



FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 25.

Nothing is more apparent to well-informed Americans who talk with many of their fellow-citizens on the subject, than the fact of the utter ignorance prevailing among the great majority of the latter respecting the tariff.

The Kentucky Court of Appeals has just sent down a decision that should, if men were wise, do more to prevent drunkenness than all the prohibition laws that could be printed.

And so, after all, as stated in the news columns of yesterday's GAZETTE, the State at the recent election not only elected a large democratic majority to the legislature, but gave a democratic majority of the popular vote.

The Richmond Dispatch in the preparation of its table of the returns of the recent State election got the figures for Henrico county reversed, making that county cast 1980 democratic, instead of republican votes.

It will be pleasing to the bondholders of Clarke county to know that as soon as Commissioner Armstrong is ready with his report, now expected in a few days, they will be paid the amount of their coupons.

WASHINGTON. The President now talks about the probable necessity for his being a candidate for re-election, but says retirement and rest from public service would be more agreeable.

Among the strangers in the city to day is Mr. W. Gordon of Richmond, one of the counsel in the Virginia habeas corpus cases now before the U. S. Supreme Court, and also in the Clarke county bond cases now in the courts of Virginia.

Senator Cockrill of Missouri, in a short talk with the GAZETTE's correspondent to day, said sectional feeling was much stronger in the North than in the South, and for that reason he thought it would be unwise and impolitic for the democrats of the South to demand of the next national democratic convention the nomination of a Southern man for Vice-President.

The chief talk at the Capitol this morning was about the election of the doorkeeper of the next House, and the charges against the incumbent, Mr. Donaldson, that Representative Breckinridge threatens to present to the House after election. The door keeper has more patronage at his disposal than all the other officers of the House combined; consequently more people are interested in the election of that officer.

are claimed by Mr. Donaldson as his supporters. General Lee, it is understood, has expressed no preference. Quite a large delegation of Alexandrians were at the Treasury Department to day to urge the appointment of Mr. Frank Price, of Alexandria, to the position of assistant engineer of the heating room of the Treasury Department, now vacant.

The Light House Board has granted Mr. Aleck Hunter, formerly of Alexandria, the use of the abandoned Fempico light house, fifty miles South of Currituck, for a shooting club to be organized by Mr. Hunter. All sorts wild fowl are said to be abundant there.

THE FRENCH-MATHEWS DIFFICULTY.—The GAZETTE yesterday referred to the difficulty existing between Messrs. Wm. A. French and Wm. S. Mathews, of Pearisburg, Giles county. The following account of the affair is from the Lynchburg Advance:

Mr. Mathews, in his paper, the Virginian, charged French with taking one half of a poor widow's pension, receiving \$100 for using his influence in foisting a change of school books in the public schools upon the people, and also with having acts passed while in the legislature for the benefit of certain private individuals. On election day French had cards posted denouncing the charges referred to as "false and malicious," and Mathews as "a liar and a scoundrel."

THE CRISIS IN FRANCE.—At an interview with M. Ribot yesterday, President Grevy requested him to convey his message of resignation to the cabinet. M. Ribot said it was a political act the president ought to confer with the retiring minister. At a second interview M. Ribot advised the president to continue the Rouvier ministry until he had resigned and was assured by M. Grevy that he will send his message, accompanying his resignation, to the chamber to day.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.—The sixty fifth annual convulse of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, of Virginia was held at Petersburg yesterday. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Right Eminent Sir James Braxton Blanks, of Petersburg, grand commander; Very Eminent Sir James Lee Beck, Lynchburg, deputy grand commander; Very Eminent Sir Thomas Jefferson Evans, Richmond, grand generalissimo; Very Eminent Sir Isaac S. Tower, Richmond, grand captain general; Eminent Sir George W. Dame, D. D., Danville, grand prelate; Eminent Sir Daniel J. Turner, Jr., Portsmouth, grand senior warden; Eminent Sir James I. Avis, Harrisonburg, grand junior warden; Eminent Sir Wm. T. Allen, Richmond, grand treasurer; Right Eminent Sir Wm. B. Isaacs, Richmond, grand recorder; Eminent Sir Fred. Greenwood, Norfolk, grand standard bearer; Eminent Sir Emanuel E. Downham, Alexandria, grand sword bearer; Eminent Sir James P. Corbin, Fredericksburg, grand warden. At night a handsome banquet was given the Commandery.

A STRANGE DEATH IN A TRAP.—A melancholy discovery is reported from Maine. Some tourists hunting in a forest in that State were horrified to come upon a dead man whose flesh was almost entirely stripped from his bones, the skeleton fingers held firmly in the jaws of a great bear trap.

TOBACCO FAIR.—The first tobacco fair ever held in this part of the country opened in Danville yesterday with a big trades parade. After the procession had disbanded, the people were addressed at the Academy of Music by the Hon. R. B. Davis, and then proceeded to the two immense exposition buildings where there is a fine trades display and a magnificent exhibit of bright tobacco. No such display of tobacco has ever been seen in this State and the fair is a great success. Prominent tobacco men are in Danville from all parts of the country and are delighted with the exhibition. The city last night was illuminated with fireworks and thronged with visitors.

Dangerously Stabbed. BORDENTOWN, N. J., Nov. 25.—William Hall, a colored man, was stabbed in the left breast and dangerously wounded last night during a festival in the Mount Zion, A. M. E. Church in this city.

No Resignation Yet. PARIS, Nov. 25.—President Grevy still stubbornly resists the demands for his immediate resignation. The press unanimously condemn the prolongation of the crisis.

Run Over and Killed. FITCHBURG, Mass., Nov. 25.—Susan White and Susan Carmody, French girls, were run over and killed while walking on the railroad track Wednesday night.

Death of Gen. Leavenworth. SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Gen. Elias W. Leavenworth died this morning aged 84 years.

VIRGINIA NEWS. J. W. Allison, a carpenter, at New Baltimore, Fauquier, had his finger bitten in a fight with one of his employees recently, and was compelled to have it amputated.

Mr. Frederik Bradley, of Washington, has purchased "Meadow Farm," near Backland, Prince William county, and is putting up a handsome residence on the same. The new steel lightship just built for Cape Charles, now lying at the United States wharf-yard in Portsmouth, is leaking and will have to be placed in the dry dock for repairs.

Mr. J. Byers, who lives near Oranoke, in Amherst county, one night last week caught two bears in traps. They were very large and fat. Bears are reported to be more numerous in the mountains of that section than for several years past.

The democratic organizations of the Norfolk section are pushing Col. L. D. Starke, of that city, for next Speaker of the House of Delegates, and with great unanimity endorse Mr. Babour as the successor of Riddleberger in the U. S. Senate.

Quiet reigns at Pocahontas coal mines. Of the twenty four whites who were arrested fifteen have been bailed for appearance, and nine remain in jail. Further trouble is not now anticipated, but the local feeling against the foreign miners may show up at any time.

It is said in Richmond that the old base metal officers will be re-elected with the exception of the superintendent of grounds and buildings. Superintendent of Printing Micon will have a walkover. Representative Cardwell, of Hanover, will probably be Speaker of the House.

Three Mormon elders are on a proselyting expedition in the mountain sections of Roanoke county, and preach nightly to the ignorant people, who know little of their mission. They claim to be monogamous, and have met with some success, having baptized a female convert Tuesday.

On Tuesday the eldest daughter of Gen. H. Dilger, of Warren, was married to Lieut. Hubert Lamey, of the Prussian army. Miss Dilger was educated in Heidelberg, and is said to be one of the prettiest and most accomplished young ladies of Warren county. Lieut. Lamey is reported to be quite wealthy, and a young gentleman of varied accomplishments.

A series of rainy days, occurring about the middle of October, and again in the latter part of the month, and since, coming as it did just in the height of the digging and curing period of the peanut harvest, has wrought serious and irreparable damage to that crop, and entailed a loss of hundreds and thousands of dollars on the peanut growers of Virginia.

Dr. John L. Buchanan, Superintendent of Public Instruction, with his two assistants, has been busily engaged for several weeks securing data from which to frame his annual report, soon now to be issued. All the reports that have been received have been examined and tabulated with the exception of a few that have but recently come to hand. They show that the system of the State throughout is in a very healthy and prosperous condition. For the coming session, with the continuance of the present rate of taxation, the school funds will be something less than for the past two years.

NEWS OF THE DAY. Ya'e defeated Harvard in the football match at New York yesterday, winning the intercollegiate championship. The monument to Tillie Smith, who died in defending her honor, was unveiled at Hackettstown, N. J., yesterday. The switchmen's strike which began several days ago in the Southern Pacific yards at Houston, Tex., is virtually at an end. The sons of rich men in Cuba continue to be carried off and held for ransom. A son of Gervasio Armas has been kidnapped near Matanzas. In the presence of fully 20,000 witnesses Alphonso King yesterday made good his boast that he could cross the stream from Charles river bridge from the East Boston side on a marine bicycle. The great trotting match between Rosalind Wilkes and Kenilworth over Fleetwood track, New York, took place yesterday, and was won by Rosalind Wilkes in straight heats in 2:14, 2:14, 2:22. A piece of gas pipe about two inches in diameter and fifteen inches in length, plugged at both ends, with a piece of gun cotton protruding, was found yesterday in Jersey City. It is believed to be a hoax. The government of New South Wales has offered a reward of \$125,000 to American inventors for a successful method of exterminating rabbits, which have become a destroying nuisance in that country. Peter Monaghan and John Brennan were arrested in Chicago yesterday while they were carrying off a large parlor stove with a hot fire in it and smoke coming through a section of pipe attached, which they had stolen. In Philadelphia indications point to an improvement in the available supply of anthracite coal, and predictions are made that next month will see such an abundance of stock on hand at all the tidewater shipping points that fears of a famine will have been dispelled. The United Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the South began its biennial convention in Savannah, Ga., yesterday. The body is composed of delegates from the Synods of Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Mississippi, and represents forty thousand communicants of the Lutheran Church.

FOREIGN NEWS. Mr. Mandeville has put on the prison garb in the Tullamore jail. Mr. O'Brien is suffering from insomnia. Sir Edward Thornton presided at a Thanksgiving banquet given by the American club in London yesterday. A Thanksgiving banquet was given by the American colony at the Hotel Armin, Paris, yesterday. Mr. Pendleton, the United States minister, presided. The report of the illness of the ex-Empress Eugenie was greatly exaggerated. She is under massage treatment for a local affection. She goes out walking daily. Dr. Mackenzie has received a satisfactory report of the cause of the condition of Germany's Crown Prince. The weather was fine at San Remo yesterday and the Crown Prince took a drive and a walk. He looked well and appeared to enjoy the exercise. Minister Von Bretschner read the speech at the opening of the reichstag, yesterday. The successful endeavor of Germany to strengthen the peace of Europe is referred to with gratification. Germany he said, has no aggressive tendencies and no wants to be satisfied through aggression.

Mr. Robert Sutcliffe, a native of Birmingham, England, now a resident of Baltimore, claims: "I'm subject to severe attacks of neuralgia which have caused me much pain; I have repeatedly tried different remedies but received no benefit, finally I tried Salvation Oil and received immediate relief. I consider it worth its weight in gold."

POSTSCRIPT. TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS. Explosion—Fire. WHEELING, W. Va., Nov. 25.—Yesterday a heated flouring caused an explosion of dust in the large flouring mill of T. Ault & Son, at Belair, Ohio, and the mill was nearly destroyed with all the machinery, grain and flour; loss \$15,000; partly insured. Last evening an incendiary fire, the fifth in a week, broke out there in Rosa's livery stable. The horses were saved. The fire department labored under great disadvantage, its hose having recently been cut while at a fire. The Disciples' Church, C. & P., depot and B. & O. round house were fired during the past week, and a panic has been created by the activity of the incendiaries.

A Welcome Rain. PITTSBURG, N. V., Nov. 25.—A steady rain all day yesterday gladdened the hearts of the coal operators and miners along the Monongahela river and gave renewed hopes of a rise in the rivers sufficient to allow the shipment to the West of the eight or ten million bushels of coal lying in the harbor and pools. There have been no shipments to the lower ports since last June, and the mines have been closed on account of a scarcity of craft, all the boats being loaded. The enforced idleness has caused great suffering among the 6,000 miners in the valley, and large numbers have gone to other fields in quest of employment.

Escape of Convicts. CHESTER, Ill., Nov. 25.—Just as the train reached the depot in this city last night Charles Gaiser and Charles Wyatt, two colored convicts bound for the penitentiary, eluded the vigilance of their guard, and leaping from the platform of the car escaped in the darkness. Although handcuffed to gether, they made the break successfully and have so far evaded capture. Both had been convicted of highway robbery and sentenced to six years' imprisonment. They came from Morgan county and were in charge, with six others, of the chief of police of Jacksonville and two deputy sheriffs.

Driven to Suicide. CINCINNATI, Nov. 25.—A morning paper says that it has been discovered that the late Charles Albert Kebler, the attorney who committed suicide on Wednesday, was driven to the deed by the approaching revelation of heavy forgeries committed by him in the management of estates and of trust funds committed to his care. An estimate is made that the liabilities incurred amount to about \$175,000, while the property left by Mr. Kebler will not exceed \$50,000.

Collisions. CINCINNATI, Nov. 25.—A Lima, Ohio, special reports a collision at Anna, Ohio, on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton rail road between two freight trains. Fifteen cars were smashed and an engineer and fireman are reported killed. PITTSBURG, Nov. 25.—By a collision to day on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad between two freight trains, three men were killed and five others injured. The collision occurred about fifteen miles south of this city.

Probably Robbed and Murdered. ROMEO, Mich., Nov. 25.—L. K. Shaw, a farmer living four miles southwest of Romeo, Macomb county, this State, came to this place on Wednesday and received \$600 for wheat he had marketed. Not returning home that night search was made for him, and his body was found yesterday in a piece of woods about 4 miles from Romeo in a direction different from that to his home.

Plot to Escape. MADRID, Nov. 25.—Further information in regard to the plot of the military convicts on the Island of Gomera, Africa, to escape shows that the convicts had attempted to seize the mail steamer, but were frustrated. It was their intention, if they had succeeded in capturing the steamer, to proceed to the other depots and release the prisoners and to take refuge in Oran. Two soldiers of the station assisted the plotters.

Gutted by Fire. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—The piano stool manufactory of Philip Reiz, 929 Tyler street, was completely gutted by fire at 7 o'clock this morning, causing a loss on stock and machinery of \$4,500, on which there is an insurance of \$200. The building belonged to George Fell and was damaged to the extent of \$1,800; insurance not ascertained.

Most's Trial. NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The trial of Herr Most was resumed this morning. Mr. Howe in opening the case for the defense said that Most was not on trial, but freedom of speech. He did not believe in Most's doctrines but the law gives him the right to denounce its execution as an outrage.

Dead. LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 25.—Mrs. Salt, the German woman who for the past four weeks has refused to eat, died last evening at 8 o'clock. All efforts to induce her to take food proved unsuccessful. When any spoon she would answer in quotations from the Bible.

Destruction of a Glass Factory. FINDLATE, Ohio, Nov. 25.—The mammoth window glass factory of Hirsch, Ely & Co., was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour yesterday morning. Six loaded freight cars standing on a siding were also burned. Loss \$50,000; insurance \$22,000. The fire threw 140 men out of employment.

Forest Fires. HILLSBORO, Ill., Nov. 25.—The forest fires that have been raging in this section during the last few weeks have done much good, as well as great damage. They have destroyed the myriads of chinchbugs that ruined the corn crop last season. Before the fires started the woods and fields were literally swarming with chinchbugs.

"A wet sheet and a flowing sea" is what some men prescribe for a cold. This is a terrible, and oftentimes fatal mistake. Give the patient a few doses of Dr. Bull's remarkable, astonishing, wonder-working Cough Syrup.

Facts Worth Knowing. In all diseases of the nasal mucous membrane the remedy used must be non-irritating. The medical profession has been slow to learn this. Nothing satisfactory can be accomplished with douches, snuffs, powders, syringes, astringents, or any similar application, because they are all irritating, do not thoroughly reach the affected surfaces and should be abandoned as worse than failure. A multitude of persons who have for years borne all the worry and pain that catarrh can inflict, test to try radical and permanent cures wrought by Ely's Cream Balm.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS. Mrs. WINGLOWS' SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with ever-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhoea, griping in the bowels, and wind-colic. By giving health to the child it cures the mother. Price 25 cents a bottle. mvs-171-M.WAS

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL. The business of the week shows but little change, though a slight improvement is noticeable as the holidays approach, and the merchants anticipate a good Christmas trade. Yesterday was a legal holiday in this State, as well as in most of the leading cities of the Union, so all monetary and commercial business was suspended. The Baltimore stock market is quiet, without any special change to note. There is a fair demand for Virginia past-due coupons, but there is no speculation. The bonds remain with a wide margin usually between the views of buyers and sellers. Railroad stocks are dull. The quotations for Virginia Midland are: 1sts 117; 2ds 114; 3ds 108; 4ths 80; 5ths 90.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The stock market opened weak this morning, the first sales being made at concessions from Wednesday's final prices of from 3/4 to 1/2 per cent. Further losses were sustained in the early trading, Richmond and West Point being specially weak, losing 3/4, 3/4, and 1/2, and the remainder from 1/4 to 1/2 per cent. The market was quiet for the general list, but Richmond and West Point continued to absorb a large part of the attention, and with one or two other stocks contributed a majority of the business done. The market became quite dull late in the hour, but there was a slight recovery from the lowest figures reached, and at 11 o'clock it was dull but steady to firm, generally at slight fractions below opening prices. Money easy at 3/4.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 25.—Virginia 6s consolidated 48 1/2; past-due coupons 62 1/2; 10-40; 30 1/2; new 3; 63 1/2 bid to day.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE NOV. 25. Flour, fine..... \$2.50 @ 2.75 Superfine..... 2.75 @ 3.00 Extra..... 3.75 @ 4.00 Family..... 4.75 @ 4.75 Fancy brand..... 4.75 @ 4.75 Wheat, Longberry..... 0.78 @ 0.85 Fulk..... 0.77 @ 0.82 Mixed..... 0.77 @ 0.83 Fair Wheat..... 0.75 @ 0.77 Damp and tough..... 0.65 @ 0.72 Corn, white..... 0.54 @ 0.55 Yellow..... 0.50 @ 0.52 New Corn..... 0.49 @ 0.51 Rye Meal..... 0.54 @ 0.60 Oats, new..... 0.32 @ 0.36 Butter, Virginia prime..... 0.20 @ 0.22 Common to middling..... 0.12 @ 0.15 Eggs..... 0.24 @ 0.25 Live Chickens..... 0.6 @ 0.7 Dressed Chickens..... 0.8 @ 0.9 Live Turkeys..... 0.9 @ 1.0 Dressed Turkeys..... 5.00 @ 5.50 Hind quarters Beef..... 0.5 @ 0.6 Fore quarters Beef..... 0.3 @ 0.4 Veal Calves..... 0.5 @ 0.6 1/2 Irish Potatoes per bushel..... 0.50 @ 0.70 Apples..... 1.40 @ 1.50 Apples per barrel..... 1.50 @ 2.50 Dried Peaches, peeled..... 0.7 @ 0.8 unpeeled..... 0.5 @ 0.6 " Cherries..... 0.14 @ 0.15 Dried Apples..... 0.5 @ 0.6 Bacon—Hams, country..... 0.12 @ 0.12 1/2 Best sugar cured Hams..... 0.12 @ 0.12 1/2 Butcher's Hams..... 0.12 @ 0.12 1/2 Breakfast Bacon..... 0.12 @ 0.12 1/2 Sigsbee's Corned Meats..... 0.8 @ 0.8 1/2 Bulk shoulders..... 0.6 1/2 @ 0.8 1/2 " lg. cl. sides..... 0.8 @ 0.8 1/2 " fat backs..... 0.7 1/2 @ 0.7 1/2 " bellies..... 0.7 1/2 @ 0.8 Bacon Shoulders..... 0.7 @ 0.7 1/2 " Sides..... 0.8 1/2 @ 0.9 Lard..... 0.7 1/2 @ 0.8 Sugar—Brown..... 0.5 1/2 @ 0.5 1/2 Off A..... 0.5 1/2 @ 0.5 1/2 Conf. Standard A..... 0.6 1/2 @ 0.6 1/2 Granulated..... 0.6 1/2 @ 0.7 Coffee—Rio..... 0.19 @ 0.22 La Guayra..... 0.22 @ 0.24 Java..... 0.15 @ 0.18 Molasses B..... 0.17 @ 0.18 Sugar Syrup..... 0.22 @ 0.33 Hottling, Eastern, per bbl..... 3.50 @ 5.25 Potomac No. 1..... 5.00 @ 5.50 Pot. Family Roe @ bbl..... 9.50 @ 10.00 Do. @ half barrel..... 4.75 @ 5.25 Mackerel, small, per bbl..... 0.00 @ 0.00 No. 3, medium..... 0.00 @ 0.00 No. 3, large fat..... 13.00 @ 14.00 " No. 2..... 15.00 @ 18.00 Clover Seed..... 4.00 @ 4.75 Timothy..... 2.65 @ 2.75 Pinster, ground, per ton..... 4.75 @ 5.00 Ground in bags..... 5.75 @ 6.00 Lump..... 3.50 @ 3.75 Salt—G. A. (Liverpool)..... 0.70 @ 0.80 " G. A. (London)..... 1.20 @ 1.30 Turk's..... 1.15 @ 1.20 Wool—Long unwashed..... 0.26 @ 0.27 Washed..... 0.30 @ 0.34 Merino, unwashed..... 0.22 @ 0.25 Do. Washed..... 0.30 @ 0.34 Sumac..... 0.70 @ 0.75 Hay—Cut do 24 ton @ car..... 15.00 @ 19.00 Wheat Bran 24 ton @ car..... 15.50 @ 19.00 Brown Middlings..... 18.50 @ 19.00 White Middlings..... 19.00 @ 20.00 Hominy Chop..... 19.00 @ 20.00 Cotton Seed Meal..... 24.00 @ 26.00

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limited 16a18. Coffee nominally easier, Rio cargo ordinary to fair 17 1/2a18 1/2. Sugar steady; A soft 56 60. Whiskey quiet and steady at \$1 14a15.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Cotton firm; uplands 10 1/2 to 11; Orleans 10 1/2 to 11; futures irregular. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat better. Corn better. Pork steady at \$15a15 1/2; old mess steady at \$14 25. Lard quiet and firmer at \$7 52 1/2.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25, 11 a. m.—May Wheat 82 1/2; May Corn 50 1/2; May Oats 32; January Pork \$14 12 1/2; Jan Lard \$7 10a7 15; Jan shorts 57 to 70.

RICHMOND MARKET, Nov. 24.—There is little activity in the market, and quotations are as follows: Flour \$3a5 for fine to patent family brands; Wheat 63a65 for common to choice; Corn 50a52, as to quality, and Oats 30.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, November 24.—Flour is quiet at \$3a5 25 for fine to fancy brands. Wheat sells at from 72 to 85, as to quality; Corn 45a50; Rye 50a55, and Oats 31a33.

FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, Nov. 24.—Flour quiet at \$3a5 50 for super to family brands. Wheat 50a52 for common to choice; Corn 35a41; Rye 45a50, and Oats 30a35.

CATTLE MARKETS. BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, Nov. 24.—Best Cattle.—Prices of Beef Cattle ranged as follows: Best—2000 a 4500. Generally rated first quality..... 3 25 a 3 87 1/2. Medium or good fair quality..... 2 62 1/2 a 3 00. Ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and Cows..... 2 00 a 2 50. Extreme range of prices..... 2 00 a 4 50. Most of the sales were from..... 2 75 a 4 00. Total receipts this week 1937. Total sales 723. Of the receipts 830 came from Virginia. The offerings of Beef Cattle were quite light, but the demand was slow, and sales were not half as numerous as last week. The quality was like it was then, with perhaps a smaller number of good Cattle. Prices showed no appreciable variation from last week. Sheep and Lambs.—The receipts this week number less than half as many as they did last week, but the demand was limited, and the offerings were sufficient. Trade was not very active, but sales were made at a slight advance on last week's figures, when the quality of the offerings is considered. We quote butchers' Sheep at 24a44, and Lambs at 30a54 1/2 per lb gross. Stock sheep sell at \$1 50a3 per head. Receipts this week of Sheep and Lambs were 1,659 head.

QUEENSTOWN CATTLE MARKET, Nov. 24.—At Queenstown this week there were some 94 head of Cattle offered, with sales at prices ranging from 2 to 4 1/2 per lb. 599 Sheep and Lambs were offered; Sheep brought 32a44, and Lambs 4 1/2a5 1/2 per pound. Some Cows and Calves were sold at \$20a40 per head. Market for all kinds of stock dull.

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MEMORANDA. Schr Louisa Walters, for this port, cleared from James river 21st. Schr Lena Willings, for this port, cleared at Norfolk 20th.

COW DRINK! For gargle, raw wound, bloating and fever, milk fever and abortion preventive, just received and for sale by W. F. CRE