

A GOAL BOAT STAGE

Of Water in the Upper Ohio Causes a Big Coal Movement.

MANY MILLION BUSHELS STARTED

From the Smoky City for the Lower River Yesterday Morning—The Coal Fleet Will Pass Wheeling This Morning—The Packet Lines Will Now Resume All Along the River. Fifteen Feet Expected Here.

Steady headwater rains for several days past have caused the first substantial raise in the Ohio since the fleeting coal boat stage during the first two weeks of June, last summer. The river is now as yellow a tide as ever descended the Missouri river, famous in fact and in Twainic narrative as an off-colored stream. The swell began in earnest yesterday morning and continued to come up the marks rapidly throughout the day, the marks at 6 p. m. registering nine feet full. Captain Crochard of the city wharfbat estimates from the reported amount of rain that has fallen that the Ohio at this point will reach fourteen or fifteen feet, more water than has been seen on the upper Ohio for many months.

The rains appear to have been general, extending to the lower Ohio. Yesterday Captain Crochard received information from Cincinnati to the effect that the Cincinnati and Memphis and Cincinnati and New Orleans packet lines will both resume this week. As Superintendent Henderson, of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati company has decided to send out the other boats of his line, in addition to the Keystone State, so soon as the lower river lines resumed, it may be reasonably assumed that the packets Scotia, Hudson and Iron Queen will be back in their trades before the week is past.

One of the most important incidents of the rise will be the movement by water of coal out of the Pittsburgh district. Over 10,000,000 bushels are in boats and barges and of this fully 5,000,000 were sent out from the Smoky City yesterday. The advance guard of the coal fleet is expected to pass Wheeling this morning, and at noon the river will be black with tows.

One of the remarkable incidents of the rise, says the Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette, if it is large enough, will be the tow taken out by the Pacific No. 2. Should the water reach the boat stage she will take seven coal boats and thirteen barges, the biggest tow ever taken out of this harbor by a boat of her kind. Rivermen are all interested in this rise to see how the experiment will work. The usual tow is about twelve barges to the steamer, but they seldom ever attempt to carry nearly as many boats.

A dispatch received last night from Pittsburgh stated that a boating stage was reached in the river and over 5,000,000 bushels of coal started for Cincinnati, New Orleans and other ports. It is estimated that there are 10,000,000 bushels in the harbor awaiting shipment. The Cruiser's tow was wrecked at Merriman station in the morning and 60,000 bushels of coal lost.

NOTES ON NAVIGATION.

Stage of Water and Movements of Boats. The River Interests.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. Courier, Gambler, Parkersburg, 9 a. m. Ben Hur, Kemptle, Parkersburg, 9 p. m. Liberty, Booth, Clarinton, 3:30 p. m. BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY. H. K. Bedford, Green, Pittsburgh, 8 a. m. Keystone State, Calhoun, Cincinnati, 8 a. m. Courier, Gambler, Parkersburg, 10:20 a. m. H. E. Phillips, Kline, Matamoras, 10:30 a. m. Liberty, Booth, Clarinton, 3:30 p. m.

At 6 p. m. the marks at the public landing showed nine feet in the channel and rising. Fifteen feet is expected at this point to-morrow. It is thought, also, that the river will maintain a good boating stage until the really cold weather, if there is to be any, sets in.

The Courier was due down Sunday afternoon, but did not pass until 9 a. m. yesterday. On the up trip to Pittsburgh Saturday night this boat was caught in a dense fog at Short Creek, and was compelled to tie up for twenty hours, causing the lateness of the hour of departure on the down-trip yesterday.

Reports from headwater points were as follows: Warren—River 2 feet 2 inches and falling. Weather is clear and cool. Morgantown—River 6 feet 6 inches and rising. Weather clear and cool. Greensboro—River 9 feet 9 inches and falling. Weather clear and pleasant.

Industrial Notes.

The Belmont mill on the South Side is temporarily idle, and is expected to resume early this week.

The LaBelle mill went on again yesterday morning, after a lay-off since Thanksgiving day. The improvements at this plant are progressing rapidly.

The Spears axle factory on the South Side was off for several hours yesterday on account of trouble with the machinery during the morning. The factory resumed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Samuel W. Trost has transferred his lumber finishing factory from Cincinnati to Huntington, W. Va., an enterprising town on the Ohio river. The factory will have an output of 60,000 feet of finished product daily, and will employ 100 hands, only the best materials being used. Huntington desires to build up her industries, and rejoices in the accession of Mr. Trost's factory.—Leaf Tobacco.

The Cigar Wrapper Company has been incorporated under the laws of West Virginia, with a capital of \$50,000 and a principal office at Wheeling. It is for the purpose of "manufacturing tobacco wrappers for cigars and cigarettes." The incorporators are Thomas Hanna, Mrs. Caroline M. Hanna, J. L. Sawtell, William Stoetzer and John W. Classon, all of Wheeling.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL CLUB

Starts Under Favorable Auspices—The Plan of It.

Last evening a meeting was held at St. Joseph's cathedral to take the preliminary steps toward the formation of a club for Catholic young men. It is to be a social and athletic organization, similar to clubs that have become popular in other cities, notably New York and Baltimore. In the latter city Bishop Donehue was a member of the club. The attendance last night was unexpectedly large. Rev. Father Younan made an address, dwelling on the advantages of such an organization as well as in contemplation. It will give the young men an innocent form of amusement, keep them from going to less praiseworthy resorts and bring them together in their diversions.

Rev. Father Moyo submitted the constitution of the Catholic club of New York City for the guidance of the committee on constitution and by-laws. It

is understood that Father Moyo will be the clerical director of the club. Another meeting will be held next Tuesday evening to adopt the constitution and by-laws, elect officers and perfect the organization.

Right Rev. Bishop Donehue is out in the interior of the state on a missionary tour, and will be gone for some time.

WHEELING MEN IN IT.

Great Luck of the Gold King Company at Cripple Creek.

The following from the Colorado Springs Gazette about various holdings of the "Gold King" Mining Company, will be read with interest here, as several Wheeling people are interested in that company:

CRIPPLE CREEK, Nov. 23.—The Gold King Company, who have hitherto been very careful and adverse to giving mining news to the newspapers, have at last relaxed that rule, and are now willing that something regarding their property shall appear in print. Their El Paso lode, located in Poverty gulch, is being worked mainly by two tunnels, and today in the No. 1 or upper level a new and important strike was made. It was in the shape of two feet of ore that runs from \$400 to \$900 to the ton. In the 100-foot level they have also some very good ore. The new strike consists of a peculiar white quartz. The manager for the company, Mr. Hannum, says they now have ore in every shaft, and in every level in the property. The No. 1 tunnel is now in nearly 500 feet, and No. 2 700 feet, and they have recently started a new shaft on the vein that is now down twenty feet and shows the vein well in place at the bottom. With a force of twenty men they are taking out ore that on the average runs into ten cars per month, but since the strike made today they will increase their force, and consequently their shipments. As soon as the survey is finished they will sink a straight working shaft on the property.

The El Paso people have cut through the thirty foot vein of overflow which they had on the surface and now have a three-foot vein of first-class ore. A sufficient quantity of development work has now been done on the vein to show that they now have it well in place. Both walls are in evidence, and the ore is pay stuff sure enough.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

LOCAL hunters report game very scarce.

THE GRAND this evening—"A Kentucky Girl."

POWELL, the well-known magician, will be the attraction at the Opera House next Saturday.

THE fourth lecture in the series given by Dr. Harriet Jones will be delivered at the W. C. T. U. hall, 1207 Main street, to-night at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. Subject: "Generative Organs."

ANNIE ARNOLD, the only female tramp on the road, spent last night at police headquarters. She has been here before, several years ago. She says she lives at Nelsonville, O., and is the mother of one child.

YESTERDAY morning B. & O. engine 804, pulling the cannon ball train on the Hempfield division, blew out a cylinder head in the yard opposite the city hall, and it was thrown about a hundred feet. The only damage resulting was the delay of the train.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

C. M. Hatch, of Parkersburg, is a Windsor arrival.

R. J. Patterson, of Fairmont, figures on the Windsor register.

George H. Robinson was in Moundsville yesterday on business.

Hon. G. W. Atkinson went down to Sistersville yesterday on a business trip.

S. L. Mooney, a Woodsfield, Ohio, banker, is in the city on a business trip, a guest at the McLure.

T. W. Jackson, a prominent Parkersburg business man, was here yesterday, a guest at the Windsor.

Cyrus Woodbury, of Columbus, a fire insurance man, well known in Wheeling, autographed at the McLure.

Mrs. George Norris, of Woodsfield, Ohio, is visiting her brother, Mr. John Q. Blawens, of Seventeenth street.

H. W. Dickinson, of Broken Bow, Neb., is in the city to see Mrs. Dickinson, who is under treatment at a local hospital.

Superintendent H. B. Pobler, of the county infirmary, is visiting relatives in Washington county, Ohio, near Marietta.

Chief Marshal of the Fire Department Frank Healy is able to be out again after a serious siege with his old trouble, rheumatism.

Mrs. F. S. Albertson and daughter, of Alexandria, Ind., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hastings, of South Eoff street.

Henry Myers, in advance of Powell, the magician, was here yesterday arranging for the appearance of his star at the Opera House.

Capt. W. H. Gilson, a prominent man in the Sistersville region, accompanied by Mrs. Gilson, was in town yesterday, and registered at the Windsor.

W. A. Hulings, of Sistersville; Edmund Hagill, of Clarksburg; J. C. Lloyd, of Rippon, and O. O. Hanlon, of Barnesville, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Stamm.

Congressman-elect B. B. Dovener left yesterday morning over the Ohio River road for Hinton, where he is to deliver an address before the United Workmen. He will not return until next week.

D. P. Thomas, of Wellsburg; W. F. Bowers, of Parkersburg; C. A. Frichard, of Mannington; C. D. Munson, of Buckhannon, and S. W. Thomas, of Davis, were among the West Virginia people at the Behler.

Enjoyable Event.

The Cracker-Jack club of Benwood, last evening gave a ball at the City hall in Benwood that was one of the most brilliant social events of the season down there. The attendance was first-class and a most enjoyable time was enjoyed by everybody. A masquerade ball will be given at Dolan's hall in Benwood this evening.

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A STRONG SHOWING.

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The Mutual German Savings and Loan Association, organized and conducted by representative business men of Wheeling, has been in operation for six months. The aim has been to conduct the business on conservative lines, quality being regarded as of more importance than quantity. The interests of the shareholder have been the first consideration. Notwithstanding the conservative policy pursued, the association has in this short time issued 11,690 shares of stock. The tabulated exhibit showing maturity values and securities is striking:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes: Installment shares \$1,101,300; Prepaid 14,500; Paid up 50,200; Loans 60,000; First Mortgage securities 164,065; Fire Insurance 86,840.

The paid up stock represents, as its name implies, stock fully paid at the beginning to the extent of \$50,200, on which the association pays annually 8 per cent. This, with sales of prepaid stock at \$50 per share, paid in cash, and monthly receipts from installment stock at 50 cents per share, together with premium and interest on loans, represents the fund out of which loans are made. It will be seen that for every dollar loaned the association holds \$2.70 of first mortgage, and \$1.45 of fire insurance. It is impossible to get better security than this:

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The home office is in the Peabody building, rooms 301 and 302, open every day during business hours. The general manager or his assistant will be glad to answer any question relating to the business. The books are always open.

"Blue Jeans" To-morrow Night.

The famous and rich American dramatist, Mr. Joseph Arthur, who gave to the native stage, among other successful plays, that of "Blue Jeans" and "The Still Alarm," is a native of the state of Indiana, and therefore when he conceived the many droll characters for "Blue Jeans" he had his mind's eye on certain people who can be seen nearly every day in the "Blue Jeans" district in the state mentioned. The play will be seen here at the Opera House Wednesday night.

How Many Butchers.

Mr. Adolph Gardner, of Dallas, Texas, outside guard of the National Retail Butchers' Protective Association, made the statement at Wheeling, W. Va., that there were 400,000 butchers in the United States. We considered the statement too high and inaugurated a system of inquiry, which finished, shows there are about 165,000 retail butchers in the United States and over 220,000 grocers who handle meat.—Butchers' and Packers' Magazine.

"The Limited Mail."

The Opera House has secured Elmer E. Vance's phenomenally successful railroad comedy drama, "The Limited Mail," and on Friday next, the people of Wheeling will have an opportunity of witnessing what is everywhere recognized as the most marvelous stage production of modern times, the great scenic and mechanical effects requiring two 60 feet especially designed and built cars for their transportation.

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