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THIS WINTRY WEATHER.

Prospects of a Thaw—Sleighing and Sledding in the Country—Seven Weeks of Snow—Stock Feeding.

What seems to be a thaw has been going on for the last two days, although it will take a week of such weather to melt the snow that covers the face of the country throughout all this region to the depth of several inches. In the city the sleighing is about done for, but in the country it is as good as ever. Up in Brooke county, as we observed during an excursion extending from Saturday up to yesterday, they have never had such sleighing. It was seven weeks yesterday since the people commenced traveling on runners instead of wheels, and they have kept it up ever since. The roads have been in perfect order almost all the time, and the amount of hauling on sleds that has been done is immense. The people of Washington county, as far east as Buffalo Village, have hauled hay and wheat to Wellsburg, and all the farmers have utilized the snow to the fullest extent in the way of hauling timber, coal and all sorts of farm stuff. The only drawback has been that the weather has prevented corn husking to such an extent that very little corn has been marketed, most farmers having no more husked than sufficed for their stock. The country is full of corn, but it nevertheless readily brings fifty cents, and is not plenty at that. There is also a good deal of hay, but the uncertainties of winter feeding have been such that those who have plenty of it are not inclined to sell it even at $18 per ton. They want to see whether the ground hog theory of six weeks of winter, dating from the 2d of this month, will pan out this year or not. They believe a good deal more in the ground hog sign than in Mother Shipton's prophecy about the world coming to an end this year, and and hence are not inclined to let go their grip on their earthly possessions yet awhile.

The quantity of ice that has been put up in the private ice houses in the country never was as great as it is this year. And for that matter, the quantity of it that has been piled up by the wayside was never half as great. A curious specimen of this piling up can be seen on the Wellsburg and Bethany pike near Buchanan's, about half way between the two places. Owing to a gorge in Buffalo creek near that place prior to the last break up, the creek overpoured the bottoms in the vicinity, carrying with it fences and huge masses of ice, and depositing them to the depth of several feet over the pike and adjacent territory. To such an extent was the pike blockaded that half a hundred men had to be called into service by the turnpike company and set to work with picks and shovels to cut a road through the solid ice and the icy debris. They cut a narrow gauge through, just wide enough for a wagon, and the consequence is that vehicles pass between the solid icy walls after the fashion of the Israelites passing through the Red sea between solid walls of water. It is really a curiosity to see the freak that has thus played by the waters of the usually well behaved Buffalo creek this winter. One of the chief sufferers by the freak is a Mr. Wharton who lives in the vicinity, and whose fine bottom land has been literally and irretrievably ruined by the new channel cut through by the creek. Mr. Wharton is a man whom "disaster has followed fast and followed faster," having had his house burned only a short time ago. His last calamity has fallen as a heavy blow upon him.

The unusual winter weather that we have had has made feeding a pretty expensive matter to the farmers, although stock of all kinds have thriven and are in good condition at this time. The sheep however are faltering a little in their thrift, and are showing signs of the need of contact with the earth. Dry feeding for so long a time palls upon the appetite and thickens the blood too much. Hence some farmers are feeding apples and turnips in addition to their dry feed. These have a corrective effect on the appetite and the circulation.

We notice that some sheep in the country are well housed this weather, while others are permitted to remain exposed most of the time. The theory of those who let them lie out around the stacks is that it is a natural sort of exposure, for which they are prepared by nature, and that it acts as a preventive against foot rot. They contend that the herding of sheep together in a sheep house heats and defiles their feet to such an extent as to produce foot rot. Whether this is the case or not it is certain that it takes a great deal more feed to keep exposed sheep in even fair condition than it does those that are kept under shelter.

These moonlight nights have been great nights for sleighing parties in the country. A number of the young people of Bethany made a raid on Col. C. H. Beall's hospitable home on last Saturday night. They did not, however, find the Colonel and his good wife unprepared, and the heaped up fires and the good cheer that went round reminded one of those good old winter scenes recorded in Doddridge's Notes concerning the early days in this region. The night was bright as day outside, and the sleigh bells made the air vocal with their music,

> "Keeping time, time, time,
> In a sort of Runic rhyme,
> To the tintinnabulation that so musically swells,
> From the bells, bells, bells."

It seems as if sleighing must have been an institution specially get up for the benefit of young people. It is astonishing the amount of exposure that a young fellow and his girl can stand on a winter's night. They stand it better when parcelled out in sleighs—one pair to a sleigh—than when tumbled in together in large sled loads, paradoxical at it may seem. This shows the power of imagination. People who have passed out of their salad days have more difficulty in invoking this power of imagination. They are prone to remember sleighing days that are past and gone, and to think if not to say with the Preacher of Ecclesiastes, "what is the cause that the former days were better than these?"

> "Like the dew on the mountain,
> Like the foam on the river,
> Like the bubble on the fountain,
> Those days are gone and forever."

West Virginia and the Railroad Question

N. Y. Tribune of Saturday.

The State of West Virginia is one of those young States which is as yet inadequately provided with railroads. Like some other States, however, it fancies it sees greater benefit to itself from despoiling the few railroads it has than from encouraging the construction of more. There are two lines of road crossing its territory from east to west, with scarcely a fragment in the other directions. No State in proportion to its area, has such a wealth of timber, coal, iron ore, limestone, salt, petroleum, etc., all of which need, more than anything else, capitol and railroads to make them of value to her. Nevertheless, tempted by the cunning bait laid by Jeremiah Black, she is now asked to "regulate rates" of fare and freight.

A bill has been offered by some inveterate Granger that local freight shall be carried at the same rate, per mile, as the through freights, regardless of length of haul. Rates between Chicago and New York and Liverpool are made clear through; and to obtain any business over the lines crossing West Virginia the companies must make similar through rates or lose the freight. The expenditures for road bed, rails and fixed expenses are about the same for a railroad with only local traffic as for one with a large through traffic in addition—in other words, the road once built can run twenty extra through freight trains for a trifling addition to the total expense. The through traffic, taken from other lines, helps to pay the expenses and interest on first cost. This short-sighted Virginia legislator thinks it would be better to shut off the through traffic, and leave the road to depend solely on the local—for such is the obvious effect of his bill. One of two things must then happen: either the local rates must be increased so as to cover the entire expense, or the road must fail to pay and the company stop running. This, of course, is not what is intended, but it is the natural sequel. Until legislators can devise some way of compelling railroad owners to run railroads at a loss, and of paying the deficiency out of their pockets for the privilege, they would do well to leave fares and freights to the unfailing forces of supply and demand.

The State has voted to remove its capital (now at Wheeling) to Charleston, which, like the present site, is accessible from only two directions, and to reach either will require a long roundabout journey of hundreds of miles by river or rail. What sort of an invitation is this raid on the old roads to persons contemplating the building of new proposed lines? The State of Arkansas has been troubled in the same way lately; but we are glad to see that a message from the Governor, setting forth the need and advantages of more railroads, has had the desired effect of suppressing the agrarian movement. West Virginia and some of the young States at the West will learn, in time, that they have nothing to gain by attempting to interfere with laws of trade, or by threatening capital engaged in opening up roads through them, however enticing the effort may be, for the moment, to the demagogue.

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A Lecture on the Devil.

WHEELING, W. VA., February 5.

To Judge Thomas D. Houston:

SIR:—We, the undersigned, Senators, Delegates and officers of the West Virginia Legislature, having heard your lecture on "The Devil" highly spoken of, would respectfully request you to deliver the same in the Hall of the House of Delegates some Saturday evening during the present session.

Very truly yours,

Samuel A Kepner,	M M Lowry,
George Lynch,	Geo W Hackworth,
C W Watson,	B F Irons,
Wm A Quarrier,	J M Sydenstr'cker,
Lewis S Newman,	J K Thompson,
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Lewis Wilson,	B Davisson,
Marshall Depue,	Selmon Wells,
Lewis Sheppard,	I Sinclair,
John T Siler,	H Cain, S'g't-at-arms
James Morrow, Jr,	R F Dennis,
Isaiah Bee,	J E Stellings,
Alexander Monroe,	D A Barbee,
Joseph W Hoff,	J J Woods,
Charles E Wells,	Charles Williams,
D H Leonard,	Frank Beckwith,
D A Roberts,	J M Clarkson, Jr.
Henry M Mathews,	& Brady,
W L McNeel,	D D Johnson.

WHEELING, February 7.

To the Hons. N. M. Lowry, S. A. Kepner, R. F. Dennis, and other Senators, Delegates and officers of the West Virginia Legislature, and Hon. H. M. Mathews, Governor, and other officers of the State Government:

GENTLEMEN:—Your kind communication of the 5th inst., requesting me to deliver my lecture on "The Devil," in "the hall of the House of Delegates some Saturday evening during the present session," accompanied by a copy of the resolution adopted by the House of Delegates this afternoon, granting me the use of the hall for the purpose indicated, has just been handed to me.

I am deeply sensible of the honor thus conferred. The high character and distinguished reputation of those tendering the invitation especially enhances its value.

In accepting it, I beg leave to indicate next Saturday, the 12th, as the time.

With profound gratitude to you personally, and to the House of Delegates for its generous tender of the hall, I remain, gentlemen, very truly,

Your obedient servant,

THOS. D. HOUSTON.

Rescued from Death.

The following statement of William J Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for the attention of our readers. He says: "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs, followed by a severe cough. I soon began to loose my appetite and flesh. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half dollar. I expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicines. I was so far gone at one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of Dr. William Hall's Balsam for the Lungs. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when to my surprise and gratification I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have for the past three years.

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
WHEELING, W. VA., Feb. 8, 1881.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk until Monday, February 14, 1881, at 5 o'clock p. m., for the lighting, cleaning, extinguishing and furnishing wicks, oils, glass chimneys, &c., for the oil lamps north of the creek, south of the creek and the oil lamps in the Seventh ward for one year, from March 1, 1881. Bids to be addressed to the "Chairman of the Committee on Lights," the committee reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

fe8 FRANK BOWERS, City Clerk.

TO MERCHANTS, MANUFACTURERS AND OTHERS.

On WEDNESDAY EVENING, February 9th, there will be a meeting of the Merchants, Manufacturers and others interested in the project of holding a State Fair in this city in the Fall. The meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock in the Court House, and the matter freely discussed. A large attendance is desirable, and if you are solicitous of a State Fair Organization being effected you are hereby cordially invited to be present.

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GEO. R. TINGLE,
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Total Assets December 31, 1879	$15,573,297 62
Surplus over all Liabilities, Massachusetts' Standard, 4 per ct.	$2,607,968 32
Surplus over all Liabilities, Pennsylvania Standard, 4½ per ct.	$3,368,383 12
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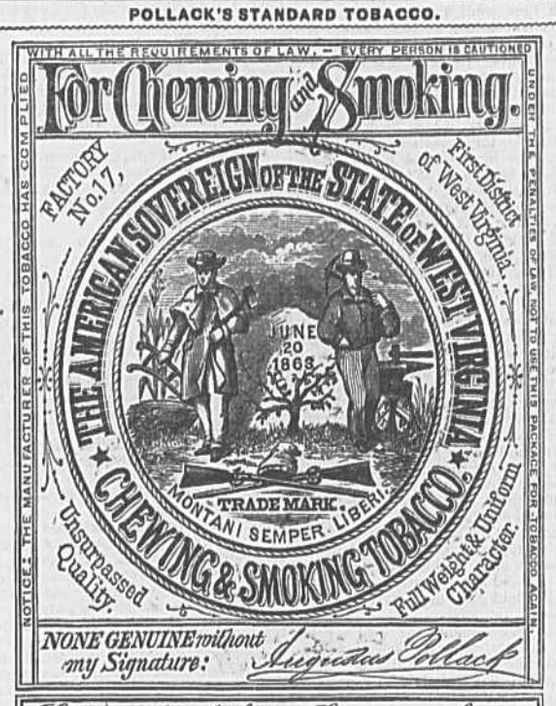

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By virtue of a deed of trust from Henry Kelts to the undersigned trustee, dated the 19th day of January, in the year 1878, recorded among the public land records of Marshall County, West Virginia, in deed of trust book No. 2, folio 435, I will on

SATURDAY, THE 12th DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1881

At the front door of the Court House in Wheeling, Ohio county, West Virginia, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., proceed to sell at Public Auction, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debt secured by said deed of trust, with the accrued interest thereon and the expenses of sale, including the Trustee's commission, that is to say: the home farm on which the said Henry Kelts now resides, formerly called the Quigley Farm, containing one hundred and forty-two acres, more or less, and described as follows: Joining Samuel Allen on the east side on November 19th, 1855, and at that last mentioned date joining Misenheider's on the south, and Benjamin McMechen's heirs on the southwest, and Riley's on the north, being the same tract of land of which Charles Kemple and wife granted and conveyed all their interest to the said Henry Kelts by deed dated on the 19th day of November, 1855, and recorded among the public land records of Marshall County, West Virginia, and of which Elbert H. Caldwell and Wylie H. Oldham and wife granted and conveyed to the said Henry Kelts one undivided half by deed dated on the 20th day of February, 1856, and recorded among said public land records. Also, another tract of land in said county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the junction of Sharp's run with Bogg's run, and with meanders of said run north 85°, east 32½ poles, south 61°, east 8 poles to a beech on the side of the run, and on April 1st, 1853, corner of John Davidson; thence with the line, which was on April 1st, 1853, that of said Davidson, south 9° 48 poles to a chestnut, corner to Geo. Sharp; thence with what was April 1st, 1853, Sharp's line 6° 62 poles north to a stone in the fork of Sharp's run; thence down the run with the meanders north 25° 24 poles, north 10°, east 21½ poles to beginning, containing 11 acres, 2 roods and 36 poles. Also, another tract of land in said county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at what was April 1st, 1853, the mouth of Sharp's run, where it then fell into the tail race of the saw-mill, north 87°, west 20 poles to a stone in the middle of Sharp's run opposite a sycamore tree; thence leaving run south 56°, west 32½ poles to a leaning white oak in the fence on the bench near the top of the hill; thence with fence south 24°, east 5½ poles to a white oak, south 40°, east 14 poles to a hickory; thence south 24°, west 18 poles to a stump 6 feet north of a leaning white oak, south 80°, west 9 poles to a large white oak at head of drain; thence down drain south 38° east 17 poles to the fall in Sharp's run; thence down said run north 73°, east 21½ poles to forks of the run; thence north 23°, east 20 poles; thence north 56°, east 5 poles; thence north 85½°, east 20 poles to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres, 1 rood and 21 perches, the two tracts of land last mentioned being the same granted and conveyed to the said Henry Kelts by Benjamin McMechen, by deed dated April 1st, 1853, and recorded among the public land records of said county, in deed book No. 10, page 171.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money, or such greater amount thereof as the purchaser may elect to pay, cash in hand, the residue in two equal yearly payments, with interest from day of sale, and the deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust on the property sold.

ja31 GEO. R. CALDWELL, Trustee.

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GEO. R. TINGLE,
ja3 Ex-Sheriff Ohio County.

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