadian Flour is lower, and is unsettled; the arrivals are fair and the demand good; sales of 1,400 bbls. at $9 87½ for common Superfine, and $10 62½@$10 75 for common to best Extra brands. Southern Flour is firm and in request, with nothing to be had at the close at our inside figures; the arrivals are quite light; the sales are 1,200 bbls. at $11 12½@$11 50 for common to good brands Alexandria, Baltimore, and Georgetown; inferior brands co. at $10 75@$11, and favorite, fancy and extra brands at $11 50@$12 50. Rye Flour is without change; sales of 150 bbls. at $7@$8 50 for fine and superfine. Corn Meal is firmer; sales of 500 bbls. at $5 25 for Jersey and $5 37½ for Brandywine and Pinckneys.

GRAIN—A limited supply of Wheat in the market and prices are unchanged; the arrivals are light and we notice more disposition to sell for future delivery and at rather lower prices; we hear of only 38 bush. Red Southern (N. C.) selling at $2 50. Rye is lower and is unsettled; sales of 2800 bush. at $1 70; a contract for 5,000 bush. delivery on the 20th at $1 57½ was settled by the sellers paying $1,500. Oats are lower and unusual at 71@72c. for Northern and 62@72c. for Southern. Barley is nominal; sales of 800 bush. mixed at $1 15. Corn is better and in fair demand with less arriving; sales of 50,000 bush. at $1 14 for mixed and white, $1 15@$1 15½ for Southern and Jersey Yellow and $1 13 for New-Orleans. Included in the sales are 5,000 bush. mixed Western for August at $1 05 and 10,000 bush. do. for July on private terms.

PROVISIONS—The demand for Pork is less active and the market is easier; the arrivals are not large, but the trade appear disposed to await later receipts before buying freely; the sales are 300 bbls. at $16 62½@$16 75 for old Mess; $17 62½@$17 75 for new do.; $6 75 for thin Mess; $15 50@$16 for Clear; $14 50@$14 75 for new Prime, and $13 50@$16 for Prime Mess. Beef is in fair request and is steady; the arrivals are moderate; sales of 200 bbls. at $8 50@$9 12½ for Country Prime; $10@$12 25 for Co. Mess; $13 75 for Vermont Mess; $15 25 for extra do., and $14 75@$15 50 for repacked Chicago Prime Mess; prime at $21@$28. Beef Hams are dull at $17@$20. Korlsh Bacon is scarce at 9½@9¾c. Cut Meats are rather more plenty but steady; sales of 440 hhds. and tcs. at 9½@10c. for Hams—including 50 000 lb in bulk at the inside price—and 7½@ 7¾c. for Shoulders. Lard is firmer, the demand quite active; the sales are 2,200 bbls. at 10½@10¾c.—the latter price for small lots—and 1,000 kegs at 11½@11¾c. Butter is selling at 22@24c. for new. Cheese is lower; sales at 7@11c.

FRUITS—Sales have been made of 1,500 boxes, halves and quarters at $2 40@$2 45, most for the inside figure; 500 Layers at $2 75@$3; 2,150 bbls. Malaga Fine Apples, first this season, at $7@$8 ⅌ bbl.; 550 bunches do. Bananas at 75c. ⅌ bunch; 150 Kegs and bbls. Tamarinds, first of new crop, at 4c. 4 months; 800 Messina Fine Apples at $10 ⅌ bbl; 25 dozen Havana Pineapples at $3@$5 ⅌ dozen; a cargo, 7,000 bush. African Peanuts at $2 ⅌ bush., part sold before to arrive; 25 cases Citron and 200 bales Albant Almonds on private terms. Apples continue dull. Sicily Oranges continue to arrive freely; Havana are not to be had. Sales also of State Dried Apples at 7½c.; Dried Peaches at 18½c.; Plums at 15c. cash.

DRUGS AND DYES.—Turkey Opium has improved, with sales of 3 cases at $5 75; also Cream Tartar sales of 25 casks at 31½c. 6 mos.; 4,100 lb Tartaric Acid at 47@48c.; 3,000 lb American Red Lead at 7½c.; 6,000 lb Litharge at 7½c.; 50 tons Soda Ash at 1¾@1¾c.; 10 bales London Sifted Cochineal at $1 65@$1 80; 10 bales Blackstrap Soda, Newcastle, at 3½c.; 500 cs. English Sulphate Quinine at $2 55; 24 cases Refined Borax at 12@12½c., and 13 bbls. do. at 12½@12½c., and 10 casks Carb. Ammonia in bulk at 12@ 14c. jars extra.

WOOL—The market is still bare of Domestic Fleece and prices remain firm; the receipts are meager with some inquiry for all kinds; sales of 17,000 lbs. at 35c. for low and medium and 42c. for good medium. Pulled is also scarce. Foreign remains inactive; sales of 100 bales Washed Cordova on private terms. The auction sale of 745 bales yesterday was numerous y attended; the quality of California Wool is generally mixed and of inferior quality and only suitable for carpet purposes; the prices realized were truly in value.

SKINS—Domestic Deer are depressed with sales of 1,500 lbs. Florida at 32c. A lot of 30 bales Seal sold previous to arrival on private terms.

HIDES—The market is declared easier, with more inquiry at the abatement; sales of 2,300 dry California, 24 lb. at 18c.; 1,923 Angostura, 19½ lb. at 20c.; 1,000 Porto Cabello, 24½ lb. at 16c., usual selection; 2,000 Maracaibo, 23½ lb. at 18c., rejecting bad damaged; 474 dry Western, 42 lb. at 13c.; 284 dry Texas, 24 lb. at 13c.; 1,525 Savarilla, 23 lb. at 15c.; 500 City Slaughter at 72c., the latter an improvement.

LEATHER—There is less doing in this article to-day; the receipts are moderate and the market is generally maintained; sales for the week, 61,000 sides Hemlock and 9,400 sides Oak; stock remaining 1,066 sides of the former and 18,300 sides of the latter.

OILS—English Linseed is very firm but closes irregular under the announcement of the steamer below; sales from store at 95c. cash. Crude Whale is stiffly held at 70c., at which there is little doing. Refined is firm and salable at 77@78c. for Winter Bleached and 73@75c. for Spring. Crude Sperm is held above the views of consumers; last sales at $1 80@$1 82. Lard Oil is steady, with sales at Western Winter at 85@85c. time. Red is heavy, with sales of 50 bbls. Western at 55@60c. cash and time. Of Olive 250 bottles sold at $5 ⅌ for quarts and $4 50 for pints.

NAVAL STORES—The market remains dull for spirits Turpentine; the arrivals are not large. Sales in lots at 46c. cash. Crude is quiet, the prices being above the views of shippers. North County is held at $3 62½ and Wilmington at $3 25@$3 50 ⅌ bbl. Common Rosin is steady, with a fair inquiry; the stocks are moderate. Sales of 500 bbls. Wilmington at $1 90@$2 10 ⅌ bbl. delivered. Medium grades are in diminished stock and prices tend upward. Thin Tar is still scarce, with sales of Washington at $3 50@$3 75 in order in yard.

LEAD—The market is quiet and the stock is not large. Spanish is held at 6 25, and Galena to arrive at 6 31½ cash.

SUGAR—The demand is good at full prices; the sales embrace 600 hhds. Cuba Muscovado at 8½@8c. By auction, 200 bbls. New-Orleans at (average) 6½c.

MOLASSES—Holders continue firm, with a fair inquiry; the sales include 100 hhds. Cuba Muscovado at 26@29c.; 300 bbls. New-Orleans at 29@30c. By auction, 200 bbls. New-Orleans at 27c.

TOBACCO—Prices rule firm with an upward tendency; the inquiry is moderately fair; the sales include 92 bbls. Kentucky and Maryland at 6@12½c.; 250 bales Havana at 30@40c.; 400 bales Seed Leaf at 6@12½c.; 35 cases Florida at 14@22c.; and 60 bales Cuba on private terms.

SPICES—We hear of sales of 400 mats Cassia at 40c., and 14 cases Nutmegs at 97½c.

FIRE-CRACKERS—Sales have been made of 1,500 boxes Canton, part at $1 55.

TEAS—The auction sale to-day passed off with some life; nearly all the catalogue was sold at full prices. At private the demand has been fair; prices continue firm.

RICE—The demand is moderate; prices tend upward; the sales are 100 casks at 6@6½c.

SOAP—Sales have been made of 400 bxs. Castile at 10½@10¾c.; some old at 10c.

HEMP—Owing to an arrival of 5,000 bales Manilla it is now offered lower at 10¾c., 6 mos. American has resumed its quiet state, parties waiting the receipt of letters per steamer now here.

WHISKY—The market is firmer and the demand fair; sales of 60 bbls. at 38½@39c. for Ohio and Prices.

IRON—The market continues to favor the buyer for Scotch Pig and the demand is moderate; sales of 100 tons at $26@$27 in lots, 6 months.

FISH—There is a good demand, with a limited supply; sales of 1,500 quintals St. George's Codfish at $4 15, and 1,000 quintals Grand Bank at $3 87½@$4. Mackerel are in good demand, but are scarce. Box Herring are better and are scarce; sales of 3,000 boxes at 33@40c. for scaled, and 35c. for No. 1.

LIME—The demand is fair but there have been no arrivals, consequently no sales.

HOPS—The market exhibits more activity with a better export inquiry; sales of 75 bales new at 18@20c. and 5 bales old at 11@12c.

LARDS—The market is quiet; sales of 200,000 at $1 50 ⅌ M.

SALT—The market is steady and active. We notice sales since our last of a cargo of Turks Island, 2,000 bushels Marshall's, 4,000 Jeffries & Decroy's and Worthington's, 2,300 Ashtons and 5,000 Isagna on private terms.

FLASTER—Blue and white are in fair demand at $4 50 ⅌ ton, and Calcined at $1 87½.

BEESWAX—The market is steady; sales of 1,200 lb yellow at 27c.

COAL—Hard is firm at $5@$5 25 ⅌ ton by the cargo; foreign is dull.

Markets—*Reported by Telegraph.*

CHARLESTON, May 14.—We have no change to report in our COTTON market to-day. The sales amount to 900 bales at prices ranging from 9@10½c. The stock on hand is small.

CHARLESTON, May 16.—The prices of COTTON are advancing, the sales to-day sum up 3,000 bales at 9@10¾c.

SAVANNAH, May 14.—The sales of COTTON in our market to-day add up 1,300 bales at 9½@10¾c. We quote strict Middling at 9½@10c.

Receipts of Produce.

By Erie Railroad—3,550 bbls. Flour, 900 Hogs, 350 bbls. Eggs, 410 pkgs. Butter, 96 do. Ashes, 346 do. Provisions, 130 do. Whisky, 18 ⅌ ⅌ sides Leather.

By North River Boats—9,400 bbls. Flour, 41 pkgs. Ashes, 83 do. Whisky, 576 do. Provisions, 52 do. Cheese, 3,200 bush. Wheat.

Passengers Arrived

In United States Mail steamship Baltic, from Liverpool—Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Homan, child and servant; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Peck, Rev. A. N. Arnold, Mrs. Arnold and two sons, Frederick De Crado and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Lippitt, Lieut. and Mrs. J. B. Creighton, U. S. Navy; Mr. and Mrs. John Lamson, Jr., Miss Dash, Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus E. Pelly, three children and servant; Capt. Platt, British Army; Victor Freydenhagen, Miss Freydenhagen, Miss Finney, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gwynne and servant, Norman D. Sampson, Mr. and Miss Sampson, Mrs. Haley, two children and servant; Mr. and Mrs. J. Hosford Smith, daughter and son; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parks and child, Mrs. Newell and child, Mrs. Rippard, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, Miss Johnston, Miss Ewer, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rowland and child, Mrs. Booth and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, Miss Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cunningham and three children, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Cussons, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sturge and two children; A. D. Reid and child, Miss Daly, Mr. Latell and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Blyth and two children, Delafield Du Bois, bearer of dispatches from China; F. C. Lowell, W. F. Cary, Jr., James Sander, D. A. Booth, John Burwell, M. Swallow, W. Greenard, J. Sprague, J. Letcher, P. Blem, E. Moriarty, E. Lesson, J. Barron, F. Bassen, C. Waldach, John Marshall, R. Tissot, J. T. Wright, D. Bozz