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@8.90, 43 at 7.70, 31 at 6.60, 24 at 5.50. 9 hds do lugs and trash at 5.50. 2 hds do trash at 4.90, 5.10. 2 hds Indiana leaf at 8.30, 8.90. 8 hds do lugs at 6.30, 7.80. 7 hds do trash at 4.25 @ 5.60.

The Ninth Street House sold 89 hds Kentucky leaf, 3 at 12.50, 11, 10.75; 27 at 7.80, 18.75, 20 at 8.40 @ 10.50, 17 at 7.30 @ 10.25, 8 at 7.50 @ 9.70, 5 at 9 @ 9.20, 10 at 8.10 @ 8.90. 89 hds do lugs: 12 at 6 @ 9.90, 28 at 5.40 @ 7.30, 7 at 5 @ 6.60, 1 at 7.30, 3 at 6.60 @ 6.90, 9 at 4.85 @ 6.20, 29 at 5.75 @ 5.90. 9 hds Missouri leaf at 7.90 @ 10.75. 1 hhd Clarksville leaf at 8.80. 2 hds Indiana leaf at 7.30, 8.60. 2 hds do lugs and scraps at 6, 3.20.

The Planters' House sold 186 hds Kentucky leaf, lugs, and trash: 4 at \$30, 17, 13.50, 12.25; 10 at 11 @ 11.50, 19 at 10 @ 10.75, 42 at 9 @ 9.90, 30 at 8 @ 8.90, 33 at 7 @ 7.80, 31 at 6 @ 6.90, 16 at 5 @ 5.95, 1 at 4.60.

The Exchange House sold 113 hds leaf, lugs, and trash: 1 at \$15.25, 2 at 13, 1 at 12.50. 7 at 11 @ 11.75, 6 at 10 @ 10.75, 14 at 9 @ 9.80, 22 at 8 @ 8.90, 21 at 7 @ 7.90, 19 at 6 @ 6.80, 18 at 5 @ 5.95, 2 at 4.60, 4.70. 3 hds Tennessee leaf at 10.25, 9.30, 6.90. 2 hds do lugs at 7.30, 5.40.

The Kentucky Tobacco Association sold 99 hds Kentucky leaf, lugs, and trash: 3 at \$14.25, 13.50, 13; 1 at 10, 9 at 9 @ 9.70, 21 at 8 @ 8.90, 22 at 7 @ 7.80, 17 at 6 @ 6.90, 26 at 5 @ 5.95. 1 box at 4.80.

Mr. James F. Callaway's report says: This market, during the past month, to my surprise, has been characterized by firmness and activity, notwithstanding the receipts have been very liberal, footing up 8,760 hds., and a comparative small business doing at the seaboard. Common lugs, in soft order, have yielded a little in favor of the buyer, while good rich fat tobaccos have ruled very firm and active. Enough of crop has come forward to establish beyond a doubt that the proportion of rich fat desirable tobaccos is small, not sufficient to supply the demand, hence the active demand for this class. Western manufacturers of Plug, Fine Cut and Smoking are free buyers. Favorable seasons and satisfactory prices have brought forward at least two-thirds of the crop. Some ten days ago, the farmers had favorable seasons for pitching in the new crop, but owing to so much unfavorable weather, the plants were too small and very little land was prepared, and I do not think that one fourth of the crop has been pitched. Preparations are being made for a large planting, but the want of favorable seasons will curtail considerable the planting.

Messrs. Wm. G. Meier & Co., Tobacco Commission Merchants, report:—Sales last month 8,141 hds., against 4,786 hds. last year; Receipts last month 8,764 hds., against 4,743 hds. last year; Sales since 1st November, 1872, 34,026 hds., against 25,273 hds. last year; Receipts since 1st November, 1872, 34,350 hds., against 23,829 hds. last year; Stock on hand June 22d, 1873, 7,593 hds., against 4,341 hds. last year.

Quotations.—Common sound lugs, light and color, \$5.50 @ \$6.00; Clarksville and Western district, 6.00 @ 6.75; good, sound lugs, light and color, 6.00 @ 6.70; Clarksville and Western district, 6.75 @ 7.75; common, sound leaf, light and color, 7.00 @ 8.50; Clarksville and Western district, 7.75 @ 9.00; medium sound leaf, light and color, 8.50 @ 9.50; Clarksville and Western district, 9.00 @ 10.00; good, sound leaf, light and color, 9.50 @ 10.50; Clarksville and Western district, 10.00 @ 11.00; fine sound leaf, light and color, 11.50 @ 12.00; Clarksville and Western district, 11.50 @ 13.00.

Receipts during the past month have been liberal, and with but a moderate demand for low grades, we quote lugs 1/4c. lower. Leaf of any description has been sustained and remain inquired after.

NEW ORLEANS, June 4.—We report as follows: The market has been active and 2,074 hds., of which 2 sold at 12 1/2; 30 at a fraction over 11; 2, 5 and 30 at 11; 6 at 10 3/5; 3 and 1 at 10, and the rest on private terms. The stock on sale is estimated at 16,700 hds. We quote:—Inferior Lugs at 7 1/2 @ 7 3/4 c. Medium Leaf at 8 @ 8 1/2 c. Fine Lugs at 8 1/2 @ 9 c. Low Leaf at 9 @ 10 c. Medium at 10 1/2 @ 11 c. Good at 11 1/2 @ 12 c., and Selections at 12 1/2 @ 13 c. The receipts were 2,760 hds. Cleared for Genoa, 350 hds. Stock on hand and on shipboard, not cleared on 3d inst. 22,062 hds. Manufacturers Tobacco is dull. The stock is ample. We quote: No. 1, lbs., Extra Fancy, 75 @ 85; Fine, 65 @ 70; Fine Medium, 60 @ 65; Good Medium, 55 @ 60; Medium, 50 @ 55; Common, Sound, 45 @ 50; Gold Bars 12 inch, 6 oz, 7 oz and 4 oz according to quality, 55 @ 75; Medium and Com. Unsold 30 @ 40; Half pounds Bright, 45 @ 60; Half pounds Black Sweet, 40 @ 48; No. 1, 5s and 10s dark Black, Sweet, 45 @ 50; Navy, lbs., 45 @ 50; Navy, 3ds, 45 @ 50; Fancy Styles, Natural Leaf, Twist, Pancake etc., 60 @ 80. The receipts were 706 pkgs. cleared, 327 pkgs.

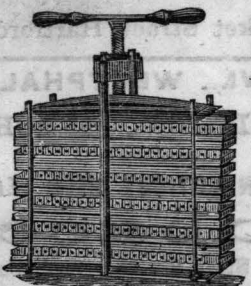
PADUCAH, June 4.—Messrs H. H. Clarke & Brother Leaf tobacco Brokers, report: Market has been firm and steady for all descriptions of tobacco in sound condition, except that common lugs seem at the close particularly to be less in favor, and we change our quotations to suit the prices ruling. Instead of the condition of the offerings improving with the advance of the warm weather, as is usually the case, it has really been growing worse since the 1st of May; which may be attributed to the superabundance of rain that fell throughout that month; but as we have recently had some drying weather, tobacco will no doubt come in hereafter in much better order. Sales for the week 711 hds. We quote: Common to medium lugs, 5 1/2 @ 6 1/4 c. Good, 6 1/2 @ 7 1/4 c. common leaf 7 1/2 @ 8 3/4 c. medium do, 9 @ 9 3/4 c. good do, 10 @ 11 c., and fine do, 11 1/2 @ 12 c. Mr. C. M. Mocquot, Tobacco Broker, reports as follows:—Receipts, May, 1873, 3650 hds., against 2618 hds. last year; Actual sales May, 1873, 3281 hds., against 2429 hds. last year; actual sales since Nov. 1, 1872, 9364 hds., against 8642 hds. last year; Stock unsold in warehouse June 2, 877 hds., against 1,325 hds. last year; Rejections during March, 1873, 248 hds., against 149 hds. last year. Prices decline since May 1st, about 1/4 to 1/2 on light lugs and leaf. Market sustained for all grades of heavy styles. Condition of tobaccos received last month was bad compared to same month last few years. Weather—Great rains during the whole month. New Crop.—Prospects very unfavorable, owing to the prolonged winter and large rains during the whole spring, culture was nearly impossible until now, and the planting is bound to be late and much curtailed in quantity. Hardly any tobacco is yet set in our section.

PHILADELPHIA, June 7.—Mr. A. Appenheimer, Tobacco Broker, reports as follows:—Trade is generally quiet, but the travelling salesmen are sending in a very fair amount of orders. The sales in cigars are light compared with my former reports. Low priced cigars are getting very scarce. The sales of leaf wrappers, 120 cases do seconds, 140 cases Pennsylvania running lots, 125 cases Ohio—a good deal of inquiry has been made for fine 71 Connecticut wrappers and seconds. There were also sold 115 bales Havana and 20 bales Yara imported cigars—15,000 M. ranging from \$75 to \$285 per M. Domestic cigars—1,300,000 ranging from \$15 to \$55 per M.

Messrs. M. E. McDowell & Co., Tobacco Commission Merchants, report manufactured tobacco as follows: Fine bright Virginia lbs., 60 @ 75; medium do. 45 @ 55; fine bright Virginia twist, 60 @ 70; medium do. 50 @ 55; Virginia bright navy, 50 @ 52; 1/2, 1/4, 1/8, 1/16, 1/32, 1/64, 1/128, 1/256, 1/512, 1/1024, 1/2048, 1/4096, 1/8192, 1/16384, 1/32768, 1/65536, 1/131072, 1/262144, 1/524288, 1/1048576, 1/2097152, 1/4194304, 1/8388608, 1/16777216, 1/33554432, 1/67108864, 1/134217728, 1/268435456, 1/536870912, 1/1073741824, 1/2147483648, 1/4294967296, 1/8589934592, 1/17179869184, 1/34359738368, 1/68719476736, 1/137438953472, 1/274877907344, 1/549755814688, 1/1099511629376, 1/2199023258752, 1/4398046517504, 1/8796093035008, 1/17592186070016, 1/35184372140032, 1/70368744280064, 1/140737488560128, 1/281474977120256, 1/562949954240512, 1/1125899908481024, 1/2251799816962048, 1/4503599633924096, 1/9007199267848192, 1/18014398535696384, 1/36028797071392768, 1/72057594142785536, 1/144115188285571072, 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They should address their orders to the undersigned in New York, who is the SOLE AGENT IN THE UNITED
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Mr. JAMES C. McANDREW, New York: Dear Sir:—We have used over 1,000 Cases of your fine grades
of Licorice, and they have been uniformly regular and of excellent quality.
Yours Very Respectfully,
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will read the following from **MR. CLARKE,** the Manufacturer, with some degree of interest:
JAMES C. McANDREW, Esq., SMYRNA, 9th May, 1873.

My Dear Sir:
I learn from London that the firms of **SCHNITZER**, of Boston, and
LEAMAN, of New York, have issued a pamphlet about Licorice, in which they set themselves
forth as my Agents.
As you have been my **SOLE AGENT** ever since 1854, you are authorized by me to con-
tract any report as to my having another Agent in any part of the United States.
As regards **MR. SCHNITZER**, I find he is the agent for **MR. SIDI**, of this city, but I have no cor-
respondence directly or indirectly with him. As to **MR. LEAMAN**, his name is entirely unknown to me
in any way whatever; therefore you will please contradict the above report in the strongest manner possible.
MR. SIDI is writing **MR. SCHNITZER**, calling his attention to this matter.
I remain yours, most truly,
(Signed) **A. O. CLARKE.**

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C. Barthauer, Buffalo, New York; Daniel Catlin, St. Louis; A. J. Leggat, St. Louis.
Fifth Class—Planters' Sweepstakes—W. T. Rutherford, Huntsville, Mo.; M. J. Sears, Keytesville, Mo.; Geo. W. Rucker, St. Louis; Gen. John W. Marmaduke, St. Louis; F. P. Chiles, St. Louis.
Sixth Class—Manufacturing Leaf—Ad. Tinsley, Louisiana, Mo.; Wm. P. Boon, Clarksville, Mo.; C. H. Benedict, Macon, Mo.; Geo. S. Myers, St. Louis; J. Kirk Erickson, St. Louis.
Seventh Class—Factory Dried Leaf—F. M. West-brook, Marion, Ill.; Major Henkel, Cairo, Ill.; Jos. S. Price, Saline, Mo.; Geo. W. Lee, St. Louis; W. C. Woodson, St. Louis.
Eighth Class—Best Cutting Leaf—Oscar Turn, Ballard county, Ky.; A. J. Leigh, Paducah, Ky.; Thomas S. Gillam, Brunswick, Mo.; James Moran, St. Louis; James B. Gaffe, of Laclede Tobacco Company, St. Louis.
Ninth Class—Best Black Wrapper—A. J. McCune, Louisiana, Mo.; Geo. B. Merriweather, Pike county, Mo.; J. T. Wright, Ballard county, Ky.; George S. Shryock,

MORE ABOUT SMOKING AT CENTRAL PARK.—So complicated says the *Herald* are the considerations which arise when the question of cigars or no cigars is presented in relation to the concerts at Central Park Garden that the conscientious man hesitates when asked for his opinion. Whichever way he decides, wrath and desolation await him. To give the preference to the ladies, and to pronounce the banishment of nicotine requires a moral heroism, which we confess we do not possess. Nor are we quite bold enough to espouse the other remedy, and to suggest that ladies who dislike tobacco are at liberty to remain in the garden portion of the establishment. The case is a very sad one, and we own frankly that we do not know precisely what to say. Since more gentlemen than ladies attend these concerts the greatest happiness of the greatest number would seem to require that smoking should be permitted *ad libitum*, and that those of the fair sex who did not like it should have the alternative of staying away. But then the ladies might declare, and probably would, that if smoking were prohibited they would come all the more—an advantage which gallantry forbids our saying is questionable. The question then seems to narrow itself down to this:—Which is preferable, no smoking or no woman? Now we dare say many an admirer of woman may justly be suspected of feeling that, much as he loves the sex, he loves the cigar more. The garden concert band is good and the music well chosen, but think what it would be to pass a whole evening at a beer table, beneath the arabesque convulsion of Mr. Thomas' baton, with not so much as a whiff or a smoke wreath! For our own part we had almost said it was the smoke that constituted a portion of the charm of the garden concert. It casts a gentle, romantic haze over the ensemble, and the faces of our friends seen through it look like those idealized photographic heads surrounded with clouds. Banish smoke and you banish beer; banish beer and you banish the delights of drink in general, and then you are at once reduced to prim propriety, bearing no more relation to a genuine garden concert than a Mohammedan paradise—and of the two we think the Mohammedan paradise would be less desired by the modern easy liver much the jollier place for a time, to say nothing of eternity. But we have fairly reasoned ourselves, quite against our expectations, in favor of the smokers. Besides, since there is nothing more ennobling than the overcoming of prejudices, let that selfish sex which would deprive a meek and unoffending male of his tobacco indulge in an occasional cigarette itself, gracing the practice with all those flirtations and fascinations it knows so well how to employ, and it would soon acknowledge that the essence of garden concert enjoyment consists in freedom to smoke, drink and follow the musical programme simultaneously. Who does not enjoy "The Wanderer" all the better for a pull at the weed and the weiss beer? We have no wish to become misogynists, and even if we had, should never think of saying, with Tennyson:—

Woman is the lesser man, and all her passions match'd with his, Are the cause of all the troubles which have ever yet arisen.
Give the male visitors of the garden concert their cigars and they will go on contentedly applauding the music of Wagner, as it swells and sinks in strains quaint as an Etruscan vase, dreamy as the slumber god and delectable as a "social topic" from the *Saturday Review*.

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collation if liquor should be allowed. Our merchants did not desire a repetition of the scenes at the Cotton Banquet in Sangerfest Hall last October. The result of this was seen in the great decorum apparent throughout the festive occasion. Let other business fairs make a note of this.

THE PREMIUMS AWARDED.
After the lunch, the awarding committees proceeded to their duty in classifying the samples of tobacco, which consumed a great deal of time. Finally, Mr. Samuels, the Vice-President, read the list of awards. There were 475 hogheads of tobacco on exhibition, which will be sold to-day, commencing at 8 1/4 o'clock, A. M.

FIRST CLASS—DRY SHIPPING TOBACCO.
1. For the best crop (quality considered) of not less than 15 hds, suitable for exportation, the same being the entire product of one planter. No. 142. H. M. Bessinger & Co., owners, Williamson County, Ill., entered by Samuel Reltz & Co., St. Louis, crop of 22 hds, \$1,000.
2. For the best crop of one planter (conditions as first) of not less than 9 nor more than 15 hds. No. 303. G. W. Hogan & Co., Chariton County, Mo., entered by J. W. Booth & Sons, St. Louis, crop of 13 hds, \$700.
3. For the best crop of one planter (conditions as first) of not less than 6 nor more than 9 hds. No. 219. John Quick, Chariton County, Mo., J. W. Booth & Sons, St. Louis, \$500.
4. For the best crop of one planter (conditions as first) of not less than four nor more than 6 hds. No. 287. J. A. Norvell, Saline County, Mo., W. P. Howard & Co., St. Louis, \$300.

SECOND CLASS—MEDIUM MANUFACTURING.
1. For the best crop of not less than ten hds, the same being the entire product of one planter. No. 208. A. M. Tinsley & Co., Pike County, Mo., owners. Entered by Craig Alexander, St. Louis. \$1,000.
2. For the best crop of not less than seven nor more than ten hds, the same being the entire product of one planter. No. 321. Jordan Gibbs, Pike Co., Mo. J. W. Booth & Sons; crop of eight hds. \$700.
3. For the best crop of not less than five nor more than seven hds, the same being the entire product of one planter. No entry. \$500.
4. For the best crop of not less than two nor more than five hds, the same being the entire product of one planter. No award on account of inequality. Owners, J. W. Wilkinson and Joseph Elliot. Entered by J. W. Booth & Sons. \$300.

THIRD CLASS—BRIGHT MANUFACTURING.
1. For the best crop of not less than 5,000 lbs, the same being the entire product of one planter—No. 373. J. W. Pasley & Brother owners, Callaway County, Mo., entered by C. R. Dormitzer & Co., St. Louis, \$1,000.
2. For the best crop of not less than 3,000 lbs, nor more than 5,000, the same being the entire product of one planter—No. 281. J. R. Bell, Callaway County, Mo. Sterling Price & Co., St. Louis, \$500.
3. For the best crop of not less than 1,000 lbs, nor more than 3,000 lbs, the same being the entire product of one planter—No. 338. M. C. Reed, Franklin county, Mo., J. W. Booth & Sons; crop of four hogheads, \$300.

FOURTH CLASS—CUTTING LEAF.
1. For the best crop of not less than 3,000 lbs—J. B. Morford, Osage county, Mo., P. D. Cordell, St. Louis, \$300.
2. For the best crop of not less than 1,000 lbs, nor more than 3,000 lbs—No. 425. David Blythe, Callaway county, Mo., Shryock & Rowland, St. Louis, \$200.

FIFTH CLASS—PLANTERS' SWEEPSTAKES.
For the largest crop raised by one planter—A. G. Kennedy, owner, Chariton county, Mo. Entered by J. W. Booth & Sons, St. Louis. Crop of 34 hds, \$1,000.

SIXTH CLASS.
For the best hhd Manufacturing Leaf, weighing not less than 400 lbs net—No. 262. R. R. Wakefield, owner, Ballard county, Ky., Sterling Price, St. Louis, \$200.
For the second best hhd Manufacturing Leaf, weighing not less than 400 lbs net—No. 1473. W. H. Oglesby, McCracken county, Ky., J. W. Booth & Sons, \$100.
For the third best hhd Manufacturing Leaf, weighing not less than 400 lbs net—No. 1467. L. K. Wakefield, Ballard county, Ky., J. W. Booth & Sons, \$50.

SEVENTH CLASS.
For the best hhd factory dried leaf, weighing not less than 1,200 lbs net. No. 1,524. D. Overfelt, owner, Monroe county, Mo., E. M. Samuel & Sons, St. Louis, \$100.
For the second best hhd factory dried leaf, weighing not less than 1,200 lbs net. No. 1,524. D. Overfelt, Monroe county, Mo., E. M. Samuel & Sons. \$50.
For the third best hhd factory dried leaf, weighing not less than 1,200 lbs net. No. 1,530. F. N. Davis, Callaway county, Mo. Entered by J. W. Booth & Sons. No award. \$25.

EIGHTH CLASS.
For the best hhd Cutting Leaf, weighing not less than 800 lbs net. No. 1,498. E. R. W. Thomas, Covington, Ky., J. W. Booth & Sons, \$100.
For the second best hhd Cutting Leaf, weighing not less than 800 lbs net, No. 1,497. J. T. Sullivan, Covington, Ky., J. W. Booth & Sons, \$50.
For five hds, best Cutting Leaf, offered by one party, no entry, \$100.
For five hds, second best Cutting Leaf, offered by one party, no entry, \$50.

NINTH CLASS.
For the best hhd. black wrappers weighing not less than 950 lbs. No. 4,079. J. F. Callaway, Louisville, Ky., owner; entered by Samuel Peltz & Co., St. Louis, \$200.

For the second best hhd. black wrappers, weighing not less than 950 lbs. No. 4,078. J. F. Callaway, owner Louisville, Ky., Samuel Peltz, \$50.

TENTH CLASS.
For 5 hds. best factory dried leaf, quality and handling considered, Nos. 316 to 320. A. G. Kennedy, Chariton County, Mo.; J. W. Booth & Sons, \$150.
For 5 hds. second best factory dried leaf, quality and handling considered, Nos. 1,492 to 1,496. J. C. Miller, Keytesville, Mo.; J. W. Booth & Sons, \$100.

ELEVENTH CLASS.
To the party shipping to this market, and having the same sold on the breaks, the largest number of hds of tobacco during the year 1872 (the premium to be awarded at the premium sale in 1873), J. B. S. Lemoine, St. Louis; 451 hds. \$500.

Thus ended the first day of the great Tobacco Fair. The attendance was all that could be desired, and the interest manifested was such as to give great encouragement for the future. Not only from the interior of our own State, but from Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana and many Southern States there were men engaged in the tobacco business. Even Europe was represented. The quality of the offerings was excellent, while the large display proved that the Tobacco Association of St. Louis has awakened a feeling that will ultimately in increased production, heavier receipts for this market, and larger sales than ever before. More than this, farmers will now understand that in their efforts to enrich themselves they will have the hearty co-operation of the merchants, who, through their association, are ready to furnish valuable information to them in circulars and through the newspapers.

The beginning thus auspiciously before the public can only be productive of good. The association will not rest here, but in the future will prove that they regard their interest as identical with those of the farmer, while at the same time they are upholding the commercial grandeur of this the Valley of the Mississippi.

COMMERCIAL NOTES & QUERIES.

RETAIL TOBACCO DEALERS.
CORPUS CHRISTIE, TEX., May, 1873.—*Editor of the Journal of Commerce:* I pay five hundred dollars per annum to the Revenue Department for the privilege of retailing leaf tobacco (which is, by the way, a large business here), but there are others here who have taken out manufacturer's license under the Internal Revenue laws, and they take a pound, or a half pound, of leaf tobacco and double it in the middle and wrap it up in paper, and buy the necessary stamps from the revenue officers, and put on each parcel and sell it, and thereby dodge the five hundred dollars that I have to pay. The question is, Is that a manufacturing of leaf tobacco within the meaning of the law? If not, what process does tobacco have to go through to be called manufactured?

REPLY.—The object of the five hundred dollar tax on retailers of leaf tobacco (in our judgment an oppressive exaction) was to favor the manufacturers, from whom most of the revenue from tobacco is derived. It was found that choice leaf tobacco could be prepared for chewing and smoking without any process that could be defined as a manufacture, and it would thus escape the duty imposed on manufactured tobacco. So the law imposed a license fee of five hundred dollars on every retailer of leaf tobacco, and for all his sales over one thousand dollars per annum a further charge of fifty cents for every dollar's worth sold. But if a manufacturer, who has taken out a license as such, located his office, according to law, with an official number, and made true return of all the tobacco which passes through his hands, chooses to double up the leaf, and give it a twist, and sell it as manufactured, and pay duty on it as such, it is quite within his privilege, and is even within the letter of the law, which classes as manufactured: "Tobacco twisted by hand, or reduced into a condition to be consumed, or in any manner other than the ordinary mode of drying and curing, prepared for sale or consumption, even if prepared without the use of any machine or instrument, and without being pressed or sweetened." If the manufacturer chooses in any way to manipulate the leaf, and to call it manufactured, and pay twenty cents a pound on it as manufactured, and his customers are willing to take it as such, surely the Government will not complain that he had not done enough to it to bring it within the tax. The only care should be to see that no one does this who is not a located and licensed manufacturer, and that all such sales are duly returned.

USURY AND INTEREST.
NEW YORK, May 16, 1873.—*Editor of the Journal of Commerce:* Will you kindly answer through your paper the following: If a note is made in New York by a party residing and doing business in a State where there are no usury laws, but dated at his place of business, with an agreed rate of interest over the legal rate of 7 per cent., would the fact of its being signed in New York invalidate such interest agreement? Also would the fact of such note being made payable in New York invalidate it? By answering the above you will greatly oblige, Yours very truly
PEARL STREET.

REPLY.—If the maker of the note resides in a place where the statutes do not limit the rate of interest to seven per cent., and the note is dated and payable there, it would not be void for usury if it was made payable in this city although a higher rate was paid. Nor if it was dated and signed at his place of business would it be void for usury if it was made payable in this city, although a higher rate of interest was taken. But if it was made here, and is payable here, and not only dated at that distant place, the law would probably infer that this was done merely to evade the usury laws, and would be apt to treat it as an usurious transaction.

INVENTIONS.
NEW YORK, May 29, 1873.—*Editor of the Commercial:*—Dear Sir: Please answer me the following question through the medium of your most esteemed journal. If somebody invents and finds out new improvements, but has not the means at hand to make the models, which will cost a considerable sum, but is able to prove his improvements, by writing plans, &c., which is the proper way to secure patents on his improvements, leaving him as long a time as possible to work out the patents—which is the best way for him, and what items are required? For answering the same please accept best thanks, and oblige.

A CONSTANT READER.
REPLY.—The inventor has only to file in Patent Office at Washington "a caveat setting forth the design and distinguishing characteristics, and praying protection of his right until he shall have matured his invention," for which he shall pay \$20, to be credited to him as part of the fee when he presents his model and takes out his patent.

PROTESTED DRAFT.
We have the following from a leading Kentucky bank:—*LOUISVILLE, May 27.*—*Editor of the Journal of Commerce:* Your kindness on a previous occasion encourages me to submit another case for your consideration and opinion, viz: I received from a depositor for whom I collect without charge his draft on a customer in another State, which I forward to my correspondent at that point. The draft matured April 27, 1873. On 3d May I receive from my correspondent a letter dated April 30, covering his draft (of same date, April 30) to my order on his New York correspondent for amount of this collection. I at once place the amount to the credit of my depositor; charge and forward same to my New York correspondent for my credit. On 6th May this draft is presented and protested for non payment, and inclosed to me on the 7th, about which date the drawer failed. Under these circumstances whose loss is the protested draft—my depositor's, or our bank's? Our by-laws provide that "bills or notes to be sent to other banks for collection, shall be at the risk of the depositors, who shall be subject to all charges and expenses respecting the same." This by-law was not known to the depositor. Very truly yours,
AN OLD SUBSCRIBER.

REPLY.—In our judgment the bank should lose all that is lost by the protested check. If the owner of the draft sent for collection had requested the bank to accept for it an order on New York, and such order made out by a reputable banker in favor of the said owner had been accepted and forwarded directly to the payee in this city, the bank might have been relieved of its responsibility; as it is, we think the order taken in payment and credited to the person for whom the collection is made, is guaranteed by the bank, who is responsible for its payment.

DUTABLE GOODS DAMAGED OR DESTROYED.
NEW YORK, May 23, 1873.—*Editor of the Journal of Commerce:* In hopes not to overtax your kind patience, we would take the liberty to ask the following questions: If dutiable goods, stored in one of the United States Bonded Warehouses are totally destroyed through a conflagration, will the Government claim the duties for said goods from the owner? If goods are damaged by fire in bonded warehouse and only partially destroyed, will the full tariff of duty be required to be paid, or does the Government make allowance for damage? Respect fully yours,
IMPORTER.

REPLY.—The Government will not exact the duties if goods are destroyed, and the Secretary has power to abate the exaction where they are partially destroyed by fire or other casualty. We reproduce the law applicable to the case:

SEC. 303. The Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized, upon production of satisfactory proof to him of the actual injury or destruction, in whole or in part, of any goods, wares or merchandise, by accidental fire, or other casualty, while the same remained

in the custody of the officers of the customs, in any public or private warehouse, under bond, or in the appraisers' stores undergoing appraisal, in pursuance of law or regulations of the Treasury Department, or while in transportation under bond from the port of entry to any other port in the United States, to abate or refund, as the case may be, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the amount of import duties paid or accruing thereupon; and likewise to cancel any warehouse bond or bonds, or enter satisfaction thereon in whole or in part, as the case may be.

New Firm.
NEW YORK CITY.—C. Langenbach, dealer in leaf tobacco, 14 Cedar St.

Changes in Business.
NEW YORK CITY.—C. Langenbach & Co., Tobacco Manufacturers, dissolved.

Forthcoming Auction Sales.
By Gerard Betts & Co., No. 7 Old Slip and 104 Pearl St., on Friday, June 13, at 11 o'clock within their store (for account of W. J. Malone, or whom it may concern, by samples, 100 hds Leaf Tobacco, slightly damaged by water, 50,000 Domestic cigars.
By Jno. H. Draper & Co., 112 Pearl St., on Thursday, June 19, at 10 o'clock A.M. at their store (by order of H. C. A. Arthur, Collector of the port). Large sale of Cigars, Wines, Liquors, Dry Goods, etc., seized for violation of the Revenue laws. Goods may be examined by catalogue the day previous.

Crop and Market Items.
CONNECTICUT.
Hartford.
A correspondent writes from East Hartford, Conn., as follows: *EDITOR TOBACCO LEAF*—As you have no correspondent in this "the best and one of the oldest" tobacco-growing sections "north of Masons and Dixons' line," perhaps a few lines might interest your many readers.

Although our '72 crop did not begin to pay expenses, still our farmers are all of them preparing to try again. Our plants are somewhat backward as compared with last year, yet there is a sufficient quantity for all. Some few acres have been set the past week, and are looking well, although the season is very cold, and if it continues, we prophesy that whatever else may damage us, it will not be the "rot."
The buyers seem to have faith in the '73 crop, to judge from the new warehouses being built in town. First among these is the one now being finished opposite the Postoffice, on the land of E. O. Goodwin, the agent for the Messrs. E. Rosenwald & Bro., calculated to store 3,000 cases; this is the largest in the State. The Messrs. E. R. & B., were the heaviest buyers in this section last year, and by their gentlemanly conduct and square dealing, made friends with all with whom they had any dealings. Messrs. Stratton & Storm have just finished one in Hockanum on the land of Mr. C. W. Roberts, their agent; calculated storage 700 cases.

Messrs. E. Spingam & Co., are now making arrangements to build on the land of Mr. Hunting, agent, one of about 500 cases storage.
Mr. Wm. H. Boyle has just raised an addition to his warehouse for about 500 cases more.
If this crop turns out as profitable as the '72 did, to the farmers, I predict one of your exports will show a great falling off, viz: New York manure.

Respectfully yours,
CONSTANT READER.
HALIFAX.
A letter to the *Whig* (Halifax Co.), from Mongans Cross Roads says: This promises to be a point. A new tobacco warehouse is in rapid process of erection. Next week will see it "raised." Messrs. Guilford, Canada, H. A. Morgan, James Pugh and James Smith are its projectors. The long wet spell has ended, and now a reverse of season is vexing the farmers. The land has "run together." "No season for setting tobacco." "Blue and stunted corn," are the dismal ejaculations of the tillers. But there is hope still for a crop.

KENTUCKY.
Christian.
At the Farmers' Club at Caskey, the following suggestions were made:—Vice President Warfield in the chair. The question for discussion was the mode of saving and applying manures.

Mr. Radford throws his manure in heaps, exposed to the rain and sunshine, and uses it when well rotted, in the hill for tobacco, with fine results.
Mr. Bronaugh shelters his manure, and thinks it should be hauled out in the fall and plowed in for the succeeding crop, and by so doing, the land is more permanently improved.

Mr. Whitaker put manure under shelter for about six weeks, and then used it in the hills, finding that under this process it was sufficiently rotted to greatly benefit the tobacco crop.

Mr. Henry don't like chip manure, thinks it valueless. Mr. Field thinks it good, if the unrotted chips are out. He killed his tobacco plants this year by the application of what professed to be pure guano, but which he thinks was mixed with some stimulating injurious compound.

Mr. Stewart covered his plant beds one year with tobacco stalks and got the best plants he ever had, but tried it again and the results were not so good.
The discussion took a wide range, embracing the consideration of the value of corn stalks and tobacco plants as manures, the best way of saving the droppings of the cows penned at night, &c., which it is impossible to report. The members were impressed with the importance of the subject, and continued the discussion for the next meeting, which will be on the second Saturday in June.

V. W. CRABB, Sec'y.
May 24, 1873.

The New Era, (Hopkinsville) observes:—The continuous rains we have had lately are interfering seriously with farm operations. The tobacco plants are being forced up rapidly, and but few farmers are ready to set out any; the grass is overrunning the fields, and fears are entertained that the wheat will be materially injured. Our Crofton correspondent informs us that in his section some of the farmers have not yet finished planting corn. On the whole the prospect is not at present very flattering. The tobacco crop, however, is being very rapidly being sent to market and got out of the way for the harvest and grass.

McCracken.
A correspondent of the *Paducah Kentuckian*, says:—The tobacco and corn crops are so backward that I can't venture an opinion further than to say I will be greatly astonished if the crops are good. I have observed farming operations in this county for forty-two years and have never seen as gloomy prospects.

UNION.
A correspondent writes:—Tobacco plants are very scarce, cold weather having destroyed them. A fine crop of tobacco was raised here last year and sold at good figures, consequently money has been flush with us.
TENNESSEE.
The *Clarksville Tobacco Leaf* says: There is great complaint by the farmers of cut worms. Our young friend, Chas. P. Warfield, suggests a remedy, which has been tried successfully. We believe it is a good one and recommend it: Sow a few oats in the check row, the worms will feed on the oats until the tobacco plant gets a start. When the hill is worked the worms will be scraped off and the oats covered up.

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