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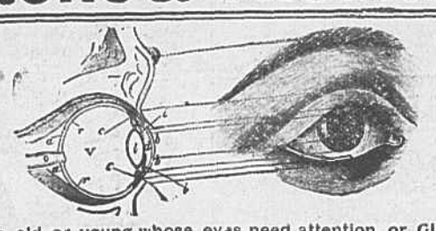

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Thermometer Record.

The thermometer at Schnepf's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday, registered as follows:

7 a. m.	45	3 p. m.	45
9 a. m.	45	7 p. m.	42
12 m.	47	Weather—Fair.	

Indications.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—For Western Pennsylvania, fair weather, except local snows on the lake shore. Colder northerly winds.

For Ohio, fair weather Thursday; variable winds; slightly warmer Friday.

For West Virginia, colder; northerly winds; fair weather Thursday.

THE FERRELL-WHITE WEDDING.

One of Wheeling's Most Charming Belles Marries a Virginian.

Last night at 9 o'clock one of the most notable nuptial ceremonies witnessed in Wheeling for many a day was performed at the First Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. D. A. Cunningham, the pastor, officiating. In this Lenten season anything in the way of a social event is so rare that this one was regarded with even more interest than would otherwise attach to it.

Miss Kate White, the handsome and accomplished daughter of Hon. Robert White, became the bride of Mr. Chiles Mason Ferrell, of Virginia, in the presence of one of the largest and most notable gatherings of a similar character seen here in recent years.

The invitations were so numerous and the acceptances so general that the throng of guests were seated with difficulty. The gates of the church were thrown open at 8, and a half hour later the commodious church was well filled, and soon after crowded to its capacity.

The interior of the attractive church was very handsomely decorated with potted plants, ferns, roses and other flowers and plants, the altar being decked with especial profusion.

At 9 o'clock the organist, Miss Emily Warwood, began the Mendelssohn Wedding March, and to its strains the bridal party entered, as follows: William H. Cassell and Robert Simpson; General Albert Franzheim and Guy Wagner; William Miller and William H. Shaffer, ushers.

Then came the attendants, Misses Jennie Baird and Gussie Hupp, Harry Stallman and Steve Rice, Misses Fannie Jordon and Minnie Bowie, Jas Anderson and Robert Lee Powers, Misses Mattie Wright and Louise Norton, Nelson Vance and Thomas Fox, Misses Virginia Sinclair and Annie Moes, William B. Day and William Gray.

The bridesmaids and groomsmen separated at the alter and formed a semi-circle on the two sides. The ladies were all attired in white silk gowns, high cut, ornamented with natural flowers. The bridesmaids and groomsmen were followed by the flower girls, Misses Mattie Caldwell and Annie Waddle, and following them came the bride and groom. Miss White never looked lovelier than in her bridal dress of white silk, made *en train*, v shaped.

The ceremony was brief but impressive. When it was over the bridal party left the church and was driven to the residence of Colonel White, on East Fourteenth street, where an elegant wedding feast was partaken of.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell expected to leave last night on an extended bridal tour, but the delay of railroad traffic, owing to the floods, made it imperative to modify this plan, and they will remain in Wheeling a day or two.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

THE GRAND this evening—"Devil's Mine."

OPERA HOUSE this evening—Gorman's Minstrels.

IN the Police Court yesterday Amelia La Blanche's house netted the city $55.50.

FRANK FALLOURE was fined $10 and costs by Mayor Seabright yesterday for violation of the ordinance governing vaults.

DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL JOHN C. DEVINS and S. Nesbitt, jr., the well known real estate agent, have formed a partnership to engage in the real estate business, under the firm name of Nesbitt & Devins. Both are energetic and intelligent, and the new firm may be expected to be a success from the start.

YESTERDAY morning a man named Leunert was arraigned before Mayor Seabright on a charge of drunkenness. He has but one arm. The Mayor gave him his choice of leaving the city or going up for ninety days, and he promised to leave, but last evening he was again behind the bars, drunk again.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

A. T. Cline, of Grafton, is in the city to-day.

Mr. David Davidson, of Clarksburg, is the guest of Mr. E. Buckman here.

J. B. White and Miss Emma Walker, of Charleston, registered at the McLure House yesterday.

George Montgomery and A. J. Montgomery, oil men of Washington, Pa., are at the Hotel Windsor.

Gen. A. A. Frausheim got home yesterday from Charleston, via the Chesapeake & Ohio and Washington City.

General Agent Legre, of the B. & O. Railroad Company, has arrived and assumed the duties of his new position. The flood gave him a tough job to start on.

Gorman's Minstrels To-morrow Night.

Of Gorman's Minstrels, which are to appear at the Opera House this evening, the Boston *Herald* says: There was not a number on the programme that was not encored. "The Dancer's dream," and "Twilight in Dixie" are the two numbers which seemed to please the audience most, the latter being especially praiseworthy and full of original and taking hits. The Messrs. James, John and George Gorman were heartily received, seen often and always gave satisfaction. Arthur Rigby made a hit in his monologue entertainment. Messrs. John Hyams, Alexander Cameron and J. M. Norcross contributed most acceptably to the vocal part of the programme, and Layman, the expressionist, and Reio, contortionist, added much to the general enjoyment.

No Court Yesterday.

There was no session of the Circuit Court yesterday. In Part II the case of Lawson vs. Samuel Laughlin's administrator was called again, having already consumed two days' sessions, but it had to be postponed until to-day, owing to the absence of two jurors who were unable to be present on account of the flood.

Mrs Senator Smith Dead.

Mrs. B. J. Smith, wife of the late State Senator for this district, died yesterday at Chattanooga, Tenn. All of her sons, including S. G. Smith, of this city, were at her bedside.

A FATAL EXPLOSION.

A House Blown Up at Martin's Ferry and Nine People Burned.

A terrible explosion occurred in Martin's Ferry last night. The frame house of William Kuntz, corner of First and Penn streets, was wrecked. Natural gas was the cause. Nine persons were burned. Mrs. Kuntz will die, and a girl named Groves is in a critical condition.

The building, a story and a half frame, of eight rooms, is occupied by William Kuntz and H. H. Groves. The former, who has a family of eleven, lives in five rooms, and Groves occupies three. Along the street close to the house is a natural gas main. The flood caused a break in this and the escaping gas seeped through the ground into the cellar, and working its way through the floor, became ignited, and a terrific explosion took place.

The report was very loud, and shook all of the buildings in the neighborhood, and the flash was seen from various parts of Martin's Ferry. The east and south sides of the building were blown out and the roof fell in.

Mr. A. B. Gilmore, the C., L. & W. agent, telephoned for the fire department and all of the physicians in town. The department and the physicians responded in good time, and the injured people were conveyed to different places.

The persons in the house at the time were Mr. and Mrs. William Kuntz and children, John, Amelia, Henry, Lottie and Eddie; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Groves and children, George, Cora and Ray, and Mrs. John R. Thomas and children, George and Carrie—making thirteen in all.

Mrs. Thomas and two children were spending the night with Mr. and Mrs. Groves, they being relations. Mr. and Mrs. Groves, Mrs. Thomas and Cora Groves were sitting in front of the fire in the front room, while Carrie and George Thomas, George and Ray Groves were in bed. Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz were also sitting in front of the fireplace in their front room of the house, with four of their children upstairs and the baby in the cradle near Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz.

Mrs. Kuntz was carried out by her husband after extinguishing the flames with blankets and turned over to Mathias Hunker, who carried her into a skiff. Mr. Kuntz and others looked after their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Groves were scarcely able to get out of the house, and their children were rescued with difficulty. It required the combined efforts of several men to get out the Thomas children. One of them was pinned between the foot of the bed and the edge of the roof, and it was exceedingly difficult to extricate him. The clothing of several of the persons down stairs was ignited, and it was a hard matter to extinguish it under the circumstances.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz were conveyed to the City Hall, where they were attended by Drs. Hewey, Hobensack and McGlenn, with the assistance of others. The physicians say that Mrs. Kuntz cannot live over twenty-four hours. Her face and head were terribly burned, and the skin burned off and into a crisp from head to foot.

Mr. Hunter's hand, right leg and face were burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Groves and children and three of Kuntz's children were taken to the residence of John Burkhardt, near by. Mr. and Mrs. Groves are burned all over the head, face and hands, and their daughter Cora, aged 4 years, was so fearfully burned from head to foot that she will probably die. George Grove and Amelia Kuntz were only slightly burned.

The heads, faces, arms and legs of George and Carrie Thomas, aged 11 and 12 respectively, were badly burned, and it is feared that the former is burned internally. They were cared for by Drs. Williams and Shuttleworth, at the residence of James Craig, on First street.

The Kuntz house was surrounded by water and could be reached only in skiffs. The firemen worked in the water at extinguishing the flames for two long hours.

Natural Gas Short.

The explosion at Martin's Ferry last night may cause the cutting off of the gas from the factories on the Wheeling company's line. The company had two men make a careful examination of this very line last Friday, and nothing was found wrong with it. It is evident that the trouble came from a breakage of the main caused by high water.

THE KILLING OF GEORGE HESS

One of the Saddest Stories on Record. Taken for a Burglar.

The killing of George Hess at Pleasant Valley night before last, chronicled in yesterday's INTELLIGENCER, was purely accidental, and the story is harrowing in its details.

Mr. Hess's wife was ill, and the water getting into their residence in Fulton, he concluded to take her and their child to her father's, Mr. Ball's, at Pleasant Valley. He procured a hack and they were driven to Mr. Ball's.

Mr. Hess called out to the family, and not making them hear, took his child, a little girl, in his arms, and went to the door, which he shook to arouse the inmates.

The door was pulled open suddenly, several revolver shots and a shotgun discharged, and Mr. Hess fell dead.

Three times recently burglars attempted to gain an entrance to the Ball residence. Once one of the sons emptied his revolver at a fleeing burglar, only to find that two others were in the house, and as he was defenceless, they escaped.

Messrs. Luke and Will Ball, brothers of Mrs. Hess, took Mr. Hess for a burglar. The shotgun inflicted the fatal wound, which was an awful one in the face.

The two young men were distracted with grief and remorse. Mrs. Hess has been in delicate health, and was in a precarious condition yesterday.

Coroner Schultze examined into the affair and rendered a death certificate in accordance with the facts.

Transfer Recorded.

Clerk Hook yesterday admitted to record two deeds of trust and transfers as follows:

February 18, by William V. Hoge to Isaac Johnson and wife, for $250, the east half of lot 11 in Churchill's addition to Wheeling.

February 13, by Mary J. Hobbs and W. G. Hobbs, her husband, to Frank Schmitt, for $1,100, the north twenty feet of lot 1 in square 2 of Churchill's addition.

The Clark Safe Robbery.

In the case of Charles Lippincott and John Riley, charged with robbing Julius Clark, the saloon keeper, of $253, Riley was yesterday honorably discharged, there being not a particle of evidence connecting him criminally with the robbery. Lippincott was held in $1,000 bail, his mother went on his bond, and he was released.

LAMBETH'S Celebrated Scotch Choir from Glasgow (Original Balmoral), will give a grand concert in the Opera House of Wheeling on Monday evening, the 23 day of March. Nothing like it has appeared here. Look out for a reserved seat, for there will be a crowd. Proceeds after expenses to be given to The West Virginia Home for Aged and Friendless Women.

THE mosquito as a public singer draws well, but never gives satisfaction. Salvation Oil, however, always gives satisfaction in curing at once insect bites or any other sores or wounds. Price 25 cents.

E. L. ROSE & Co., No. 51 Twelfth street, have left a few of the finest of their elegant Holiday Sewing Machines, which they will offer at prices sure to make room for new goods in other lines. Don't miss this opportunity.

FLOOD OF '91.

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one a good idea as to how large the river really is. One can see up the river two miles, and down nearly as far. Wheeling Island from this point is a sad looking sight and a portion of Martin's Ferry looks as bad. First street is covered from a depth of one to six feet up to Hanover street, and a part of the street above that point and parts of other streets are covered. The alley between First and Second streets is under water from the bridge to Hanover street, a long distance. The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling track is out of sight, and some of the telegraph poles below the bridge are half under water. Many of the buildings in the bottom are surrounded and some small ones are overturned. The ferry boat "Climax" and the wharf boat are seen anchored at Washington street, far away from dry land.

The forge department at the Laughlin mill was obliged to shut down on Tuesday. The East factory could not go in yesterday and neither was started. The Northwood Glass Works shut down on Tuesday night and the Buckeye yesterday morning. The Etson did not run after noon. The last work done at Spence, Baggs & Co.'s foundry, Mann's foundry, McDermott's tool works and Mear's keg and box factory and Warwood's tool works was on Tuesday night. The Ætna and Standard mills had to shut down yesterday. At the Buckeye and Northwood glass factories and the two foundries men worked all night Tuesday moving and getting ready for the flood, and many worked hard all day yesterday. A vast amount of work was done at these places. Spence, Baggs & Co. were obliged to move most of their casks in boats.

The water entered Barney McEntee's saloon on Second street about 2 p. m. He immediately moved upstairs and opened out on the C. & P. railroad track as formely, the track being several feet above the high water. The high board fence put up by the railroad company and securely fastened with sheet iron stripe, stood in front of Barney's door when he opened up in the new stand, but McEntee did not mind a little thing like that, and quickly made a twenty-foot opening in the fence.

Three or four barns and coal sheds, etc., were caught by Martin's Ferry men. Three bales of hay were found in one barn. One man saw a fine large chicken on some drift wood and rowed out and caught it. He will keep the chicken as a reminder of the '91 flood.

In the inundated parts there has been considerable sickness and some of the sick were removed. At Don Mrs. John Ulrich is sick in bed in the second story of her residence. The water is well up in the first story and Dr. Fisher, the attending physician, was taken to and from the house in a skiff.

WHERE DOES THE WATER GO?

A Strange Phenomena in a Cellar Which Nobody has Explained.

A curious phenomenon developed in the cellar of Christian Schnepf's drug store, in the Riley Block, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. At a few minutes before 4 the water began to come in through a six-inch crock sewer. As the river rose the cellar filled up to three feet. Suddenly the brick floor in the southwest corner gave way, making a ragged hole right in the corner, about two and a half feet across. Into this opening the water ran till the cellar was clear. By that time the water in the river was at least two feet higher than the bottom of the cellar, and the pressure caused the six-inch sewer to discharge the water into the cellar very rapidly and with considerable force. The hole in the corner was, however, equal to the task, and the water from the sewer passed off through it without clogging it a particle or in any way indicating that the space into which it ran was limited as to capacity.

It is known that there once was a well near the site of the Reilly Block, but the six-inch stream with a three-foot pressure, and a limitless supply back of it, would in a few minutes fill it. Occupants of the building were considerably alarmed lest the washing water might weaken the foundation.

SPRAY FROM THE FLOOD.

And Flotsam and Jetsam From the Swollen Tide.

The expressmen enjoyed a boom.

Pianos were still being hauled off the Island at daylight yesterday.

Island real estate will boom all the same when the clouds roll by.

Lots of people took tours of inspection in the omnibuses yesterday.

Residences on high ground will be at a premium for a brief season now.

Lots of Island residents missed their favorite morning paper yesterday.

Twenty electrical cars lined up together make a very imposing array.

The best guessers of Tuesday night were all willing to give it up yesterday morning.

Two small shanty houses at the foot of Seventh street were lifted off their foundations.

A great number of the flood sufferers are quartered in the Fifth and Sixth ward schools.

West Wheeling is completely inundated to the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad tracks.

About 200 pianos were brought out of flood surrounded houses and taken care of by the music houses.

Shooting rats off the stringers of fences was great amusement for Island kids yesterday morning.

Restaurants and hotels were overrun with the homeless wanderers who had to hunt board and lodging on short notice.

Hall Saddler and his son George operated the popular Olivette ferry for the benefit of the flooded district, and it was a great accommodation.

The Caldwell & Peterson Company got all its heavy goods up into the second story before the water got in. It took hustling all night, but it saved heavy loss.

About 4 o'clock in the afternoon word was received in the city that the telephone wires between this city and Bellaire were down. Some of the poles were probably washed out.

There was the most motley collection of garbage, rubbage and truck of all kinds on Twelfth street west of Main last evening that was ever collected together in an equal space.

Capt. Fred Kline, of the Bellaire packet R. E. Phillips, when the water invaded his house, moved his furniture upstairs and took his family aboard the boat till the water recedes.

Charles Rohrig, the Eighth ward butcher, had eight feet of water on his floor. His ice house was also flooded, and the warm water will rot and destroy the whole stock. It will be a heavy loss.

The Public Building Square was filled with lines of barrels, boxes, agricultural implements and buggies yesterday. They were removed there from flooded warehouses.

People whose personal property is left lying outdoors without protection, on account of the flood, should keep a lookout for sneak thieves. Strangers floating about the flooded districts should be required to give an account of themselves.

A lady was heard to remark to a neighbor across an Island street yesterday morning before the water got into her house: "This is my first flood, and I am enjoying it very much." Wait till the water goes down and she sees the mud on the floors!

The flag put on the partly completed channel pier of the new bridge to the Island at the time of the last freshet was still there at a late hour before daylight yesterday morning, but at 8 a. m. it had disappeared, and all that was visible of the pier was a ripple in the surface of the river.

AN INTELLIGENCER reporter interviewed forty-three residents of the Island yesterday as to the comparative heights of different points in the Seventh ward. Of the forty-three, forty positively asserted that they lived either on the highest point or on the next to the highest point, and every one of those who lived on next to the highest point had been invited to move his family and things into the house of some man on the highest point.

FALLING AT PITTSBURGH.

The Loss Estimated at $1,000,000—Business to Resume To-day.

PITTSBURGH, PA., Feb. 18.—At 1 o'clock this afternoon the flying current in the Allegheny river reached thirty-two feet eleven inches and began to slowly recede.

As even the wildest estimate had placed the high water at twenty-five feet, the great damage is due to carelessness in removing goods. With nearly every iron mill flooded and closed down, railroad tracks washed away, squares upon squares of streets flooded to the second story and thousands of cellars filled, the direct loss by the flood cannot fall less than $1,000,000. The poor living along the rivers have suffered so greatly that appeals for aid have been issued by the Mayor of Allegheny.

The greatest losses, of course, fell upon the down town wholesale stores, and the riverside establishments out Penn avenue, where fully three miles of cellars are filled to the first floor. Added to this, building inspectors say the flooded districts have suffered great injury in the way of damaged foundations.

To-night the river has fallen several feet, and trade and street car lines will open to-morrow. The damage to railroads has been generally repaired and all trains are running slightly behind time. Reports from all up-river points show rapidly declining waters, and people are returning to their homes to figure up and repair the damage, which, in every case, is far greater than was expected.

AT JOHNSTOWN.

A Body from the Flood of '89 Unearthed by the Flood.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Feb. 18.—It is found that the foundations of many houses are undermined. The bones of a flood victim were found at the point to-day, having been washed up by the waters. They were taken to the morgue and then interred in the "Unknown plot" at the cemetery. Street cars are running again, and it is expected that the Cambria works will resume operations to-morrow. The most serious loss is the destruction of bridges.

Youngstown's Flood.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 18.—The steady rise in the river during the past twenty-four hours has caused the lower portion of this city to be submerged and many industrial establishments are threatened with inundation. North and south of here railroad tracks are undermined and great damage will be done. The city was shut out from railroad connection.

Cincinnati's Prospects.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—The river has been stationary here all day at 41 feet 9 inches, but the upper river flood will begin to reach here by night. Only cold and clear weather for the next week can prevent a disastrous flood.

The Flood at Parkersburg.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Feb. 18.—At 7:30 tonight the river is 37 feet and rising 3½ inches an hour. The weather is cool. All cellars on lower Ann street are flooded. No trains are running on Ohio River Railroad. Coal and oil cars were borrowed from the Baltimore and Ohio to run on the trestles to keep them in place. A large number of families are moving. The Ohio is backing up the Kanawha so swiftly that a great current is found up stream. Not much damage has been done here so far, but everybody is apprehensive. The suburb of Riverside is in great danger and the mills are all shut down.

Coming Up at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Feb. 18.—The river is rising at a rapid rate and the situation is already serious.

Take Up Your Carpets.

CLIFTON, ARIZ., Feb. 18.—The Frisco river is booming and threatens to wash the town away. The river is rising a foot per hour. Continuing six hours at that rate the town is doomed.

Tourists,

whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and $1 00 bottles by all leading druggists. DAW

Jr. O. U. A. M. Excursion.

For the meeting and parade of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Societies at Wheeling, W. Va., Saturday, February 21, the Baltimore & Ohio Company will sell excursion tickets, at one fare for the round trip, from Grafton and Pittsburgh and intermediate stations, good returning until Monday, February 23.

Java Coffee Cheap.

Real Java coffee costs 28 cents a pound, but Marvin's Java coffee cakes, the daintiest and best cakes made, are to be had for 10 cents a pound. Your grocer keeps them; you will be delighted with them. TATH

MOTHERS should bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is harmless to children. It contains no injurious substance. They incur no risk when they give it even to babies. Then long experience has shown that it is especially adapted for the cure of coughs and colds incident to childhood. It cures them promptly, and is pleasant and safe for them to take. For sale by W. W. Irwin, C. R. Goetze, J. Klari, C. Schnepf, M. W. Heinrici, John Coleman, W. E. Williams, C. Menkemiller, W. C. Armbrecht and S. L. Brice. DAW

Cinderella's Slipper.

Cinderella and her slipper are well known to the little folks of to-day, and another thing that is becoming even more popular is Marvin's Cinderella cakes. You should see them, the daintiest prettiest little things on the market. You can get them from your grocer for five cents a glass. Don't forget them. They are the nicest things in the world to put in your school lunch. TATH

FOR THE CHILDREN.—Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a great favorite with mothers for their children, as many of them have learned from long experience in the use of it that it is reliable. It promptly cures their children of coughs and colds, prevents them from having the croup, or cures them of croup. They have also found that there is no danger in giving it even in large doses, and that it is pleasant for them to take. For sale by W. W. Irwin, C. R. Goetze, J. Klari, C. Schnepf, M. W. Heinrici, John Coleman, W. E. Williams, C. Menkemiller, W. C. Armbrecht and S. L. Brice. DAW

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BELLAIRE.

All Sorts of Local News and Gossip from the Glass City.

Miss Daisy Dobbs, of Wheeling, is visiting at the home of Adie McMillen.

James Johnston left yesterday for Wheeling, where he will work for Dick Mansfield.

Mr. Harry Alexander, of the Washington, Pa., *Reverse and Examiner* was in the city yesterday on his way to Woodsfield, where he and his brother James have just closed the purchase of *The Spirit of Democracy*. They paid $9,000.

Perry Hamsley and his wife, Jennie Hamsley, were recognized to the Common Pleas Court by Squire Roeder in the sum of $500 each upon the charge made by Coroner Boyd that their neglect had been the cause of the death of their little seven-year-old daughter.

Yesterday morning at a quarter to 4 o'clock Marshal Sheppard, who has been keeping a sharp lookout for crooks, surprised one of that fraternity breaking into the store of Apple Bros., of Bellaire. He made a desperate attempt to get away. The Marshal called to him to surrender, and on his refusal shot him, the shots taking effect in his arm and breast. He was taken to the St. Cloud Hotel, where he lies in a critical condition. He gave his name as Ellis Adams.

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Additional Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The stock market to-day was again dull and featureless outside of a few stocks, but weakened in the afternoon and closed generally lower. The speculation is still entirely of a professional nature. The general list developed some strength upon the covering of short sales of yesterday, the Villards being notable among the usually active stocks. Dullness and stagnation, however, spread the entire list, and the announcement of the suspension of the American Loan and Trust Company caused a pressure of long stock upon the market, and while Burlington and Rock Island were driven down, the general list responded to the loss in these shares by slight declines only. The market finally closed dull and steady at about the lowest prices, but generally within slight fractions of last evening's figures.

Railroad bonds less active. Sales $927,000.

Government and State bonds steady.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Wheat, No. 3 red 98c; ungraded $1 11@1 12½; No. 2 red February $1 10⅝; March $1 10¼@1 11¼; May $1 06⅝@1 07⅝; June $1 04@1 04⅝; July $1 00⅝; August 98⅝c. Corn, ungraded mixed 63@65c; February 62¼@60c; May 60c; July 59⅝c. Oats, February 53@53½c; March 53c; May 51⅞c; spot No. 2 white 53c; mixed western 51@51½c; No. 2 Chicago 53c. Pork quiet; old mess $9 25@10 25; new mess $10 50@11 25; extra prime $9 00@9 75. Cut meats quiet. Lard weak; western steam $7 90; April $8 16; July $8 26; August $8 40.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 18.—Flour steady. Wheat steady; No. 2 red $1 06; receipts 6,000 bushels; shipments 7,500 bushels. Corn stronger; No. 2 mixed 54½c. Oats firmer; No. 2 mixed 43½c. Rye easier; No. 2, 87c. Whisky steady at $1 14. Provisions firm. Butter, sugar and cheese steady. Eggs firm at 12½c.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, Feb. 18.—Hogs in good demand and higher; common and light $3 25@3 65; packing and butchers $3 60@3 85; receipts 1,700 head; shipments 700 head.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Pig iron quiet; American $15 50@15 70. Copper nominal at $14 25. Lead steady at $4 30. Tin firmer; straits $19 90.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 18.—Cotton steady; middling 9¼c.

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