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**The Tobacco Leaf.**  
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THE GERMAN TOBACCO CROPS.  
A correspondent writing from Mannheim, under date of November 25, reports that the sale of fall tobacco in that locality was brought to a close in the middle of last month, prices for the new growth ranging from 35 to 40 marks per cwt. The Pfälzer Courier reports that there was an eager demand for the new growth of Baden and Pfälzer tobaccoes, which were readily disposed of. At Heddeshelm and Viernheim prices ranging from 32 to 38 marks per cwt were realized for the new growth; and in some localities even 42 marks per cwt were paid, exclusive of the tax. It seems that the planters have been very careful in curing their tobacco, which has been a great improvement. As far as regards the color of the new growth, Heddeshelm has furnished in the aggregate a nice brown leaf, while at Lammersheim, Viernheim and Lorsch the new growth has turned out to be the favorite bright yellow color. At Plunkstadt and Eppelheim several hundreds of cwt of the new crop has been hanging on the poles, but only a small portion of the same has been disposed of to buyers at prices ranging from 34 to 38 marks, as this crop, besides being green and coarse, has not been properly treated in the curing process.  
From Schwetzingen a correspondent reports that the sale of the new growth is progressing slowly. In this locality the price paid on an average is 33 marks per cwt. At Neckarau, Edrigen, and Friedrichsfeld, none of the new crop has been on the poles. At Seckenheim, a principal tobacco center, only two sample lots had been disposed of at a price ranging from 32 to 34 marks. It appears that among producers the idea prevails that buyers offer prices of about 10 per cent. lower than last year, to cover with the difference in price the tax they now have to pay. Consequently many of the larger growers decline to sell, in anticipation of better prices. From St. Leon, in the district of Wiesloch, a correspondent reports that during the previous week the inspection and sale of the new crop in that locality commenced. The prices ranged, according to color and quality, from 28 to 35 marks, which seems to confirm the view that indirectly the producers pay the new tobacco tax. A correspondent of the Pfälzer Zeitung reports that at Harthausen about 3,000 cwt of the new growth were disposed of in the market at prices ranging from 32 to 33 marks per cwt. At Ingelheim the new growth has also all been disposed of, the average price paid being 30 to 34 marks per cwt.  
The above gives an idea of the movement in the new growth at the southwestern German tobacco localities, in the Palatinate and Baden. The *Tobacco Zeitung* furnishes an account of the market from a tobacco locality in a more northern section of the German Empire—from Duderstadt, in the Harz Mountains. A



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correspondent reports that the sale of the low leaves of the new growth (sandblatt) is nearly brought to an end. This correspondent further reports that prices were realized which were not expected by the producers. Both in quality and in color the new growth was all that could be desired; and in consequence of the competition among buyers, prices were obtained which seemed to be unwarrantable. Prices quickly rose from 25 and 26 marks to 28 and 30 marks, including the tax. In the Duderstadt district the acreage of tobacco planted during the past year amounted to 31,156 acres, against 18,103 acres the year before.

## SYMPATHY.

While according sympathy to honest debtor firms which by force of circumstances are now being forced into assignments, it is well to remember in the same way the confiding creditors who lose thousands of dollars by faithfully striving to serve their patrons. The losses suffered within the past two weeks by some of our leaf tobacco merchants are vast in amount, whether viewed respectively or collectively, and we respectfully tender to each and all of them our sincere regret at their undesired misfortunes.

## NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

The daily papers, in reporting the recent failures in the tobacco trade, intimate that consternation has been produced by them in the ranks of tobacco tradesmen. It is well to state right here that, though surprise is manifested, there is no evidence of consternation in the tobacco market. The losses have been heavy and unexpected, but much heavier ones will have to be encountered before a single ripple of uneasiness will be discernible in the well-equipped establishments of our tobacco merchants and manufacturers. All this far affected by the failures of the past few days are abundantly able to bear with equanimity their misfortunes, but this fact, it must in truth be said, in no wise lessens the offense of those responsible for them. When the pledge of secrecy, by which, on moral grounds, we are bound; is removed, there may be occasion for unfattering comment respecting the course of some of the men who have precipitated the present commercial disasters. Meanwhile, everybody may rest assured that the tobacco trade, in whole and in part, is sound to the core.

## HEAVY RISKS AND LIGHT RETURNS.

The recent large and small failures in one and another branch of the tobacco trade again remind us of the risks which tradesmen, under the spur of competition, are constantly incurring in their efforts to do business. This is the season and this the month when mercantile failures are usually most numerous, and it seems, for that reason, an appropriate time to reiterate our customary admonition to our patrons and friends to be careful in respect of their credits. People having pecuniary liabilities, both those who reckon as they go, and those who stumble along trusting to luck, find themselves, as a rule, brought face to face with their obligations on or about January 1 of each recurring year. So far as their books can inform them, they get an idea of where they stand, and they begin, according to their needs, to reach out for their props, their supporting pillars. The worst is usually known in December to the debtors, if not to the creditors. Those wanting help, either in the way of increased credit or accommodation, to tide over the old and begin the new year with, unmistakably disclose in some way their situation between the first and last week of December. Thus far the current month has been prolific of records of individuals and firms that have deemed it necessary to signal their distress and solicit aid from those disposed and able to accord it; and more of the same kind are probably to be heard from before the "Happy New Year" is inaugurated. The past can be recalled, but it cannot be averted. The "bad debts" that are chronicled on our merchants' and manufacturers' ledgers cannot now be made good debts by the provision of those who have to suffer them. The point now to be aimed at is to shorten the credit account, and keep it short hereafter.

As in so many former instances, dealers in Seed leaf tobacco have been losers to a considerable extent by the late failures. The representatives of this trade are peculiarly liable to losses, owing to the extent of their credits and the want of means of many of their patrons. It was only a day or two ago that a successful merchant said to us that the Seed leaf trade had reached a stage in which the main function of the capital of the wealthier members was to gratuitously contribute to the convenience of the poorer ones. In this terse sentence the gentleman sought to give colloquial form to the fact that the credits allowed small manufacturers and dealers, coupled with the other risks incident to the purchase and sale of Seed leaf, absorbed the profits that should enure from the prosecution of the business. The truth of this declaration will be readily conceded by every person who reflects that competition makes, or seems to make, both the purchase of the Seed leaf crops in a green state and their sale in a cured state, the latter largely on trust, with all the chances that each implies, a necessity. In view of its manifold risks, the profits from the sale of Seed leaf should, under the law of compensation, be large; but, per contra, because of these very same risks, which are perpetual, they are uniformly small. Some of the failures of the past few weeks have swept away in a single hour from some of our Seed leaf merchants more of their hard-earned gains than they have accumulated in the past year. It will be the dawning of a better day when credits to rich and poor alike are diminished in number and amount.

## HOME FROM HAVANA.

Mr. I. M. Bon, of the firm of Schroeder & Bon, whose departure by the City of Alexandria for Havana we announced about four weeks ago, returned to this city on Wednesday in the steamer Saratoga. Though engaged on business for his house, Mr. Bon enjoyed his brief vacation, as most of our merchants do who visit the sunny island of Cuba. On application, Mr. Bon, in a hurried interview, spoke of his trip and impressions to a representative of THE TOBACCO LEAF, as follows:

Coming home I saw what was perhaps the most remarkable race ever witnessed at sea. The City of Alexandria followed the Saratoga out of the harbor of Havana sometime after the latter's departure, and caught her about 11 o'clock at night, and the two ships never lost sight of one another until their arrival in New York, the Saratoga beating the Alexandria about a mile or a mile and a half to Sandy Hook, and both dropping anchor together at Quarantine. The distance traveled was about twelve hundred miles and the circumstance is notable in showing the steamers to be so closely matched in sailing capacity.

I had a pleasant trip both ways. My first searches in the tobacco crop made me regret very much that I had taken the trouble to go to Havana. In fact, I was quite disgusted. Finally I struck tobaccos from districts that I liked very much, and that I think are the best tobaccos the trade has seen since the crop of 1875, which was a very fine one. These were Vueltas, from the Loma districts.

In my estimation the tobaccos of the Remates districts were the finest last year. Although they are good this year, they lack leaf and contain a great deal of scrappy fillers, and are dear in price.

The new Remedios—that is, the crop of 1880—are very good, probably the best we have had for several years. They find ready sale in Havana, being taken out of the market rapidly, both for the States and Germany, at advancing prices. The fine Partidos are all bought up.

The 1880 crop was a very small one, and there never was a time when so little fine tobacco was to be had in Havana. The crop of Partidos, usually running over 80,000 bales, was only 10,000 bales this year, of which not more than 5,000 to 6,000 are fit for the States.

The crop of Vuelta Abajo, which annually averages 300,000 bales, was this year only 60,000, of which not more than 30,000 to 35,000 bales are fit for the States. The crop of Remedios was 55,000 bales, which is about an average, and of this 35,000 to 40,000 bales will be adapted to the wants of the States.

The cigars this year brought from Havana will surpass in quality those from the same source in 1879. This should be agreeable intelligence for smokers.

The prospects for the new crop of leaf are excellent; indeed, were never better. The planters are very much pleased. Last week splendid rains set in, and if there be not too great a fall, a satisfactory yield may be anticipated with confidence.

## OUR POSITION ON WESTERN LEAF.

"That's right; keep on bearing!" with a downward wave of the hand, that was the salutation accorded us by a dealer in Western leaf tobacco as we met him on the market a day or two ago. Since our publication early in September of an editorial article entitled "The Duty of the Hour," the impression appears to have gone abroad that THE TOBACCO LEAF was trying to bear the Western leaf market. In the interim we have received communications expressive of the fear that our purpose was to write down the market. Oral testimony to the same effect, in addition to the above introductory ironical injunction, has come to hand. Some friends have courteously intimated that a trade journal, like THE TOBACCO LEAF, should confine its operations to the mere chronicling of facts, and not indulge in editorial comment on trade questions. Replying in consecutive order to these various intimations, we would say, first: THE TOBACCO LEAF is trying neither to bear nor bull the market, but to sustain it on a paying and permanent basis. Second: THE TOBACCO LEAF has passed the period of adolescence. It is patronized but not owned by the tobacco trade. It is grateful for the support it receives, but it gives a full quid pro quo to its subscribers and advertisers. Strike a balance sheet at the end of every year and it will be seen that both publishers and patrons have performed their respective duties. THE TOBACCO LEAF is a trade, commercial and newspaper combined, and as the exponent of any one of these departments of public effort, is entitled to the privilege of editorial comment on all subjects embraced in its columns. To limit its functions is to degrade it, which nobody really seeks.

In "The Duty of the Hour," and all subsequent observations of a kindred nature, we have contended that the best interests of the New York factors, and the Western leaf trade everywhere, would be subserved by selling as opportunity offered, rather than by holding in anticipation of a speculative advance in prices. At this moment we entertain the same opinion; nothing more, nothing less; though, at the same time, we are advised that there never was an occasion when Regie sorts, from lugs to leaf, in view of the requirements, were as scarce and valuable as at present. The situation today justifies, we imagine, the position we have assumed.

In September we saw speculative movements made by one or two persons acting in this market whereby reported sales were effected at an advance of about a cent a pound. Some subsequent sales to cover immediate wants were made at about this advance. With these transactions the upward movement may be considered to have closed. The transactions from the middle of October up to the present time, fully verify our expressed fears that the advanced prices would cause buyers to stand back, the sales having been very small in the interval, as related by us from week to week.

At the same time that the speculative movement was made here, in leaf principally, similar speculative purchases were made of lugs, chiefly in Louisville, on which prices were considerably advanced, but without further effect then or thereafter. In November, when the dullness in New York clearly indicated that advanced prices could not be realized, a strategic movement was made by purchasers in one or two markets in Europe, in order to stir up the New York market, but it proved of no avail. And even in New York the same strategy was resorted to, a sale of several hundred hogsheads of leaf being reported, which failed of effect and fell still-born on the market. As a consequence of the attempts at speculation, our stock here has accumulated to the extent of over 50,000 hogsheads, for which there is but a poor prospect of removal in the near future, the open markets in Europe being indisputably overcrowded with unsalable stock, and the main reliance here for an exodus, the buyers for foreign account, seeming not to be in pressing need. The expectations from the latter source appear to have been predicated on an erroneous basis.

As stated in our last week's resume, some small sales have been made at a concession of a half to a cent a pound. Some business in lugs was pending last week where buyers and sellers were a half a cent apart, but nothing has yet resulted from the negotiations so far as we are informed. This week a few sales have been effected at a decline of a half cent a pound.

The Treasury Department on Thursday purchased 200,000 ounces of fine silver for delivery at the San Francisco and New Orleans mints.

The Secretary of the Treasury on Thursday received from an unknown person, in an envelope postmarked Newark, N. J., the sum of \$200. The money has been deposited in the Treasury on account of conscience.

## MINOR EDITORIALS AND NEWS ITEMS.

**FROM WASHINGTON.**—The letter from our Washington special in another column will be read with interest.

**RESUMPTION.**—Messrs. Hatcher & Stamps, tobacco manufacturers of Milton, N. C., whose factory was destroyed by fire a month or two since, inform us that they have resumed business.

**THE FAILURES.**—The week has been full of failures. It now appears that at the very moment we were penning "Heavy Risks and Light Returns," the suspension of payments of a large and estimable local cigar and tobacco firm was about to be made public. These accumulating misfortunes admonish us all to be satisfied with a small cash rather than a large credit business.

**SOLD.**—The Merchants' Tobacco Company, of this city and Boston, have sold all their fixtures and brands to Messrs. Elwell, Brackett & Hawes, of Boston. Messrs. Brackett & Hawes were formerly connected with the Pioneer Tobacco Company, and with Mr. Elwell will continue the business in Boston. Mr. H. W. Hunt has no interest whatever in the new firm or in the tobacco trade anywhere. He informs us that he has other business in view, and if on investigation it promises to be satisfactory, he may engage in it. If not, he will remain out of business.

**A MEMORIAL.**—Late advices from Germany announce that the existing organization of the Association of German Tobacco Manufacturers and Dealers has submitted to the Federal Council a memorial asking that the Imperial Tobacco Manufacture at Strassburg—a continuation of the French Regie—be abolished as a State institution. This memorial is supported by about forty chambers of commerce and boards of trade in Germany, who look upon the Imperial manufacture as a precursor to the ultimate carrying out of Prince Bismarck's favorite scheme—a Government tobacco monopoly.

**OUR IMMENSE EXPORTS.**—Washington, Dec. 16.—The annual report of Joseph Nimmo, Jr., Chief of the Bureau of Statistics, on the foreign commerce of the United States was completed to-day. In regard to our export trade, Mr. Nimmo says: "The five leading articles of export during the year ended June 30, 1880, were as follows: Bread and breadstuffs, \$288,036,835; cotton, unmanufactured, \$211,595,995; provisions, \$127,432,242; mineral oils, \$36,218,625; tobacco, and manufactures of, \$18,442,273. The United States," he says, "already surpasses every other country in the magnitude of its exports both of breadstuffs and provisions."

**OFFICE OF STRAITON & STORM, NEW YORK.**  
We hereby notify Dealers and Manufacturers of Cigars, and the public in general, that any infringement of our rights in Registered Trade-mark No. 5,680, dated February 28, 1878, which trade-mark consists of a RECTANGULAR SYMBOL APPLIED DIRECTLY TO A CIGAR, either by the manufacturing or sale of Cigars bearing such trade-mark, will be rigidly prosecuted by us.

We publish this notice in THE TOBACCO LEAF, the United States Tobacco Journal, the Chicago Leaf, and Western Tobacco Journal and Grocers' Review, so that all shall have notice, and no one can claim to have acted in ignorance.  
STRAITON & STORM.  
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**INDUSTRIAL MONTHLY FOR DECEMBER.**—This number contains articles on foreign trade of the United States in 1880; increased exports of foodstuffs; the fairs and book trade of Leipzig; condition of the working classes of Russia; the commerce and industries of Antwerp; the introduction of machinery; the waste of life in England; census bulletins of population; noteworthy industrial establishments; mechanics as tutors; and extracts from the Halliwell manuscripts, which were deposited by the British Museum in 1875. The history of prices between the years 1650 and 1750. The collection comprises about seven thousand separate documents, bound in fifty-four volumes, which are now in the library of Congress. The extracts are amusing as well as interesting. Letters from the United States consuls are given, to one of which we desire to call attention. The consular at Crefeld, Rhineland Prussia, has made arrangements to exhibit the consular sample articles of American manufactures, which, with the circulars, cards, etc., will be arranged for the use of those desiring information in regard to American products. This number completes the first volume of the Industrial Monthly, which has now an established reputation in Europe as well as in America. Dr. Young has our congratulations for the past and best wishes for the future.

**ALLEGED UNLAWFUL SALE OF TOBACCO.**—The Sun says:—Robert Jackson, a Pole, who is regarded by the internal revenue officers as the leader of the illicit dealers in cigars and tobacco in this city, was charged before United States Commissioner Shields with removing unstamped cigars from the three-story dwelling at 40 East First Street, which he uses as a factory. The complaint was made by Agent Thomas J. Grimeson. The factory is kept under constant surveillance, and the Government has seized it for the second time. Ninety thousand cigars and 6,000 pounds of leaf tobacco were got in the place at the first seizure, which was made under the charge that the owner used washed stamps. The case was compromised by the District Attorney. The defendant was arrested last summer, and is held for the Grand Jury on the charge of making fraudulent entries of sales of leaf tobacco. Jackson is reported to have been in the city for the second time, and is now in a conspicuous position on his vest. He has luxurious black side whiskers. Adolph Pinkofsky, a cigar buncher of 420 East Sixteenth Street, testified for the prosecution that Jackson had employed him almost daily in delivering bundles. The persons to whom he gave them received them at the corners of the streets on the Bowery, instead of at their stores. The 17th of October he delivered a bundle of unstamped cigars to George Nembes, a German, at 296 Bowery. The cigars brought \$8 a thousand. Solomon Michaelis, of 9 Peck Slip, became bondsman for Jackson, who is his brother-in-law.

## BUSINESS MENTION.

Mr. JULIAN S. CARR is expected at his his headquarters in this city.

Messrs. W. P. BLACKWELL & Co., of Durham, N. C., have added an immense bag factory to their large new establishment.

The gentlemanly representative of Messrs. Marburg Bros., of Baltimore, gave us a call, and reports "Seal of North Carolina" at the head of the list.

A LARGE stock of fine imported Conchas are advertised for sale by Messrs. Dingfelder & Libko, Fulton Street, this city. The famous "Leo" brand of cigar is owned and manufactured by this enterprising firm.

Mr. D. E. ROSE, the ex-tobacconist of this city, has returned from the Pacific Coast. The great West does not seem to suit Mr. Rose's notions. Passion plays are not played in San Francisco, and walking matches are out of date.

The gentlemen doing business under the firm name of Thomas Hoyt & Co., Messrs. Smith and Comstock, of this city, will dissolve partnership in a few days. All their brands and good-will have been bought by Messrs. D. Buchner & Co., Messrs. Smith & Comstock retained the entire machinery, which will be advertised in these columns for sale.

We have received one of the "New Fifteen" puzzles made by the New Puzzle Co., of Brooklyn, N. Y. This puzzle is the invention of a son of Mr. Lorin Palmer, of Brooklyn, is an exceedingly ingenious one, and well adapted to worry the brain of the average man. They can be procured at the office of the company, in the Union-Argus building, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. ALEXANDER FRIES & Bros., the New York and Cincinnati manufacturers of Havana cigar flavor, request us to inform the cigars trade that they will remove within a few months from 44 College Place to 92 Reade Street, this city. Messrs. Fries & Bros. bought the property they will occupy hereafter. Indeed this shows the progress and success of this reliable firm.

Messrs. J. L. GASSERT & Bros., the well-known packers of Seed leaf and dealers in Havana tobacco, who removed some time ago from Water Street to their old stand, 137 Bowery, this city, inform their old friends and customers that they keep constantly on hand a large supply of Seed leaf of their own packing, and are enabled as heretofore to offer liberal terms. Messrs. Gassert & Bros. also inform the trade that Mr. J. J. Kuhn left their firm in April last.

From a circular issued by Messrs. D. Buchner & Co., tobacco manufacturers, of this city, we are informed that this firm have purchased the business of the old house of Thomas Hoyt & Co., and will hereafter manufacture all the well-known brands formerly made by

Thomas Hoyt & Co. Mr. A. R. Smith, formerly of the old firm, will have charge of the sales, etc., of this branch of the business of Messrs. Buchner & Co.

Messrs. WISE & BENDHEIM, the wholesale tobacconists, of 254 and 256 Canal Street, this city, have bought part of the stock and all the brands manufactured by Messrs. Allen & Co., of 173 Chamber Street, this city, and will hereafter sell all orders for the same, and also all orders that are now held by Messrs. Allen & Co. Messrs. Wise & Bendheim paid a higher figure to the assignee than these goods were appraised at.

The San Francisco Merchant, under date of Dec. 3, reports:—The only change of note for the week is that Mr. Daniel Bruton has resigned his agencies for Marburg Bros., George Bence, and Jacoby & Co., of New York, and will in the future be with Herman Heyneymann. Herman Heyneymann is sole agent for the Pacific Coast for Messrs. Strafford & Storm, New York; Messrs. P. Lorillard & Co., Jersey City, and Messrs. Seidenberg & Co., of New York.

Messrs. BROWN & EARLE, manufacturers of fine cigars at East Thirty-third Street, this city, report a large business during the past year, particularly so far as their Western trade is concerned. Messrs. Brown & Earle find their present factory entirely too small for their fast increasing trade and will likely enlarge the first opportunity offered, for acquiring larger factory premises. Many new brands have been copyrighted by this firm during the year.

The great tobacco commission and jobbing house of Messrs. Esberg, Bachman & Co., San Francisco, have largely increased their facilities in every respect during the year—the sales of this firm amount to about one million and a half dollars per annum. Messrs. D. H. McAlpin & Co.'s brands of plug and the Kinney Tobacco Company's Cigarettes are controlled by Messrs. Esberg, Bachman & Co. on the Pacific Coast. Mr. E. Elman, a strident and of rare business talent, is the resident partner in this city.

The Kinney Tobacco Co., of this city, referring to the new show card, entitled "In the Library" gotten up for the speedy introduction of their new brand of "Veteran" cigarettes, among dealers, state that owing to the expenses attending the preparation of these show cards, they cannot afford to distribute them gratis to private individuals, nor even to dealers not engaged in selling the "Veteran" cigarettes. They will however be pleased to mail same unframed to such parties on receipt of \$1 for each card.

Mr. W. L. BUTTENMULLER, a gentleman for many years connected with our trade, has associated himself with Mr. Charles Netter, under the firm-name of Buttenmuller & Netter, at 138 Water Street, this city, for the purpose of transacting a leaf tobacco business. Mr. Netter is a gentleman highly spoken of and the son-in-law of Mr. E. Wertheimer, the resident partner in this city of the San Francisco house of L. & E. Wertheimer. The new firm commences business under very favorable circumstances, and will no doubt be successful in their undertaking. We wish them all good luck.

## Business Troubles.

**ALLEN & CO., NEW YORK.**  
There is nothing new concerning this failure. A meeting of the creditors, it is said, will be held next week.

**HENRY CRANDALL, WILKESBARRE, PA.**  
Tobacconist, is said to have failed. It is said that he owes \$1,350 to Mr. Geo. Bence, \$500 to Messrs. L. Simon & Bro., and to Messrs. Wise & Bendheim.

**JNO. H. PAGE & CO., LOUISVILLE.**  
Late proprietors of the Farmers' Tobacco Warehouse, made an assignment Dec. 14, to Mr. W. L. Porter. The liabilities are not large, and the transaction is not of much commercial importance.

**G. FOLLIN & SONS, CHARLESTON.**  
This firm made an assignment on the 7th inst. to A. Langrick, and called a meeting of creditors on the 15th inst. The liabilities are stated to amount to \$43,000. The assets, amounting to \$40,000, are composed of stocks, amounting in value to \$12,000, and book accounts, etc., to the amount of \$28,000. They have preferred \$23,000 of their debts, but it is thought that the general creditors will hardly realize anything.

**MORRIS BLOCH, NEW YORK.**  
Cigar dealer in Canal street, who, as reported in THE TOBACCO LEAF before, made an assignment, failed on account of a judgment obtained against him, in favor of Mr. B. Grot. The assignee is Thomas B. Humphrey, and his preferences amount to \$867. It is thought that the assets will be sufficient to cover his indebtedness. The liabilities are as follows: Mrs. Augusta Bloch, \$450; Messrs. Hirsch, Victorius & Co., \$255.70; P. Bloch, \$160; B. Brod, \$345.51; P. Hart, \$123.75; B. Grotia, \$291.05; G. W. Helme, \$15.50; H. W. Erichs, \$14.80.

## S. A. McNEAR & CO.

A meeting of the creditors of the above named firm was held at the Butter and Cheese Exchange, in Greenwich street, on Thursday afternoon. About nine or ten of the creditors were present, and Mr. Schroeder, of the firm of Schroeder & Bon, was called upon to preside. It appeared from the statements made that from assets about 70 per cent. of the indebtedness will be realized. The liabilities will amount to about \$25,000, while the assets are estimated at about \$25,000. A committee, composed of Messrs. Havemeyer, Miranda and the chairman, was formed to make an investigation of the affairs of the firm, and to report at a future meeting. No proposition was made, but Mr. Allen said the assets of the firm shall be divided among the creditors in a proper manner.

**MEYER & MORGENDOLLAR, SYRACUSE, N. Y.**  
Are reported to have failed, with liabilities amounting to \$28,000. The firm have been doing business as cigar manufacturers and dealers in this city, and their creditors are indebted to be the following: Messrs. M. E. Salomon, \$4,500; Lobenstein & Gans, \$3,000; S. Barnett & Co., \$500; Chas. F. Tag & Sons, \$500. The firm made an assignment to John Jacobs, with the following preferences:

Dow, Short & Co.....	\$2,336 54
To the same firm.....	671 21
Chas. G. B......	6,000 20
Chas. G. B......	2,800 00
Castello & Ide.....	150 00
George Denner.....	415 00
Total.....	\$12,369 95

The inventory has not been filed yet, but it is thought that the preferences will cover this stock.

We learn that Messrs. M. & E. Salomon hold \$4,500 business paper of the firm, and there are only a few hundred more owing to them which is unsecured.

## E. & A. FRIEDMAN, ST. LOUIS, MO.

Leaf tobacco dealers, are reported as having failed. The firm is said to have bought very largely lately, having it is reported shipped from Lancaster, Pa., in two or three days, over \$70,000 worth of goods. We hear that the firm is rated on the books of the commercial agencies for about \$10,000. The liabilities are said to be about \$130,000; assets, not stated. Among the firms to whom they owe are said to be the following: Of this city, Messrs. E. Rosenwald & Bro., \$7,000; A. Cohn, \$8,000; Joseph Mayers' Sons, \$13,000; Fox, Dills & Co., \$8,000; E. Hoffman & Sons, \$750. Of Philadelphia, Bamberger & Co., \$8,000 (said to have sold the paper given to them by Hay & Smith, \$4,000; Teller Bros., \$24,000. Of Lancaster, Pa., \$30,000 to Frey & Wiedler and Skiles & Frey. It seems that the sheriff at St. Louis ordered that the safe of the firm be broken open, and when it was done the books and papers of the firm for this and last year were found to be missing.

A correspondent from St. Louis says: An attachment has been taken out against Messrs. E. A. Friedman, Leaf Tobacco Dealers, by the State Savings Association, for the amount of \$4,144, furthermore by Mr. Abraham Cohn for \$5,700, and by Hay & Smith for \$3,107.98. The liabilities of the firm of E. & A. Friedman are reported to be about \$70,000; assets unknown. Attachment has also been taken out against a glove manufacturing business, formerly Friedman, Pincus & Co., lately changed to Ruby & Pincus, in which Mr. A. Friedman is said to have had an interest.

## SEIDENBERG & CO., NEW YORK AND KEY WEST.

The news of the failure of this firm has by this time become known to the trade throughout the country, and has no doubt caused as much of a sensation outside of this city as it has here. The house has always borne a good reputation, both as regards capital and standing in the trade. The firm was established in 1860, being composed of Messrs. Joseph Seidenberg, Samuel Seidenberg, Samuel and Leopold Wolf at the present time. Mr. Samuel Wolf had charge of the factory at Key West, which employed about 800 hands. The cause of the failure is said to be the bad turning out of the 1878 and 1879 crops of Havana tobacco. To rectify this the firm it is said tried to use Connecticut and Ohio Seed leaf in connection with the Havana, but it was of no avail, and many cigars were returned to them. We hear that when the purchase of the 1878 Havana was made that the firm was offered an advance of \$100,000 to \$150,000, but refused to take it, thinking that the crop was a fine one. The house has

always, it is claimed, used only Havana leaf, and have been large buyers in that market. The capital of the house in 1876 is said to have been about \$400,000, and it is stated that since then it has been increased. The liabilities were at first reported at \$500,000, but it is rumored on the street that they will be nearer to \$1,000,000. Report says that the firm owe over \$500,000 on paper accepted by different banks and persons in this city. We hear that the members of the trade in this city to whom they owe are Messrs. Lachenbruch Bros., \$80,000; M. L. Levin, \$9,000; Schwarz & Weil, \$9,000; Wm. Wicke & Co., \$8,000; H. Schubart & Co., \$6,000, and H. Friedman, \$5,000. To the firm of Messrs. Pincus & Co., of Havana, who were the commission merchants through whom the house purchased their tobacco, it is said the amount will not be as large as it is reported, as Messrs. Upmann & Co. have tobacco in their hands which is owned by Messrs. Seidenberg & Co. The preferred creditors are: H. Wolf estate, \$4,611.96; E. M. W. Greenbaum, \$4,103.29; B. Ballin, \$6,283.55; H. Zentner, \$458.10; S. Fuguet & Sons, \$16,586.91; M. Seidenberg Sons, \$26,634.91; North River Bank, \$9,238.33; Importers' and Traders' National Bank, \$3,660.50; Alonzo Follett, \$20,000; B. Klopfer, \$335.76; A. Ettlinger, \$200; George F. Lies & Co., \$4,795.28; J. Hirsch, \$125.

Mr. Seidenberg, when spoken to concerning the failure of his house, said that shrinkage in values, depreciation and other causes forced their assignment. He could not state the amount of the liabilities accurately until the accounts had been received from Key West and Havana, but when questioned said the trade estimate of \$500,000 was about correct. He could give no estimate of the assets until the inventory had been made up. They had real estate, open accounts and stock. They employed at present 800 hands at Key West, but did not own the factory there. He thought it would be two weeks before a full statement could be presented to the creditors. Mr. Julius Bunzl, of Bunzl & Dormitzer, of this city, is the assignee.

## LOCAL NOTINGS.

—Mr. B. Baron, of the firm of Baron & Co., Baltimore, is in town.



Spain, Portugal, Italy and Austria with a view of obtaining an open and unrestricted market in those countries for leaf tobacco exported from the United States. Up to this time no action has been taken by the administration looking to such treaty. Mr. Burwell is working with the delegations of Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Southern Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, which are largely interested in the raising and selling of leaf tobacco, with a view to their having a conference with the Secretary of the Interior on the matter. In this conference they will urge upon him the importance of taking immediate steps to procure such treaty. This is a matter of immense importance to the exporters of tobacco. It is estimated that if an amicable treaty can be effected at least fifty millions of pounds of leaf tobacco will be added to our annual exportations of that product. It is supposed that the matter was overlooked by Mr. Evans in the midst of his multitudinous duties, and that as soon as his attention is called to it he will at once take the necessary steps to carry out the provisions of the resolution.

#### Meeting of the Seed Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade.

The Board of Managers of the Seed Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade met at the office of O. G. Keimbush & Son, Friday afternoon, for the election of the various committees, and an Inspector, for the coming year. There was a good attendance of members. Mr. E. H. Grist, President of the Seed Leaf Board of Trade, called the meeting to order at 2 P. M.

The first business was the reading of the reports of the secretary and treasurer, which were approved as read.

The election of officers and appointing of the committees was next in order.

Mr. John Staum was elected secretary and Mr. Henry Meyer re-elected treasurer.

Mr. Grist then appointed Messrs Jno. Obenheimer, Jacob Zins, C. F. Meyer, John Freytag and G. C. Keimbush as the Committee of Arbitration.

The Committee on Claims is composed of the following gentlemen: Messrs. E. H. Grist, J. H. Silvers and Louis Newburgh.

The Committee (J. H. Silvers, E. H. Grist and G. C. Keimbush), appointed at a previous meeting to recommend a suitable person for the office of Inspector, were unanimously of the opinion that Mr. W. W. Hales, of Dayton, Ohio, is qualified for said position, and he was accordingly elected.

After giving notice that the inspector must have his bond in the sum of \$5,000 ready for approval by next Friday, and deferring the question of the question of a new meeting, the Board discussed the question of a new meeting at some length, and finally adopted one bearing the inscription, "Cincinnati Seed Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade Inspection."

The newly-elected Inspector, Mr. W. W. Hales, is an old dealer and handler of Cigar Leaf Tobacco, and has held the position of Inspector for the Dayton, Ohio, market, for the last seven years; therefore, he can be said to be well versed in the duties of his office.

#### THE RICHMOND FIRE.

The Richmond *Whig* furnishes additional details of the burning of Mr. J. Leigh Jones' tobacco manufactory in Richmond, Va., noticed in the last issue of THE TOBACCO LEAF. The fire occurred on Thursday, a week ago, at 6 o'clock in the afternoon. It originated in the drying room in the third story; and the alarm having been given, the firemen quickly responded with two steamers and a hook.

In a few minutes after the two steamers got to work the fire had gained such headway that a second alarm was ordered to be turned in. This brought out the entire fire department, and by half-past six o'clock four engines were at work upon the flames. Steamer No. 5, which has been almost unfit for service for a long time, broke down soon after it reached the fire, and was rendered no aid.

After about thirty-five minutes after the alarm had been turned in nearly the whole end of the factory nearest to Main Street was a solid sheet of flame.

The fire lit up the lower portion of the city and was witnessed by several thousand persons. The fire is supposed to have caught from the steam pipes.

The firemen at first directed the streams on the west end of the factory, but the fire spread rapidly and soon consumed that end of the building. A large quantity of manufactured tobacco, which was stored away in the wing between the main building and Yarbrough's factory, was destroyed by the fire and water together. About 150,000 pounds were saved by men and boys who volunteered their services. All the fixtures have been destroyed, and the building, with the exception of the wing mentioned, was entirely consumed.

The loss on the factory, fixtures and stock is estimated to be about \$20,000. The building was insured for \$7,500 in the Mutual Assurance Society. There was also an insurance of \$5,000 on the stock and \$5,000 on the fixtures, in the Richmond Banking and Insurance Company. The loss on the stock was rapidly paid to Mr. J. K. Childs' factory on Main Street. Mr. Jones was attending a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce when the fire broke out, but reached the factory soon after the second alarm was sounded.

#### ABOUT WHITE VEINS.

A correspondent, writing to the *American Cultivator*, remarks:—Among the many evils which afflict the tobacco crop, white veins are the most serious and damaging. A vein leaf makes an unsightly wrapper, causing the cigar-maker to reject it even if satisfactory in other respects. A leaf that cures with white veins is generally defective in other respects. It is often cracked, leathery and greasy, burning badly. In short, for a cigar leaf it is worthless, and every tobacco grower should be careful to avoid producing such an article.

What produces white veins is a question often asked, but seldom, I think, correctly answered. Having investigated this subject carefully for many years, I have come to the following conclusion: White veins are the result of the use of certain fertilizers in the curing process. There are many persons who suppose that a dry cure will produce white veins, and this was probably the basis of the opinion, held by many packers, that the 1880 crop would be veiny, from the fact that we have had a comparatively dry season for curing it. But the 1880 crop has fewer white veins than any that has been raised in the valley for many years.

There are a great many who have white veins in their crops no matter what the curing season is, while neighboring cultivators will often, and as a rule, have veiny crops, although cured under similar conditions with the more fortunate growers.

White veins are caused by an imperfect growth of the plant and an immature leaf. The causes of these imperfections are many. A lack of proper fertilizers is the starting point of all these evils. Late setting, high topping and careless cultivation will almost certainly result in white veins, or in fact any one of the above named causes will be likely to produce this unfavorable result. The growers should use fertilizers that contain all the elements of plant food required by the tobacco crop, combined in the right proportions and in such forms that they can be readily taken up by the plants.

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of the rules of the road. This unwonted and lately adopted sarcasm upon Parisian fashion gave no little ily-suppressed worry to their mammas, who enacted the roles of duennas with a vigilance that was possibly as wise as it was relentless. To return to the calm of the pretty smokers and the worry of the conductor, who dared not order them to the proper car for *fumes*, nor could he ask them for an extra fare. Here was a spectacle quite worthy of pitiful attention. The cigar-ettes could not be in the least offensive even to the most delicate of feminine nerves, of course provided those fibres were not keyed and toned up by a subtle combination of temper and principle, which, by the way, is not an unfrequent union of social forces. The passengers under the guise of "a tender elegance," "a delicacy of organization," in many instances. This official, poor wretch! exhibited the only evidence of uncomfortable warmth that we saw in all the delicious days that we have spent in New Mexico. He longed to be faithful to his duties, but all he could do in the way of their execution was to look miserable, pace up and down the luxurious aisle and perspire copiously.

#### VIRGINIA AS A TOBACCO MANUFACTURING STATE.

A correspondent writing to the Richmond *Dispatch* remarks:—The writer has been favored with some advance sheets of the report of the United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, has prepared some figures, for the better information of our people, showing the standing of Virginia as a tobacco manufacturer. These figures cover plug, smoking and fine-cut tobacco:—

States.	Pounds.	Tax Paid.
Illinois	10,013,146	\$1,602,103 81
Kentucky	9,034,663	1,448,543 60
Massachusetts	1,473,533	235,603 60
Maryland	3,923,724	628,683 77
Michigan	670,650	107,304 04
Missouri	3,972,888	635,662 09
New York	12,402,579	1,984,412 64
New Jersey	16,552,688	2,648,730 14
New York	13,830,844	2,164,395 04
North Carolina	11,124,541	1,774,926 54
Ohio	11,484,142	1,877,462 73
Pennsylvania	1,573,368	299,738 88
Virginia	32,208,664	5,158,386 29
Wisconsin	3,883,162	541,306 01
All others	1,645,936	263,349 79
Total	132,301,089	\$21,168,166 26

The following comparisons are interesting:—

States.	Pounds.	Tax Paid.
Virginia	32,208,664	\$5,158,386 29
New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania	31,958,900	5,113,424 04
Kentucky, Missouri, Arkansas and Tennessee	21,996,985	3,519,517 65
Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska	28,341,148	4,534,583 79
Maryland and North Carolina	15,053,815	2,408,610 31

From which it will be seen that Virginia still maintains the chief position in the tobacco industry. It is to be hoped her enterprising men will keep her there.

This showing would be very much more gratifying had this product been wholly made from leaf raised within our own limits. The growing fancy for sweet flavorings in plug tobacco has compelled our manufacturers to resort largely to Western leaf—mainly the "White Burley." How long this fancy will obtain cannot, of course, be foreseen, but with the aid of the growers of manufacturing grades in Virginia should see for themselves how "White Burley" will work on their land; in other words, produce what customers want.

#### A "CASH BUYER" AMONG TOBACCO MEN.

From the Lancaster (Pa.) Examiner and Express, Dec. 15.

Last Saturday a chap put in an appearance here who claimed to be a buyer for Messrs. Huan & Co., cigar manufacturers, of Jacksonville, Fla. After making his position known, he engaged a Mr. Welchman to show him about. He was introduced to Mr. David G. Hirsch, who had several hundred cases of leaf tobacco on hand. He stated his desire to buy for cash, part payment down, balance in installments as goods were shipped, with bills of lading accompanying drafts. He subjected the tobacco to a very critical inspection. Inspectors' samples were not a sufficient guarantee of the goods for him. He wanted to examine the goods in the cases. However, this point was waived when Mr. Hirsch guaranteed that the goods would turn out to be what he wanted.

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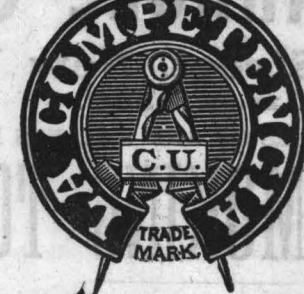
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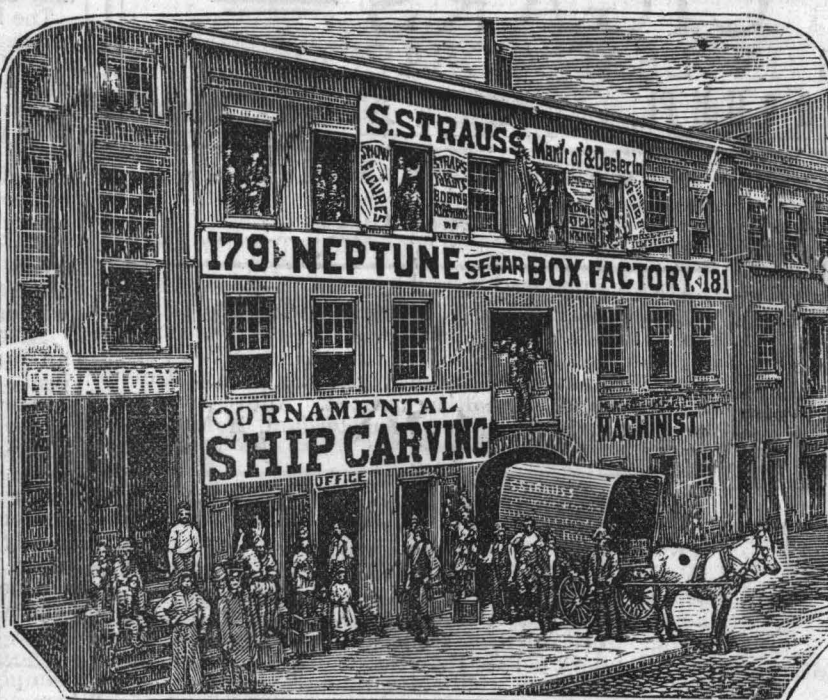
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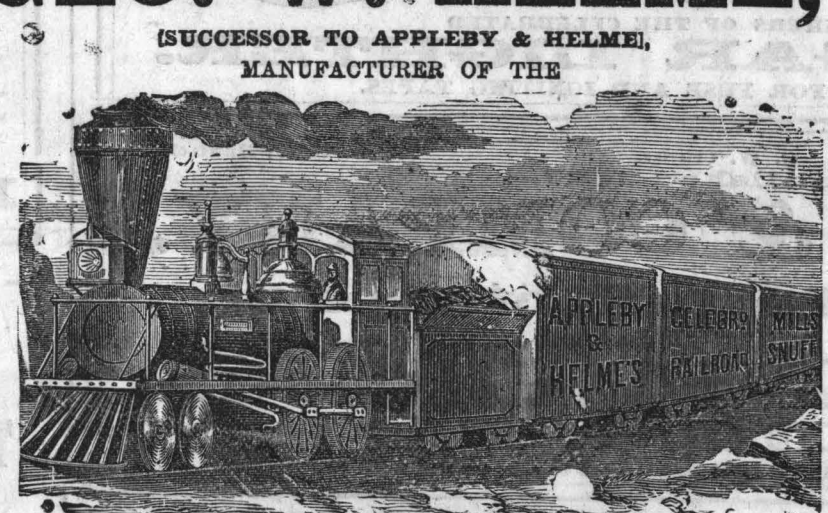


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Arendt & Fringant, 193 Pearl.  
Block & Lindheim, 190 Pearl.  
Barnes Geo. B. 70 Pine.  
Barnett S. 102 Water.  
Bach & Fischer, 155 Water.  
Cardozo A. H. 66 Broad.  
Chockley A. D. & Co. 38 Broad.  
Crawford E. M. & Son, 150 Water.  
Eatonson S. S. & Bro. 47 Broad.  
Egert Wm. & Co. 245 Pearl.  
Friedman, Henry, 119 Maiden Lane.  
Friend E. & G. & Co. 129 Maiden Lane.  
G. W. Gall & Ax, 165 Water.  
Garth D. J. & Son, 44 Broad.  
Gassett J. L. & Bro. 137 Bovey.  
Gershel L. & Bro. 191 Pearl.  
Hamburger L. & Co. 151 Water.  
Hollbroser, Joseph & Co. 119 Maiden Lane.  
Hirsch, Victorius & Co. 177 Water.  
Korbs & Spiess, 1014-1020 Second Avenue.  
Koenig H. 225 Pearl.  
Lachentruch & Bro. 164 Water.  
Lederer & Fischer, 213 Pearl.  
Levin M. H. 182 Pearl.  
Levy D. 169 Water.  
Lichtenstein & Gans, 131 Maiden Lane.  
Neuburger M. 122 Water.  
Newgrass L. 144 Water.  
Ottinger Brothers, 48 Broad.  
Owen F. E.  
Oppenheimer M. 138 Water.  
Reisman G. 288 Pearl.  
Steinbeck R. 131 Water.  
Rosenwald E. & Bro. 145 Water.  
Salomon G. & Bro. 254 Pearl.  
Sawyer, Wallace & Co. 47 Broadway.  
Schoverling Bros. 145 Water.  
Schneider & Bro. 175 Water.  
Schubart H. & Co. 160 Water.  
Schulz Fred. 213 Pearl.  
Siebert Henry, 68 Broad.  
Spingarn E. & Co. 5 Buring Slip.  
K. Charles F. & Son, 184 Front.  
Upmunkin, Carl, 175 Pearl.  
**Warehouses for the Sale of Manufactured and Smoking Tobacco.**  
Allen & Co. 173 and 175 Chambers.  
Augustin & Dussel 11 Warren.  
Dohan, Carroll & Co.  
Dubois Eugene, 75 Front.  
Engelbach F. & Son, Washington Square.  
Gardner J. M. 81 Front.  
Hen A. 43 Liberty.  
Hunt H. W. 69 William.  
Martin & Dunn, 74 Front.  
Mottler & Co. 98 Water.  
Thompson, Moore & Co. 83 Front.  
Wise & Bendheim, 264 and 265 Canal.  
**Importers of Manila Cigars.**  
Lington's Sons, S. 210 Front.  
**Tobacco Balers for Export.**  
Guthrie & Co. 225 Front.  
**Leaf Tobacco Smoking.**  
Phillips C. S. & Co. 188 Pearl.  
**Commission Merchants.**  
Beynes Brothers & Co., 46 & 48 Exchange Place.  
**Tobacco Brokers.**  
Cattus John, 83 Beaver.  
Ertheller M. & Son, 141 Water.  
Eller M. 116 Maiden Lane.  
Gans' Son, J. S. & Co. 44 and 86 Wall.  
Goshorn, James G. 54 Broad.  
Rader M. & Son, 48 Broad.  
Shack A. 178 Pearl Street.  
**Manufacturers of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco.**  
Anderson John & Co. 114, 116 and 117 Liberty.  
Buchanan & Lyall, 101 Wall.  
Buchner D. & Co. 175 and 175 Duane.  
Goodwin & Co. 307 and 309 Water.  
Holmes Geo. W. 135 Water and 85 Pine.  
Kinney Bros. 515 to 525 West 2d.  
McAlpin D. H. & Co. cor. Avenue D and Tenth.  
Miller G. B. & Co. 97 Columbia.  
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Adrian M. & Co. 68 and 98 Reade.  
Ash, J. & Co. 16-20 7th and 2-5 Hall st.  
Leuerer, 98 to 110 Attorney.  
James & Co. 78 Bovey.  
Frieder & Libko, 99 and 41 Fulton.  
Hirsch D. & Co. 128 and 130 Bivington.  
Kantman Bros. & Bondy, 129 and 131 Grand.  
Jacoby Morris & Co. 125-129 Broome.  
Jacoby S. & Co. 200 Chatham Sq. & 5 & 7 Doyer.  
Kerbs & Spiess, 1014 to 1020 Second Ave. and 110 to 114 Fifth floor.  
**Leaf Tobacco Smoking.**  
Levy Bros. Avenue D and Tenth Street.  
Lichtenstein Bros. & Co. 268 and 270 Bovey.  
Lombard V. 110 Water.  
Love Jno. W. & Bro. 15-17 Bovey.  
Mandel M. W. & Bro. 15-17 Bovey.  
Ogler S. 83 Murray.  
Otteberg S. & Bro. 202 and 204 Broadway.  
Prager M. W. 75 Courtland St.  
Steinbeck R. 131 Water.  
Seldenberg & Co. 92 and 94 Reade.  
Scheeleberg M. & Co. 92 and 94 Liberty.  
Stratton & Storm, 244-208 East 27th.  
Sutro & Newark, 76 Park Place.  
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Brown & Esch, 202-204 East 3d.  
Foster, Elton & Co. 33 Bovey.  
Sanchez, Hays & Co. 130, 132, 134 Maiden Lane.  
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Diaz B. & Co.  
Fernandez G. 206 Pearl.  
Fries E. 137 Water.  
Friedman Leonard, 203 Pearl.  
G. W. Gall & Ax, 165 Water.  
Garcia F. Bro. & Co. 187 Water.  
Gato E. H. 104 Chambers.  
Gonzalez A. 189 Pearl.  
Korbs & Spiess, 1014-1020 2d Avenue.  
Lillenthal M. & Co. 177 Pearl.  
Lington's Sons, S. 210 Front.  
Lombard V. 110 Water.  
Lopez, Calisto, 206 Pearl.  
Lopez, Fendin & Co. 209 Pearl.  
Messinger F. R. & Co. 161 Maiden Lane.  
Miranda F. & Co. 222 Pearl.  
Salomon G. & Bro. 254 Pearl.  
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Baron & Co. 392 W. Baltimore St.  
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Tolner F. W. & Son, 30 South Charles.  
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**Davenport & Legg, 59 Broad.**  
**Importers of Havana and Dirs. in Leaf Tobacco.**  
Bemis, Emory, 23 Central Wharf.  
Jones Geo. H. 35 Water.  
**Importers of Manufacturer of Fine Cigars.**  
Wilder Chas. W. Jr. 55 South Water.  
**Tobacco Manufacturers' Agents.**  
Kittredge Wm. P. & Co. 9 Central Wharf.  
**Dealer in Western Leaf Tobacco.**  
Hofvake C. O. 2 Central Wharf.  
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The tax on all kinds of Manufactured Tobacco is 16 cents per lb. of Smut, 16 cents per lb. of Cigars, 20 cents per thousand; Cigarettes weighing not over 3 lbs. per thousand, 51.75 per thousand; Cigarettes and Cheroots weighing over 3 lbs. per thousand, 56 per thousand. The duty on Foreign Cigars is \$2.50 per lb. and 33 1/2 cent. ad valorem. Cigarettes same duty as cigars. Imported Cigars, Cigarettes, and Cheroots must bear the prescribed Internal Revenue tax, to be paid by stamps at the Custom House. The import duty on Leaf Tobacco is 35 cents per lb.; Leaf Tobacco stemmed, 50 cents per lb.; Manufactured Tobacco, 60 cents per lb. Scraps of Tobacco, 10 cents per lb. Pipes and pipe bowls, 75 per cent. ad valorem, and \$1.50 per gross; common clay pipes, 35 per cent. ad valorem; parts of pipes, 75 per cent. ad valorem; all smokers' articles, 75 per cent. ad valorem; snuff-boxes and chewing tobacco pouches, 25 per cent. ad valorem.

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### Foreign Duties on Tobacco.

In Austria, France, Italy and Spain the tobacco commerce is monopolized by Government, under direction of a Regie. In Germany the duty on leaf tobacco and stems is 38 marks per 100 kilograms, equal to 10.40 cents per pound; on strips and scraps 180 marks per 100 kilograms, equal to 25.00 cents per pound. The duty on manufactured tobacco and cigars 250 marks per 100 kilograms, equal to 33.08 cents per pound. On tobacco produced in Germany the tax taking effect April 1, 1880—From April 1, 1880, to March 31, 1881, 80 marks per 100 kilograms, equal to 10.40 cents per pound; from April 1, 1881, to March 31, 1882, 90 marks per 100 kilograms, equal to 11.72 cents per pound; from April 1, 1882, and thereafter, 95 marks per 100 kilograms, equal to 12.35 cents per pound. In Belgium the import is reckoned after deducting 15 per cent. for tare. The duty is 20 francs (\$3.80 gold) per 100 kilograms (100 American pounds) equal to 45 1/2 cents. In Holland the duty is 25 cents per 100 kilograms, equal to 3.25 cents. In Russia the duty on Leaf Tobacco is 4 1/2 kopeks per lb.; on Smoking Tobacco 25 roubles 40 kopeks per lb.; and on Cigars 1 rouble 20 kopeks per lb. The duty is equal to about 36 American lbs. In Turkey the duty is 50 cents, paid per 154 pounds. In American countries, in England the duties are on Unmanufactured tobacco known as "common Canadian," 10 cents; otherwise called "tobacco blanc en torquette," being the unpressed leaf rolled and twisted, and made from raw tobacco, the growth of Canada, and upon raw leaf, the growth of Canada, there shall be imposed, levied and collected on every pound, or less quantity than a pound, an Excise duty of four cents.

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### Canadian Tobacco Duties and Excise.

The following are the rates of duty now imposed in Canada on the various manufactures of tobacco—Cigars and Cigarettes: 60 cents per lb. and 20 per cent. ad valorem. Many countries, 20 cents per lb. and 13 1/2 per cent. ad valorem. Smut, 25 cents per lb. and 13 1/2 per cent. ad valorem. In lieu of all Excise duties—except license fees—now imposed on tobacco known as "common Canadian," 10 cents; otherwise called "tobacco blanc en torquette," being the unpressed leaf rolled and twisted, and made from raw tobacco, the growth of Canada, and upon raw leaf, the growth of Canada, there shall be imposed, levied and collected on every pound, or less quantity than a pound, an Excise duty of four cents.

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### Value of Foreign Coins.

Austria—florin, silver, 41.3 cents.  
Belgium—franc, gold and silver, 19.3 cents.  
Bolivia—boliviano, silver, 83.6 cents.  
Brazil—milreis of 1,000 reis, gold, 54.5 cents.  
British Possessions in North America—dollar, gold, \$1.  
Central America—peso, silver, 83.6 cents.  
Chile—peso, gold, 91.2 cents.  
Denmark—crown, gold, 36.8 cents.  
Ecuador—peso, silver, 83.6 cents.  
Egypt—pound of 100 piasters, gold, \$1.94.  
France—franc, gold and silver, 19.3 cents.  
Great Britain—pound sterling, gold, \$1.94.  
Greece—drachma, gold and silver, 19.3 cents.  
German Empire—mark, gold, 23.6 cents.  
India—rupee of 16 annas, silver, 35.7 cents.  
Italy—lira, gold and silver, 19.3 cts.

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Japan—yen, gold; gold and silver, 89.7 cents.  
Liberia—dollar, gold, \$1.  
Mexico—dollar, silver, 80.9 cents.  
Netherlands—florin, gold and silver, 10.2 cents.  
Norway—crown, gold, 25.5 cents.  
Peru—sol, silver, 83.6 cents.  
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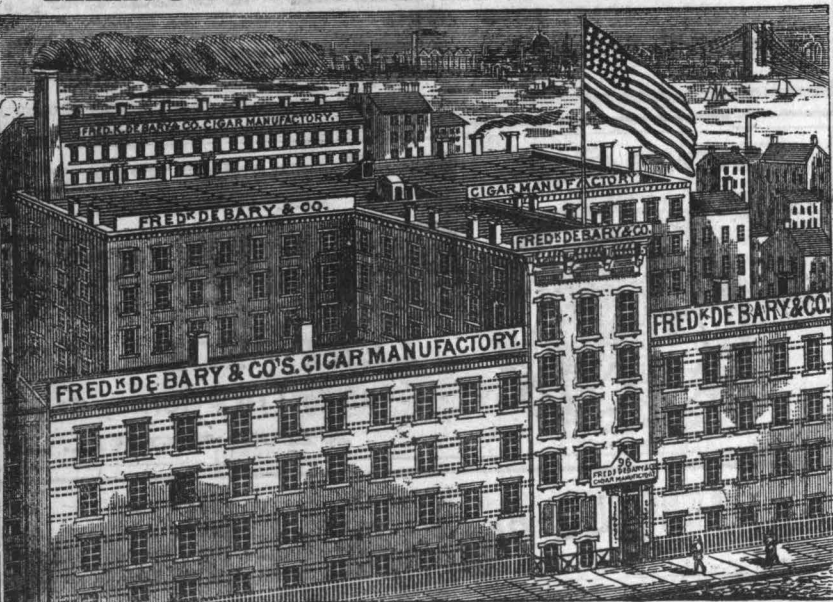


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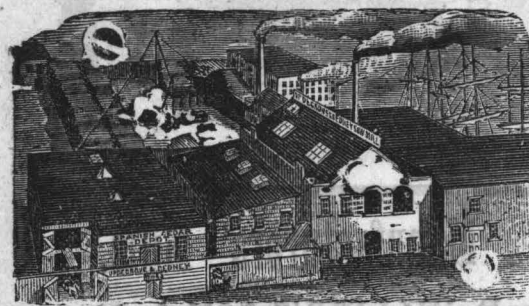


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