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Selling 7 Per Cent Bonds at 50 Cents on the Dollar.

Mr. Clark Hackney, Washington, and Geo. Ingram, Esq., Waynesburg, have been appointed agents to sell a lot of the first mortgage bonds of the Waynesburg and Washington Railroad Company. They can be had on application to either of these gentlemen at about fifty per cent. They are a first lien upon the road, and as the amount is limited, and they bear seven per cent interest, they must be a secure and profitable investment.—*Washington, Pa., Reporter.*

The above announcement is a seeming contradiction in terms. The idea of proclaiming that a "secure and profitable investment" at 7 per cent can be had at 50 cents on the dollar is, to say the least, a tax on the credulity of the public. If we mistake not, two lots of these same bonds have already been sold at 50 to 60 cents on the dollar. At first they were limited to the stockholders, who, as a matter of privilege, were to get them at 55 cents. The first $40,000 were thus taken. Now comes a promiscuous offer to the public at 5 cents less, and even the 50 per cent thus realized is subject to the commissions of the agents. How comes it that a "secure and profitable investment" must needs be offered at such a frightful discount? If they are secure, then is it no longer true, as the Duke of Wellington once said it was, that "high interest means poor security," for these bonds will bear interest at the rate of 14 per cent. And this is the rate that the poor stockholders must pay before they get a cent on their investment, and when they come to pay them off they must pay two dollars for one of principal, and this, too, when United States government bonds, bearing only 4 per cent interest, are selling readily at 100 cents on the dollar in the town and county of Washington.

Why do people in Washington county prefer government bonds at 4 per cent to the W. & W. bonds at 14 per cent? If they esteemed them "secure" would they thus discriminate against themselves? And can any bond be considered "secure" that is offered at half price? "Secure" would seem to be a sarcastic expression under such circumstances. Is it not because that these bonds are suspected to be in-secure that they must needs be given away at such a miserable price. And does it not seem strange that the stockholders are willing to see their "secure" bonds sold at such a sacrifice—a sacrifice that they will feel and, perchance, resent hereafter. The curse of the country has been the mountain of corporate and incorporate debt that has thus been piled up by selling bonds at 50 cents on the dollar. It is the payment of 10, 12 and 14 per cent interest, thus created, that is calling for such excessive taxation in all the cities and more than half the towns and counties of the country, and filling the public mind with so much talk about repudiation. It is time to put a stop to it, when capital is begging for really "secure" investments at low rates of interest. If the W. & W. bonds are "secure" it is a fraud on the stockholders to sell them at 50 cents on the dollar, and if they are not secure it is a fraud on the public to offer them at any price whatever.

The Capitol Building at Charleston.

There was a good deal of talk during the pendency of the Capital question as to who really owned the so-called Capitol building at Charleston. It was charged at the time that it was virtually owned by C. P. Huntington and not by the people of Charleston. This charge turns out to have been substantially correct. But it seems by a dispatch to the *Courier* from W. A. Quarrier, at Richmond, that at last Mr. Huntington has been induced to "release his lien on the State House." The *Courier* thinks that "after much trouble, many trials and delays, the State House is in a condition to be turned over to the Board of Public Works with a clear title."

In announcing the release the Editor takes occasion to go for Huntington in pretty rough style, calling him a "Shark" and a "Shylock," and declaring that he demanded and has received "an extortionate and usurious debt." The *Courier* also calls upon the people to go for his railroad, the Chesapeake & Ohio, in the matter of taxation.

"We suggest that no man shall be sent to the Legislature from Kanawha County, by either party, who will not vote to tax the C. & O. R. R., for State, county, school and district purposes. We suggest further that the sheriffs in all the counties along the line of this road instruct the assessors, as the sheriff of Kanawha has done, to put on their books the road bed and rolling stock of the C. & O. R. R. Under recent decisions of the courts this road, by its recent sale and transfer, has forfeited its privileges and has unquestionably placed itself in a condition to be taxed. The *Courier* hereafter with persistance shall urge and advocate that this corporation bear its proportion of the burthens of taxation."

EX-SPEAKER EUSTACE GIBSON, the gallery cleaner, has been renominated for the House of Delegates down in Cabell county. There is an unpleasantness existing between him and ex-Auditor Bennett. Also between him and J. W. St. Clair, of Fayette county, who says that Gibson told him at Washington prior to the meeting of the last Legislature that if Windy Wilson did not retire from his candidacy for Speaker, he (Gibson) would vote against the Capital removal bill. This accusation Gibson lately denied in print, whereupon St. Clair comes out and pronounces him "a debased and cowardly liar" in Bennett's last paper.

FIVE carrier pigeons were let off yesterday (Sunday) morning from the tower of the Steubenville Court House. They were sent out from New York on Saturday for that purpose, a prize of $100 having been offered for a flight within a specified time from Steubenville to New York. They were let off at half past six in the morning, and were expected to reach New York (distance 350 miles, air line) at about 3:15 in the afternoon.

WHEAT.—New wheat is offering in good quantities, but at the prices, 65 to 70 cents, the farmers are not anxious to press sales. For lots delivered this week, 80 cents have been paid, but now 65 cents is the rate that holds. Where the price of wheat will at last settle is something that no fellow can find out until it has settled.—*Ironton (O.) Register.*

A Southern Editor's Visit to Wheeling.

We have a copy of the Hinds County Miss., *Gazette* of July 3d, in which appear several letters from the pen of its editor, Mr. G. W. Harper, at present sojourning with his relatives in this city. As is well known to many of our readers, Mr. H. is a Wheeling boy (or was when he was a boy), and as far back as 1837 helped to edit a little paper here called the *Whig*, from which we have recently quoted some old time reminiscences.

Mr. Harper's letters make mention of many little local observations that struck his fancy. We are at a loss, however, to understand how, having once lived here, he could ever write such a paragraph as this:

"I passed through the market buildings here this morning. The display of fruits and vegetables was surprising to me. The vegetables are fully equal in size to those raised by our best gardeners in Mississippi, though from a month to six weeks later. The strawberries, onions, beets, &c., are very large. How they are raised on the rock bound and iron girted mountains which surround this town, is a mystery to me."

"Rock bound and iron girted mountains" is a phrase that will come under the head of news to people hereabouts. We have some hills that have a good deal of stone in them—covered over with rich lime stone soil—but the iron in them is mostly a matter of imagination, else we would not get our iron from Lake Superior and Missouri. Mr. H. should not have so soon forgotten the richness of soil for which this region is famous. Its happy contrast with the vast gulch eaten wastes of Mississippi should have forever kept that characteristic in his mind. His memory, however, may be failing, and we therefore pass from this error of recollection to some of his other observations, and quote from them as follows:

"They complain of dull times and a money pressure here, but I do not feel or *see it. Everybody appears to be* overrun with business. The streets are full of loaded drays and wagons, the omnibuses and cars full of people, and an activity prevails at all the factories and mills that is glorious to see. Yesterday, for instance, a glass factory here shipped two car loads of glass to San Francisco; while nails, castings, paper, wagons, plows, &c., are seen leaving the city in all directions, by the many channels of steam communication, all manufactured here. There is money in manufacturing—ten times the money in manufacturing that there is in agriculture. If we could blend the two in Mississippi, what a prosperous people we might become.

The impression is universal here that the general shrinkage of values and hard times have about touched rock bottom, and that with the splendid crops which will be gathered in the fall, prosperity will return to the country throughout its breadth, and that then will come an era of unprecedented business activity, and of unprecedented soundness. The readers of the *Gazette* no doubt stand breathless awaiting the tide.

Mr. Harper paid a visit to Thomas Hornbrook's park a few days ago, to which he devotes an interesting letter dated June 25. This letter he begins with some reminiscencies of early days here, from which we quote as follows:

"Between 40 and 45 years ago, when I was a boy, a gentleman resided about one hundred yards from my father's residence in this city named Hornbrook. The children of the neighborhood, myself included, always passed his premises with some trepidation—and because it was known that he was an Englishman, that he was an eccentric man, and that he possessed some certain secrets which were not known to others. Among the secrets held by him, as I then understood it, was the manufacture of copperas, and his long rough sheds, and tight enclosure, devoted to the purpose, one hundred yards from where I am now hurriedly writing this letter, are as vivid to my mind to-day, as they were 45 years ago, when a boy. It was repeated among us boys then, that Mr. Hornbrook was so tenacious of his premises and his secrets, that he had declared, that in the whole range of the Universe, Mark Wilson was the only individual that could be allowed to come within the square of lots in East Wheeling that belonged to him; and it was said, and we boys regarded the remark as quite irreverent, that he often declared, striking his fist upon the table, that Mark Wilson could visit his grounds as often as he wished, "but that Jesus Christ if upon earth should not come in."

So much for the elder Hornbrook, and now for the work of a modern Hornbrook.

After this follows an account of a ride out the pike to Mr. Thos. Hornbrook's place and a description of it's often written familiar features. Mr. Harper was, of course, delighted with his visit, as all strangers are; and tells of the mottoes that he encountered in driving through the ground; praises its beautiful walks and drives; tells how neat and clean, attractive and lovely, he found everything, and thinks that "the Eden of our first parents must have borne some resemblance to this Park."

M. Harper is quite a genial writer, and his paper gives evidence of taste, ability and prosperity.

The Belmont Covnty Nationals.

The County Convention of the National party at St. Clairsville on the 4th was not very numerously attended, all parts of the County not being represented. There were enough, however, to constitute a respectable nominating body, and the following candidates were selected: Probate Judge, H. H. Gregg; Sheriff, Levi Cassell (Mayor of Bellaire); Surveyor, Chockley Dawson; County Commissioner Geo. W. Murphy; Infirmary Director, Wm. Lingo; Coroner, R. R. Chapman.

The delegates to the Steubenville Convention on the 11th are Patrick Whalen, Geo. E. Smith, Chas. Batzell, Sam'l. Simmons, F. E. Druman, W. J. Grove, J. M. Richardson, Wm. Ling, Joshua Kirk, H. H. Gregg and Isaac Hayes.

The County Executive Committee are Patrick Whalen, Ebert Heskett, and W. S. McCurdy. The platform adopted is as follows:

Resolved, That we fully endorse the platform adopted by the Nationals in convention at Toledo, on the 22d of February, 1878.

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this convention in view of the depressed condition of business and labor at present in this country, that the salaries now being paid to our county officials are too high, and must be reduced.

Resolved, That the ballot properly used is sufficient to secure labor its rights, to check the aggressive movements of centralized capital upon the industrial classes, and to insure to the American citizens every right guaranteed by the constitution.

Resolved, That we hereby pledge our sacred honor to support the preceding resolutions, and that we will make every honorable endeavor to elect the candidates of this convention.

TYLER county owes $3,596 71 overdue debt, on which she is paying 10 per cent interest. And yet her annual statement shows a balance in her treasury on June 1st of $6,240 20. Her expenditures for the poor last year were $1,033.

What is a Trunk Line?

The readers of the newspapers of the day constantly see mention made of Trunk Line railroads, but comparatively few fully understand what is intended by the designation. Some three or four railroad lines running westward from the Atlantic seaboard are sometimes not wrongly called Trunk Lines, as they form the main arteries of traffic toward the West. If any railroad in the country deserves or is entitled to the name of a grand Trunk Line it is the Chicago & Northwestern Railway. The company operating this great line now controls more miles of railway than any other in America, if not in the world. It is by all odds the most important line of railroad in any way connected with Chicago. No other road running out of Chicago carries anything like as many passengers or hauls anything like the volume of freight that is transported over this road. It alone runs in and out of Chicago every day in the year nearly as many passenger trains as all the other Chicago roads put together. As it is with passenger trains so it is with freight—it not unfrequently brings into Chicago fifteen hundred loaded freight cars in a single day, and if it does not bring in a thousand cars its managers think it is doing poorly. Forty to fifty passenger trains daily, leave and arrive at its depot at Chicago. Of suburban passengers it carries more than all the other roads that run to or from Chicago. These are facts that can be established by any one wishing to do so. No road but the very best could do the business this great line does. Its track is of the heaviest steel rail, and is kept in constant repair by the constant vigilance of an army of track men, and is patrolled day and night the year through for the double purpose of keeping everything connected with it in perfect condition, and for the entire safety of its patrons who are traveling over it.

No road *any where* can show a superior track, finer coaches, stronger, swifter or better locomotive-engines; and no other road west of Chicago has ever attempted to approach it in its equipment of Pullman Hotel and Sleeping Coaches. It alone, of all the western roads, has the celebrated Hotel cars, and on this line only can the traveler between Chicago and the Missouri river procure the comforts and luxuries that these cars alone can furnish. Other lines may talk of Dining cars, and sixteen-wheel coaches, but not one of them can offer you a Pullman or any other form of Hotel car. These cars combine great luxury with the greatest obtainable comfort, and at no increase in expense over the common, old fashioned and ordinary sleeping car. The marvel of those that travel on them is to know how the company can afford to run them and charge no more for berths than is charged in the old fashioned sleeper. The answer is found in the great volume of travel this road is carrying. The thousands flock to its lines where the hundreds seek its competitors. We are sure that no one who has once seen these cars would ever use any other if traveling in the direction they run.

They are not for the exclusive use of the rich, but are just as comfortable and elegant for the poorer traveler—costing to occupy these cars no more than does the occupancy of the old fashioned sleeper, no one need for fear of expense be prevented from using them. They have become "the rage," so to speak, with the Californians, and have attracted the majority of that class of travel.

If you are about to travel east or west between Chicago and Council Bluffs, Omaha, Denver or San Francisco it will pay you to see that you get your tickets by the *Chicago & Northwestern Railway*. At some future time we may give you further ideas about this great road.—*The Democrat.*

The Way Col. Ben is Setting Up the Pins—Good, Jackson and Johnson Have No Show Against Such Doings.

Parkersburg Sentinel—Democratic Paper.

Col. Ben Wilson was out here last week trying to arrange with the National party for an endorsement in their convention. Their call was for a convention to nominate a candidate for Congress on July 4th, and he hoped to forestall action by "fixing matters," so that he would receive their endorsement, and their strength being presumably large he thought perhaps he could then be elected. What the result of his negotiations were is unknown, but the Convention adjourned *sine die* without action, which is a little curious to say the least. It is common talk on our streets that so much money was demanded for silence. Col. Ben went away and returned in a couple of days and went away again. The Convention met and adjourned and the Congressional matter was left untouched. As we said the whole thing has an exceedingly curious aspect.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

B. & O. R. R.	A. M. 8:45	A. M. 10:35	P. M. 5:55	P. M. .....
		P. M.		
Cent. O. Div.	3:05	4:10†	11:15	.....
			A. M.	
W. P. & R. Div.	5:55	1:25	6:40*	5:00
		A. M.	P. M.	
Clev. & Pitts.	6:15	11:15	3:30	5:05‡
		P. M.		
P. C. & St. L.	7:07	4:47	6:17	

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.

B. & O. R. R.	A. M. 9:05	P. M. 5:00	P. M.	P. M 10:55
Cent. O. Div.	11:35		12:10	6:55
			A. M.	
W. P. & R. Div.	10:30	5:45	8:10*	6:55*
	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.
Clev. & Pitts.	10:55	5:55	8:29	9:02‡
P. C. & St. L.	9:07	11:32	7:52	

*Triadelphia Accommodation.—This train only runs between Wheeling and Triadelphia.

†Daily except Sunday—Newark Accommodation.

‡Steubenville Accommodation.—This train during the day passes backward and forward between Martin's Ferry and Bellaire, stopping when required at Sherman House, Ætnaville, West Wheeling and Gravel Hill.

ON AND AFTER WEDNESDAY, the 10th inst., Cars on the Wheeling & Elm Grove R. R. will run as follows. Cars will leave the City (corner of Market and Eleventh Sts.) and Stamm's at—

6:15 A.M.	10:55 A.M.	2:55 P.M.	6:55 P.M.
6:55 "	11:55 "	3:35 "	7:35 "
7:35 "	12:15 P.M.	4:15 "	8:15 "
8:15 "	12:55 "	4:55 "	8:55 "
8:55 "	1:35 "	5:35 "	9:35 "
9:35 "	2:15 "	6:15 "	
10:15 "			

*Sundays excepted.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send you a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* sep13-eodaw

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jy1 BENJAMIN DAVENPORT.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce our worthy fellow-citizen, CAPT. JOHN CAHLIN, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the County Court of Ohio county, and oblige

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EXPLAINED.

Who among the many thousand readers of this Paper has not had occasion to wonder at the sudden acquired wealth of some enterprising neighbor of his, who to the surprise of his friends suddenly began to improve his property, build stables, buy horses and carriages, dress elegantly, pay for everything in cash, and supply the village with gossip for months to come. Some would have it that he made a fortune speculating in Wall street; others again that he owned a few shares in the Big Bonanza Silver Mine which had suddenly quadrupled in value. Other wise-acres knew he had a rich uncle somewhere; in fact rumors ran thick and fast while the object of all this flutter and speculation kept on enjoying the best of all the world's goods and did not enlighten others as to the cause of his prosperity.

And now, gentle reader, shall we whisper to you the secret and tell you how Fortune found out this man, who dredging and delving for his daily living suddenly bloomed forth as a man of wealth. It was not Wall street, Silver Bonanzas, nor Gold Mines, nor any rich relative. It was simply a lucky Ticket in the Old Kentucky State Lottery of which this man had become the fortunate buyer. There are Three Capital Prizes in every drawing, and some one must draw them, and why may not you become the lucky holder of a fortunate ticket. The Kentucky State Lottery has during its existence paid more money in Prizes than any Lottery, Domestic or Foreign, whose tickets are sold in this country. No Drawings *HAVE EVER BEEN POSTPONED*, and Prizes have always been cashed without deduction on presentation. We also desire to call particular attention to the fact that all correspondence with our firm is strictly private and confidential, and that we will not under any circumstances publish the names of persons drawing Capital Prizes for the purpose of drawing custom to our Lottery.

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FOR SALE.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF
Valuable Short Creek Land.

By virtue of the authority vested in them by the Will of Henry J. Cranford, late of Ohio county, deceased, the undersigned Executors will on

WEDNESDAY, September 11, 1878,

At the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, in the city of Wheeling, beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., offer at public sale the "Short Grove" farm, lying about five miles north of said city, and one mile east from the Cabin Creek road, lately owned and occupied by said Henry J. Cranford. This farm contains about 230 acres, and has thereon erected a large and commodious Farm House. In good condition and repair; a good barn, with stable, dairy house and other necessary outbuildings. There is also on this farm a thrifty and productive Orchard of well selected fruit of various kinds. The farm is well watered, well fenced, and underlaid with coal. It is in good condition and peculiarly well adapted both for cultivation and for grazing.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money in cash in hand, and the residue in three equal annual payments with interest from day of sale, the purchaser to give his notes with approved personal security for the deferred payments, the same to be secured by proper deed of trust on the land sold.

Possession given on day of sale.

For further information apply to A. J. Caldwell, Attorney, No. 71 Twelfth street.

CHARLES CRAFORD,
ELIZABETH J. FAUNCE,
Executors.

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SALE OF VALUABLE
Business Real Estate.

The undersigned, John F. Edmundson, Administrator with the will annexed of Michael Tierney, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will on

WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of July, A. D. 1878,

Commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, in the city of Wheeling, Ohio county, W. Va., the following described real estate in said city, to-wit: All that piece of land fronting on the east side of Main street, between 16th and 17th streets, and being next south of the property of C. A. Worcester, formerly belonging to John Bishop, being twenty-two feet front on Main street and running back of even twenty-two feet in width to an alley in the rear thereof between Main and Market streets, being same property the legal title to which was conveyed to the undersigned by Morris Jones, formerly executor and trustee of said deceased. Said property is same occupied at present by Moses Bloch Bros. as a cigar factory, and is well situated for business purposes.

Title believed good, but being only a personal representative the undersigned will warrant the same specially.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money cash in hand, and the residue in two equal installments payable in one and two years from the day of sale, with interest. The deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

JOHN F. EDMUNDSON,
Administrator as aforesaid.

CALDWELL & CALDWELL, Attorneys. je28

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of two deeds of trust, one made by Christian Wagner and Christina Wagner, his wife, to the undersigned trustee, dated the fifteenth day of December, in the year 1874, and recorded among the public land records of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed of Trust Book No. 11, page 43, the other deed of trust made by Christian Wagner to the undersigned trustee, dated the ninth day of May, in the year 1874, and recorded among the public land records of said county in Deed of Trust Book numbered seven, folios 5 and 6, I will on

FRIDAY, the 21st day of June, 1878,

Beginning at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, West Virginia, in the city of Wheeling, sell at public auction the following described property, in said city, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debt secured by said deeds of trust and the expenses attending the execution of the trusts created by said deeds, but subject to a lien on part lot mentioned below of the north half of lot No. 3, of two thousand dollars with interest thereon from March 23d, 1877, till paid, by virtue of a deed of trust from Christian Wagner and wife to George Dusch, trustee, dated March 23d, 1868, and recorded among the public land records of said county, in Deed Book numbered 52, page 407; that is to say: I will sell as aforesaid the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay aforesaid: The eastern part of the north half of lot numbered seventy-nine, situated on the east side of Main street, "Centre Wheeling," and not fronting thirty-three feet on the west side of Alley "F" and running westwardly of even width fifty-four feet six inches, or to a point sixty-seven feet six inches from Main street, and which is the eastern line of that part of the north half of lot numbered seventy-nine, hereinafter mentioned, where part lot being the same piece of ground granted and conveyed to the said Christian Wagner by John A. Berry and wife and Matilda Lindsey by deed dated February 18th, 1868, and recorded among the public land records of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 53, folio 114.

Also, so much of the north half of lot numbered seventy-nine as lies between Main street and the piece of ground above described, and being the same property granted and conveyed to the said Christian Wagner by John O'Donnell and wife by deed dated March 23d, 1868, and recorded among said land records in Deed Book No.