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DAVID CROCKET.

I hold him not living in vain who can, and if he can, will contribute from his experience and age to the passing history, introducing here and there a scene which preceded the present and which, perhaps—who shall say in what degree—gives the present its "form and pressure."

Older men may know more, or better remember the past than I; if so, let them furnish out completely my deficiencies. Young men will be interested even in fragmentary portions of that which was being enacted prior to their own appearance on the stage.

With such sentiments, I sketch an occasional incident of the ancient time as it chances to revisit my memory. And first:

David Crocket—almost every man and boy of to-day is familiar with that name. To them it is a dream, generally, of wild romance on our western border. Miraculous rifles flash; plumed and painted Indians dart; clumsy bears roll through that vision; primeval forests blaze by night with roaring fires, while recumbent hunters of the rude camp quaff ardent tin cups, and tell marvelous tales, and sing and laugh and whoop till the startled birds forsake their violated nests and all the outer circle of blackness echoes and re-echoes the pandemonium.

No quieter or more gentlemanly person did I ever meet than David Crocket. He came slowly lounging into the venerable office of the *National Intelligencer* one severe winter afternoon, when and where I was industriously warming my little boy body all round the small square stove in the center of the large square room on the corner of D and Seventh streets.

There was a vacant chair near me. He took it with solemn deliberation. Then over the flat stove top extended his big rough hands. "Cold," he said. Nothing more for a long while.

I looked up at him, looked intently; for this was an uncommon comer. A large form, to my boyish idea, gigantic, a great, strange head, down either side of which, from a middle parting, fell long black hair. Something savage about him, yet a most gentle savage, as if he could fondle a baby, pet a puss, and even cry very heartily, being moved by proper circumstance.

I looked up at him, looked intently, and wondered. My father, present of course, for he "belonged to the office," observing my amazement, found opportunity to whisper in my ear: "David Crocket." I knew a few things about the famous man—knew that his life had been a romance surpassing the imaginings of any poet or novelist—knew, and what so surprising as this?—that he was now a member of Congress. Indeed, I had heard read at the breakfast table some of the "b'ar stories" with which he frequently amused, convulsed, and convinced the "house."

I saw David Crocket.

Presently I felt David Crocket. His big right hand gliding away from the hot stove plate chose to rest itself lovingly among the curls of my hair.

"You never met a b'ar," remarked Davy; "in course you never."

I acknowledged my total unacquaintance.

"Would like to?"

"Certainly."

"Don't know. Better hear about 'em first."

"I'd be glad to hear, then."

"So you shall, my boy. I'll tell you a story of one I seed once't."

I was charmed with the anticipation. He would have begun it immediately, but several "members," senators, and others that moment entered the office. Their business soon over, they still lingered, for a whisper had stolen among them, and more chairs were brought up to the fire, and an expectant circle unexpectedly resulted.

"I was going to tell this lad a bar story," resumed Davy—when every voice interrupted him with:

"Tell it! tell it! We all wish to hear it!"

He complied. Listening, that afternoon, proved my chief enjoyment of life, to date. Listening seemed to prove a similar sensation to every person of the group. It was a grand excitement just to listen. Whatever was related we saw. We lived along the remarkable incidents from word to word. Who, of mortals, save David Crocket could display such vivid power—could so wield thunder and lightning? Yet it was not altogether terror. Comical situations were introduced. We were eager, we were alarmed, we were suddenly in most violent paroxysms of laughter.

Ah, the Alama! Yet never went down in battle for freedom a nobler, a more glorious being, than David Crocket. S. D.

SUBURBAN GOSSIP.

Great Falls.

Among the arrivals at Great Falls Hotel are the following: D. S. McCurdey and Frank Libbey, of Washington, D. C.; F. S. Maus, Standing Rock, D. T.; J. A. Robinson, Fort Beecher, I. T. Mr. Wm. H. Rabbitt and friends, of Rockville, captured seventy-five very fine rock bass on Saturday last. Nearly 500 excursionists visited this place on Sunday last. There are now about thirty announcements for candidates to come before the Democratic primaries. THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN is highly appreciated here.

Postmasters' Pay Adjusted.

The changes made in Maryland and Virginia under the new adjustment of presidential postmasters' salaries are as follows: Virginia—Alexandria, from $2,400 to $2,300; Berryville, from $1,100 to $1,000; Charlottesville, from $1,900 to $1,800; Culpeper, from $1,200 to $1,400; Danville, from $2,400 to $2,300; Farmville, from $1,200 to $1,300; Fredericksburg, from $1,800 to $1,700; Gordonsville, from $1,200 to $1,300; Harrisonburg, from $1,600 to $1,500; Leesburg, from $1,400 to $1,200; Liberty, from $1,600 to $1,500; Lynchburg, from $2,800 to $2,700; Norfolk, from $3,100 to $3,000; Petersburg, from $2,600 to $2,500; Roanoke, from $2,100 to $2,000; Salem, from $1,400 to $1,500; Winchester, from $1,900 to $1,800; Wytheville, from $1,300 to $1,400.

Maryland—Annapolis, from $2,400 to $1,900; Cambridge, from $1,400 to $1,300; Centerville, from $1,300 to $1,200; Easton, from $1,700 to $1,600; Hillcrest City, from $1,300 to $1,200; Emmitsburg, from $1,300 to $1,600; Frostburg, from $1,300 to $1,100; Hagerstown, from $2,300 to $2,200; Port Deposit, from $1,100 to $1,200.

The Changes in Postage Rates.

The change in the rate of letter postage authorized by Congress will go into effect July 1, so that on and after the 1st of July, 1885, all domestic first-class matter sent through the mails, including drop letters at letter carrier offices, must be charged with postage at the rate of 2 cents per ounce or fraction, instead of per half ounce. Drop letters at other than letter carrier offices to be charged at the rate of 1 cent per ounce or fraction. This change in the standard of weight will also apply to matter addressed to Canada, but not to other foreign countries. The bill also reduces the rate from 2 cents per pound to 1 cent per pound on all newspapers and periodicals when sent by the publisher and from the office of publication, including sample copies, or when sent from a news agency to actual subscribers or to other news agents. This provision only refers to publishers and news agents. Private individuals pay at the rate of 1 cent for four ounces.

Army Medical Changes.

The following changes have been ordered in the stations and duties of the officers of the medical department: Capt. Blair D. Taylor, assistant surgeon, relieved from duty in the department of Texas, and will report to the commanding general of the cast for assignment to duty; Capt. William F. Carter, assistant surgeon, relieved from duty in the department of the east, and will report to the commanding general of the department of Texas, for assignment to duty; Acting Assistant Surgeon William P. Kendall, U. S. army, relieved from duty at David's Island, New York harbor, and will report to the commanding general, division of the Pacific, for assignment to duty.

The Administration's Busy Day.

The Saturday holiday that the members of the cabinet take puts a great deal of work on them for Monday, and yesterday was a busy day. The pile of cards for the President was larger than for many days, and about 2 o'clock he held quite a reception in the east room, receiving over 100 persons. The reception rooms of the heads of departments were thronged all day. Secretary Manning had a full house all day, as did Postmaster General Vilas and Secretary Lamar.

To Be Repaired or Razed.

Inspector Entwisle has notified the owners of the following buildings reported in a more or less dilapidated and dangerous condition to tear down or repair at once: 1016 Sixteenth street, 21 E street southeast, 171 New York avenue, the Cinic estate, Twenty-first street, between E and S; Victoria Anderson, eighteen frames on A street, near Sixteenth southeast; E. L. Rogers, frame on First street, between C and D streets southeast.

Additional Appointments.

The President has appointed the following postmasters: Benjamin P. Brown, vice Wm. Connor, resigned, Franklin, Ind.; Frank M. Field, vice Joel A. Coffey, resigned, Spencer, Ind.; Adam Ferguson, vice John M. Evans, suspended, North Platte, Neb.; James K. Sheily, vice Thomas E. Evans, suspended, Princeton, Mo.; Howell Tatum, vice J. P. Outchout, suspended, Bolton, Texas.

THE MARKETS.

Stocks Closed Weak and Lower—Wheat Weaker and Lower.

NEW YORK, June 22.—The new week opened on the Stock Exchange with a strong and active stock market. First prices were in nearly all cases ½ to ¾ per cent. higher than the closing quotations last Saturday, and although some little feverishness was shown in the early transactions the market soon became steady, and then strong, and so continued until about 1 o'clock. It was simply a continuation of the strength and activity displayed last week without any spasmodic advances; the gains ranging in most cases from ¾ to ½ per cent., but St. Paul, Louisville & Nashville, and Lackawanna rose ¾ to 1¼ per cent., with large transactions in the stock last mentioned. The market closed weak at or within ½ per cent. in most cases of the lowest prices, and ½ to 2 per cent. lower than the final quotations on Saturday.

Money on call continues easy, at 1@1½ per cent.; closing at 1.

Foreign exchange is very dull, and steady at unchanged quotations, as follows: Actual business, 485¼ and 486¼; postal rates, 486 and 487. Government bonds are quiet and steady at unchanged quotations, except the 4½ per cents., which are down ½. There has been a little more business in state bonds this afternoon, and quotations are steady, except for some of the Georgia issues, which are 1 to 3 per cent. lower.

Subtreasury balances: Coin, $152,425,127; currency, $19,887,817.

Quotations of Monday's Stock Sales.

The following have been furnished by Bateman & Co., bankers, 1411 F street, being the most active stocks in the New York exchange:

	Op'g.	High.	Low.	Clos'g.	Sales.
New York Central	86⅝	86⅞	86⅝	86⅝	—
Michigan Central	82¼	—	—	82½	200
Lake Shore	57⅞	57⅞	55⅞	55⅞	18200
Canada Southern	—	—	—	50	—
Chicago & N. W	93⅞	93⅞	93¼	93⅞	9600
C., M. & O	—	—	—	21	—
C., M. & O pref	74	74	73	73¼	—
C., M., & St. P	71	71½	70¼	70⅝	36200
C., R. & Q	133⅝	—	—	—	—
Pacific Mail	54⅝	54⅞	53⅞	53⅞	4000
Western Union	62⅞	62⅞	61⅞	61½	28800
Missouri Pacific	95	95	94½	94⅝	—
Texas Pacific	11⅞	11⅞	11½	11½	—
Delaware & Hudson	79½	80¼	78⅞	78⅞	1200
Central Pacific	31½	31½	30⅝	30⅝	—
Erie	10⅝	10⅝	10¼	10	—
L. & N	34⅞	35	33⅞	34	—
Union Pacific	53½	53⅞	52⅞	52⅞	10900
Central of N. J	41⅞	41⅞	39⅞	39⅞	1900
W., St. L. & P	—	—	—	4	—
W., St. L. & P. pref	—	—	—	8	—
D., L. & W	102⅞	103⅝	101⅞	102	4140
Illinois Central	125⅞	—	—	125½	—
Northern Pacific	17	—	—	16⅞	300
N. P. pref	40	40	39⅞	39⅞	—
Oregon Trans	15	15⅞	14½	14½	—
Oregon Trans	14	14	13⅞	13¾	—
Canada Pacific	41⅞	41½	40	40	—
West Shore	37⅞	—	—	35	—
Rock Island	117	117	116¼	115⅝	500

Grain and Provisions.

Following is the range of prices in the Chicago market, as corrected by reports received by Wm. F. Hellen, Corcoran building:

Opening—	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Pork.	Lard.
July	86⅝	46⅞	32½	10 17½	6 62½
August	91⅞	46½	28⅞	10 27½	6 72½
September	93⅞	46½	27⅞	10 37½	6 80
Highest—July	88⅝	46⅞	32⅝	10 25	6 67½
August	91⅞	46⅞	28⅞	10 32½	6 75
September	93⅞	46⅞	27⅞	10 40	6 82½
Lowest—July	85	46½	27⅞	10 17½	6 60
August	90⅝	46½	27⅞	10 25	6 72½
September	93	46⅝	27	10 25	6 80
Closing—July	88¼	46⅞	32⅞	10 25	6 65
August	91¼	46⅞	27⅞	10 22½	6 72½
September	93⅝	46⅞	27	10 42½	6 82½

The Washington Stock Exchange.

The following list of the most active stocks dealt in on the Washington Stock Exchange is furnished by Messrs. Bell & Co., bankers, No. 1437 Pennsylvania avenue:

June 22, 1885.

	Bid.	Asked
Permanent imp. 6s, 1891, coin	115⅞	116⅞
Fifty-year funded 3.65s, 1924, cur'cy	118¼	119¼
Washington & Georgetown bonds	116	—
Metropolitan Railroad stock	85	88
North Capitol and O street	50	40
Washington Gas Light Co	20	42½
Georgetown Gas Light Co	25	40
Columbia Insurance	10¼	12
Riggs Insurance	5	6½
Washington Market Co. stock	50	19½
Wash'n Brick Machine stock	100	10
Real Estate Title Ins Co	100	100½
Pennsylvania Telephone Co	50	—
Chesapeake & Potomac Tel. Co.	100	54½

Baltimore Produce Market, June 22.

COTTON dull; middling, 10½.

FLOUR steady and quiet: Howard street and western superfine, $3.00@$3.50; do. extra, $3.60@$4.25; do family, $4.00@$5.25; city mills superfine, $3.25@$3.50; do extra, $3.75@4.00; do Rio brands, $4.00@5.00; Patapsco family, $5.75; do. superlative patent, $6.00.

WHEAT—Southern steady; western easier and dull; southern red, 86@94c; do. amber, 95c@$1.02; No. 1 Maryland, 96c asked; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 91@91½c, fresh; July, 95@95½c; August, 98⅞@98⅞c; September, 91⅞@91⅞c.

CORN—Southern steady and quiet; western steady and dull; southern white, 61@62½c; do. yellow, 56@56½c; western mixed, spot, 54@54½c; June, 53½c bid; July, 53⅞@53⅞c; steamer, 51@51½c.

OATS steady—Southern, 37@38c; western white, 38@39c; do. mixed, 36@37c; Pennsylvania, 37@38c.

RYE dull at 70@75c.

HAY steady; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $16.00@17.00.

PROVISIONS steady; mess pork, $12.25@12.50; bulk meats, shoulders, and clear rib sides, packed, 5½@6¾. Bacon—shoulders, 5½c; clear rib sides, 7½c; hams, 11½@12½c. Lard, refined, 6c. Butter quiet; western packed, 9@12c; creamery, 16@19c. Eggs steady at 14@14½. Petroleum firm; refined, 7⅝@8½c. Coffee dull—Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 7½@8½c.

SUGAR firm; A soft, 6⅞c; copper refined quiet at 10¼.

WHISKY steady and quiet at $1.20@1.21.

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, June 22.—Virginia 6s, consolidated, 50½; past due coupons, 52; new 10-40s, 35½; North Carolina 6s, old, 110 bid to-day.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, June 22.—Beef cattle—Market generally slow and prices a shade off, considering improved quality of offerings. Best beeves, 5¼@5c; first quality, 4⅞@5¼c; medium, 4⅝@4⅞c; ordinary, 3½@4½c. Most sales were from 4⅝ to 5¼c. Receipts—1,289 head; sales 685 head. Swine—Fair supply and only moderate demand. Receipts—4,652 head; quotations, 5@6c. The receipts of sheep and lambs were 9,732 head; quotations, sheep, 2@4c; lambs, 4@6c.

Washington Wholesale Market.

The following were the wholesale prices yesterday:

POTATOES—Burbanks, 75 to 80c per bushel; early rose, 60 to 70c per bushel; Florida new, $2 to $2.50 per barrel; Bermuda, $3 to $4. Sage—$1.50 to $2 per barrel. Tomatoes—Florida, $1.50 to $2.50 per box. Cucumbers—Florida, 50 to 75 cents per box. Egg plants—$1.50 to $2.50 per box. Beans—round, $1 to $1.50 per box; flat Norfolk, $1.00 per box. Beets—$2 to $3 per barrel. Onions—Bermuda, $2 per box. Peas—$2.50 to $3 per barrel. Strawberries—10 to 15 cents per quart. Pineapples—$12 to $15 per hundred. Oranges—Florida, $3.50 to $4.50 per box. Lemons—Florida, $1.50 to $2.50 per box.

Dressed city meats.—Beef—Choice, 10 cents; inferior, 8½ cents. Sheep—Choice, 10 to 12 cents. Lambs—Choice, 15 to 17 cents. Calves—Choice, 11 cents; inferior to common, 10 cents.

Flour—Minnesota Patent Process, $5.75 to $7; bakers' brands, $6.25 to $6.50; family, patent process, $5.75 to $6; extra, $4 to $4.50; super, $3.25 to $3.50; rye, $5; corn meal, bolted, white, 60 to 62c.; unbolted, yellow, 58 to 60c.; oat meal, $6.25.

Grain.—Corn, yellow and H. M., 57 to 58c. Oats, western white, No. 1, 41 to 46c.; do. mixed, No. 2, 41 to 43c.

Mill Feed.—Bran, western, per ton, $15 to $17. Middlings, white, per ton, $20 to $22; do. brown, per ton, $17 to $18.

Hay (new) and Straw.—Hay, clover, $16 to $18; do. timothy, $20 to $21. Straw, rye, $18. Cut hay, $23 per ton.

Eggs.—Near by, 16c.; western, 16c.

Cheese.—New York state factory, new, fine, 8 to 11c.; western factory, new, choice, 9 to 10c.; do. fair to good, 5 to 4c.

Live Stock.—Cattle, extra, per cwt., $5.50 to $5.62. Hogs, fair, per cwt., $5.50 to $5.62; ordinary, per cwt., net, $5 to $5.25. Sheep, sheared, per cwt., $3 to $4.50. Lambs, spring, choice, per cwt., $6.25 to $7; common, per cwt., $5.00 to $5.75. Calves, prime, per cwt., $6.00 to $7.00; common, per cwt., $4.00 to $5.00. Cows, prime, each, $40 to $50; common, each, $20 to $30.

Fresh and Cured Meats, &c.—Hams, sugar-cured, 10c to 12½c; sides, western, 7½c; shoulders, western, 6c to 6½c; sugar cured, 6½ to 7c.; breasts, sugar-cured, 8½c to 9c; shoulders, bulk, 5½c to 6c; middlings, sugar-cured, 7½c to 8c; jowls, 4c to 5c. Lard, 7½c to 8½c.

Poultry and game—Old fowls, live, per pound, 10 to 11c.; roosters, live, per pound, 5c.; chickens, spring, large, per pound, 20 to 25c.; ducks, live, per pound, 10 to 11c.; geese, live, apiece, 50c.

Coffee—Rio, ordinary to fair, 8½ to 8½c.; Rio, good to prime, 9½ to 9½c.; Rio, choice, to fancy, 9½ to 10c.; Maracaibo, prime to choice, 11½ to 12½c.; Laguayra, prime to choice, 11 to 12c.; Java, good to prime, 18 to 20c.; Java, choice to fancy, 19 to 23c.

Sugars—Refined, crushed and powdered, 7½ to 7¾c.; cut-loaf, 7⅞ to 7⅞c.; granulated, 7⅛ to 7⅛c.; A coffee, 6⅞ to 6¾c.; brown, all grades, 5½ to 6½c.

Fish—Mackerel, new, No. 1, $14 to $15; No. 2, $8 to $12; No. 3, med. fat, $4.50 to $5; Herring—Labrador, $5 to $5.25 per round, $4; common, $2.75 to $3; codfish, boneless, 5½ to 7½c. per pound.

Molasses—Porto Rico, 35 to 48c.; Cuba, 20 to 25c.; New Orleans, 30 to 60c.; syrups, fair to choice, 25 to 35c.; common molasses, 15 to 17c.

Teas—Imperial, fair to good, 50 to 60c.; do., choice and fancy, 60c.; Gunpowder, fair to good, 35 to 45c.; do., choice to fancy, 55 to 75c.; English Breakfast, fair to good, 30 to 35c.; Young Hyson, fair to good, 30 to 45c.; Oolong, fair to good, 20 to 35c.; do., choice to fancy, 40 to 50c.

Tobacco and cigars—Tobacco, fair to good, 25 to 50c.; do., choice, 55c.; cigars, medium, $1.70 to 2.25; do., good, $2.50 to 3.00; smoking tobacco, 40 to 50c.

Butter—Creamery fancy, 20 to 22c.; prime, 16 to 18c.; fair to good, 12 to 14c.; imitation, 11 to 16c.; New York tubs, new, 15 to 16c.; good, 13 to 17c.; fancy, old, 8 to 10c.; western dairy, best, 13 to 16c.; good, 11 to 12c.; fair, 10c.; western factory best, 12 to 14c.; good, 8 to 10c.; oleomargarine, 12 to 14c.; butterine, 12c.; Virginia, Maryland, and Pennsylvania—Choice selections, dairy packed, 14 to 15c.; good to prime, dairy packed, 12 to 14c.; Hankers' stock, 12c.; store packed, choice, 12 to 13c.; common, 8 to 10c.

Dried fruits and nuts—Evaporated apples, 6 to 7c., apples, sliced, fancy, 8 to 3½c.; bright, 2½ to 3c., quarters, bright, 2¼ to 3c., common, 2c.; peaches choice, 9 to 11c., fair to good, 7 to 8c., halves, unpeeled, 5 to 6c., quarters, unpeeled, 5 to 6c., evaporated, 20 to 22c., evaporated, unpeeled, 10 to 12c.; cherries, pitted, 9 to 10c., sugar and wet, 8 to 9c.; blackberries, 6 to 8c.; whortleberries, 8 to 9c.; raspberries, 18 to 20c.

Washington Retail Prices—Center Market.

BUTTER.—Best prints, 45 cents per pound; best creamery, 40 cents; fresh New York, 30 to 35 cents; roll, 25 to 30 cents. Eggs, 18 to 20 cents per dozen. Cheese, 18 to 20 cents.

POULTRY.—Spring chickens, 75 cents to $1.25 per pair; fowls, 75 cents to $1.25 per pair; squabs, 50 cents per pair.

GAME.—Green turtle, 15 cents per pound; Frogs, $2 a dozen.

FRUITS.—Strawberries, 10 to 20 cents per box; prunes, 10 cents a pound; cherries 5 to 12 cents per quart; pickles, 8 to 12 cents a dozen; jellies 10 to 15 cents per pound; mince meat, 10 cents per pound; preserves, 15 cents per pound; honey, 20 cents per pound; bananas, 25 to 50 cents per dozen; pineapples, 15 to 25 cents apiece.

FISH.—Rolling rock, 20 cents per pound; halibut, 15 cents per pound; codfish, 10 cents per pound; white perch, 25 to 40 cents per bunch; pickerel, 10 cents per pound; fresh mackerel, 10 to 25 cents apiece; Spanish, 20 cents per pound; lobsters, 15 cents per pound; crabs, 25 cents per dozen; soft crabs, $1 per dozen; clams, 10 cents per dozen; fresh salmon, 30 cents per pound; salt water trylors, 12½ cents per pound; salmon trout, 15 cents per pound. Smoked and salted fish—Smoked salmon, 20 cents per pound; salted salmon, 15 cents per pound; smoked mackerel, 5 to 8 cents apiece; dried herring, 20 to 50 cents per dozen; cels, 15 to 20 cents per pound; sturgeon, 12 to 15 cents per pound; Scotch herring, 10 cents per dozen; smoked haddock, 12½ cents per pound; smoked shad, 15 cents per pound; salt shad, 12½ per pound; No. 1 mackerel, 15 to 20 cents apiece.

VEGETABLES.—Old potatoes, 25 to 50 cents per peck; new potatoes, 50 cents per peck; asparagus, 5 to 8 cents per bunch; rhubarb, 3 to 4 cents per bunch; lettuce, 3 to 5 cents a head; cabbage, 5 to 10 cents per head; kale, 15 to 20 cents per peck; new onions, $1 to $1.20 per peck; oranges, 25 to 40 cents per dozen; spinach, 25 to 30c. per peck; green peas, 30 to 40c. per peck; tomatoes, 10 cents per basket; bunch onions, 2 to 3 cents; yams, 40 to 50 cents per peck; string beans, 30 to 40 cents per peck; parsley, 1 cent per bunch; thyme and sage, each 2 cents per bunch; lemons, 15 to 25 cents per dozen; carrots, 5 to 7 cents per bunch; egg plants, 8 to 15 cents per piece; dried apples, 5 cents per pound; dried peaches, from 15 to 20 cents a pound; dried cherries, 25 cents a pound; soup beans, 10 to 12c a quart; lima beans, 15 cents a quart; beets, 5 cents a bunch; hominy, cooked and raw, 8 cents a quart; cymlings, 3 to 5 cents each; radishes, 3 to 5 cents a bunch; cucumbers, 3 to 5 cents apiece; sauerkraut, 25 cents per gallon.

MEATS.—Beef roast 10 to 20 cents per pound; tenderloin steak, 20 to 25 cents; sirloin, 20 cents; round steak, 15 cents; chuck roast, 12½ cents; corned beef, 8 to 12½ cents; lamb, 15 to 20 cents; mutton, 10 to 18 cents; mutton chops, 15 to 20 cents; veal, 12 to 20 cents; veal chops, 15 to 20 cents; veal cutlets, 25 cents; soup meats, 8 to 10 cents.

SALT MEATS.—Hams, 12½ to 15 cents per pound; hams, sliced, 25 cents; shoulders, cut, 10 to 12 cents; shoulders, whole, 9 cents; breasts, 12½ to 15 cents; salt pork, 10 cents; jowls, 7 cents per pound; westphalias, 11 cents per pound; lard, 10 cents; beet tongues, 60 to 65 cents a piece; dried beef, sliced, 25 cents per pound; dried beef, chipped, 25 cents; dried beef by the piece, 16 to 20 cents per pound.

The Excelsior Excursion.

The "Excelsior Club," a popular social organization, gave a delightful excursion down the river last night which was attended by over 300 people. The party landed at Marshall Hall where dancing was continued until 11 o'clock when the return trip was begun, the Corcoran arriving at her wharf shortly after midnight.

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