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WOODWARD & LOTHROP.

WE NEVER SCALE NOR POSTPONE.

Our Regular Weekly Remnant Day Sale—it will continue to take place every Friday so long as we do business.

On account of the active sales during the past week, we are enabled to offer unusual "Remnant Day" attractions in Short Lengths, Odd Sizes, Broken Lots, etc., which, in order to cause their disposal Friday, we shall mark at lower "Remnant" prices than have generally prevailed.

"Odd Garments" in Muslin Underwear.

The following garments will be placed on the "Remnant" counter in this department Friday:

2 Fine Muslin Corset Covers, square neck, with yoke of wide embroidery, size 42 inch.
Regular price.....75c
"Remnant" price.....50c

2 Fine Muslin Chemise, tucked yoke, Hamburg embroidery around the neck and sleeves, size 40 and 42 inches.
Regular price.....$1 62
"Remnant" price.....$1 25

2 pair Fine Muslin Drawers, two clusters of fine tucks with Hamburg insertion between, fine cambric ruffle, edged with Hamburg embroidery.
Regular price.....75c
"Remnant" price.....50c
(Second floor; take the elevator.)

"Odd Sizes" in Corsets.

Two "Remnant" lines to be closed out Friday as follows—

3 R. & G. Drab Coutil Corsets, sizes 26 and 28 inches.
Regular price.....75c
"Remnant" price.....50c

3 Short "P. D." Satteen Corsets in blue and cardinal, perfect in shape and elegantly finished, size 21 inches.
Regular price.....$2 25
"Remnant" price.....$1 50
(Second floor; take the elevator.)

Can you wear any of the above sizes?

Men's Wear "Remnants."

When we have not the full line of sizes, or when a garment becomes slightly soiled from handling, or where we find manufacturer's imperfections, that particular size or garment is a Remnant and is laid aside for Friday's sale at a reduced price. We might get full value by waiting, but we prefer to keep the stock clean and fresh at all times.

1 pair Men's Merino Wool Drawers, heavy and well made, size 36.
Regular price.....50c
"Remnant" price.....37c

1 Men's Medium Weight Wool Shirt, fine and soft, size 30 inch.
Regular price.....75c
"Remnant" price.....45c

1 pair Men's Drawers to match above shirt, size 38 inch.
Regular price.....$1 00
"Remnant" price.....62c

1 pair Men's English Wool Drawers, heavy weight, slightly imperfect, size 30 inch.
Regular price.....$1 00
"Remnant" price.....75c

1 Men's Heavy all-wool Shirt, all lamb's wool, self-front, size 40 inch.
Regular price.....$1 50
"Remnant" price.....$1 00

2 Men's Scarlet Southdown Lamb's Wool Drawers, extra heavy, slightly soiled, elegant quality, size 52 inch.
Regular price.....$2 50
"Remnant" price.....$1 75

"Short Lengths" in Wash Goods.

As a special "Remnant" Day attraction in this department we shall offer our stock of Simpson's and Manchester Prints at 7c. per yd. Best quality. Handsome fall and winter styles and effects. Will cut any length desired. We also offer—

22 "Short Lengths" of Dress Ginghams, 4 to 8 yards.
Regular price.....12½c
"Remnant" price.....10c

19 "Short Lengths" of Check Ginghams, 2 to 4 yards, best grade.
Regular price.....8c
"Remnant" price.....6c

29 "Short Lengths" of Shirting Prints, Percales, Cambrics, etc., 2 to 5 yards, at greatly reduced or "Remnant" prices.
(Second floor. Take elevator.)

"Remnants" in Small Lots in Buttons.

When we only have a few dozen buttons left of a line, that line is a "Remnant" and the price reduced 50 per cent. for Friday.

6 White Pearl Buttons.
Regular price.....25c
"Remnant" price.....12½ for lot

12 Garnet Pearl Buttons.
Regular price.....38c
"Remnant" price.....19c

24 White Pearl Buttons.
Regular price per doz.....16c
"Remnant" price.....8c

2 doz White Pearl Buttons.
Regular price per doz.....10c
"Remnant" price.....5c

1 doz Hand-painted Buttons.
Regular price.....50c
"Remnant" price.....25c

2 doz White 4-eye Pearl Buttons.
Regular price.....32c
"Remnant" price.....18c

We also offer a few "Short Lengths" of Trimming Braids in desirable lengths at Remnant prices.

"Remnants" in each and every department. For other attractions see *Star* and *Republican*. Each different, and representing exactly what we have to sell on that day as "Remnants."

WOODWARD & LOTHROP,

Boston Dry Goods House,

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921 Penn. Ave. 912 D Street

GOVERNMENT GOSSIP.

Report of the President of the Soldiers' Home.

ADMISSIONS AND EXPENSES.

A Great Increase of Drunkenness Among the Inmates.

PATENT OFFICE PROMOTIONS

Annual Report of the Chief of the Hydrographic Office.

TO-DAY'S APPOINTMENTS.

Report of the Superintendent of the Money Order Office.

The President to-day appointed:

Frederick S. Mansfield of Texas, to be secretary of legation at Japan.

G. W. Glick of Kansas to be Pension agent at Topeka.

Erastus Redman, Collector of Customs at Frenchman's Bay, Me.

Postmasters: J. C. Roney, Americus, Ga.; R. J. Harrison, Toledo, Iowa; L. P. Obliger, Wooster, O.; Leonard Dozier, Ocala, Fla.

Notaries public: Frank J. White and Joseph P. Dyer of this city to be notaries for the District of Columbia.

The President last evening made the following appointments: General Jos. J. Bartlett of New York City, to be Second Deputy Commissioner of Pensions in place of Lewis C. Bartlett, who has resigned on account of ill health. William H. Morgan of Nashville, Tenn., to be a member of the Board of Indian Commissioners in place of Orange Judd, resigned. Dr. John G. Lee of Philadelphia, to be Secretary of Legation at Constantinople.

The Telephone Cases.—At the hearing of the Telephone cases to-day, Colonel Starrow closed the presentation of evidence for the Bell interest, and an adjournment was taken until to-morrow.

Foreign Postoffice Officials. — The Postmaster-General of Japan and the Postmaster of Bombay called at the Postoffice Department, and in the absence of Mr. Vilas, were cordially received and shown about by General Stevenson, the first assistant. Both of the visiting gentlemen converse well in English.

A Public Building Wanted. — The Light House Board, in their annual report, again urge the erection of a fire-proof building on public ground near the Agricultural building where the collections of models, the library and laboratory of the board etc., could be properly provided for, and where experiments of various kinds could be conducted.

Secretary Whitney's Report.—Secretary Whitney is devoting all his time to his annual report. He remains at his home, refuses to see visitors, and works away, aided by his private secretary. Commodore Harmony is conducting the routine business of the Department. Secretary Whitney's report will, it is said, be very thorough and comprehensive.

Marines to the Isthmus.—A small battalion of marines, in addition to the regular guard of Admiral Jouett's flag-ship, the Tennessee, and the Galena, has been sent on board these vessels from the Norfolk Navy-Yard, for passage to Aspinwall, where they will be used in guarding the railway across the Isthmus of Panama from Aspinwall to the city of Panama, in case of any troubles this season.

Navy-Yard Discharge.—A very large discharge of workmen in the construction department at the Norfolk Navy-Yard was made Tuesday evening owing to the insufficient allowance made for work there this month, which was so small that it is already nearly exhausted. Besides a large number of laborers nine hundred skilled workmen were discharged, comprising caulkers, spinners, caulkers' helpers, carpenters and bolt drivers.

The Hydrographic Office.—Captain Bartlett of the Hydrographic Office recommends in his annual report that provision be made for a system of copper plates of all navigable waters to be kept on hand, subject to correction from time to time, and that editions of the charts be promptly issued; also that deep sea soundings should be continued. The work of the office for the year has been very satisfactory and valuable.

The Lafayette Monument. — The models for the proposed Lafayette Monument will remain at the War Department for the inspection of Secretary Endicott, Architect Clark and Senator Sherman, the committee entrusted with the selection of a design and a site. It is understood that Secretary Endicott and Architect Clark have virtually decided upon one of the Bartholdi models. Although these models are of plaster and are small and frail, they were shipped from Paris without injury.

The Soldiers' Home.—The report of General Sheridan, president of the Board of Commissioners of the National Soldiers' Home, for the year ending September 30, shows that the discipline, management and condition of the Home were never better, although there has been a great increase of drunkenness among the inmates, the large majority of them having their pension money deposited with the treasurer and subject to their order. The disbursements of the year were $343,468. Only 198 discharged soldiers were admitted, and it is shown by statistics that only a small percentage of those eligible for admission to the Home apply for its benefits. A large increase is looked for in the future.

The Money-Order Office.—The report of Dr. McDonald, superintendent of the money-order system of the Postoffice Department, shows the present number of offices to be 7,359, issuing orders to the amount of $120,000,000 annually. There has been a decrease in the business during the pat year, while the postal note business showed an increase of 141 per cent. There have been reported and adjudicated 138 cases of lost remittances, involving $11,550. The total receipts of the Money Order Office were $625,125 and expenditures $243,974. McDonald does not renew his recommendation that the fee for domestic money orders not exceeding $5 be reduced from 8 to 5 cents, but recommends a reduction in foreign money orders.

The Shipping List.—The annual edition of the list of merchant vessels owned in the United States has been completed by Captain Patton of the Navigation Division of the Treasury. This list will show an apparent decrease of from 26,630 to about 24,000 vessels, but will also show that last year's list contained several hundred vessels which had been sold to foreign traders and should have been crossed from the list. The real decrease in the number of vessels owned in the United States was only about two hundred. The rate of decrease was about uniform on both coasts and on the lakes. Shipbuilding showed a falling off of twenty-five per cent. from the previous year. The number and tonnage of steam and iron vessels constructed slightly increased, while the number of wooden vessels built materially decreased. The iron shipbuilding was mainly on the Delaware and the wooden shipbuilding in Maine.

Patent Office Promotions.—The following promotions have been made in the Patent Office: Max Georgii, from second to first assistant examiner at $1,800, and A. W. Crossley, from third to second assistant examiner at $1,600.

Deputy Pension Commissioner.—General J. J. Bartlett of New York, who has been appointed second deputy commissioner of pensions, commands a division in the Army of the Potomac. Under the administration of Andrew Johnson, he was United States Minister to Norway and Sweden. He succeeds L. C. Bartlett, who is his brother, and who resigned on account of ill health.

Minor and Personal.

There was a full attendance at the meeting of the Cabinet to-day.

Adjutant-General Drum has gone to Queensburg, Pa., for a few days.

Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, a copyist in the Bureau of Education, has resigned.

Miss L. Maud Myers has been promoted from $1,000 to $1,200 in the Pension Office.

The resignation of G. G. Hartley, Register of the Land Office at Duluth, Minn., has been accepted.

John Lux of New York has been appointed a special examiner in the Pension Office at $1,400.

The Secretary of War is informed that five sculptors will submit models for the Lafayette Monument.

Major Lockwood, chief clerk of the Interior Department, has returned from a short visit to New York.

Delegate Day, from Dakota, predicts the appointment of Mr. Ziebach as governor of that Territory at an early day.

Edward A. Reilly of D. C. has been appointed an engineer at $1,200 in the Pension Office, vice W. J. Orr, resigned.

All the lady clerks in the appointment division of the Treasury have been transferred to other branches of the service.

The Commissioner of Customs in his annual report suggests that the designation of his office be changed to Third Comptroller.

The Lighthouse Board has decided to ask Congress for an appropriation of $30,000 to be used in protecting the site of the lighthouse station at Cape Charles, Md.

Among the fourth class postmasters appointed to-day were H. C. Hendrix, Crumpton, Queen Anne's County, Md., and W. B. Pennick, Stokeland, Pittsylvania County, Va.

Secretary Manning has appointed J. B. Sudliffe of Pennsylvania a messenger in the Treasury Department and assigned him to duty as an assistant to his private secretary.

The Secretary of State has requested the Navy Department to-day to send a man-of-war to the Samoan Islands for the purpose of opening a system of communication with that government.

The Second Comptroller of the Treasury has disallowed an item of $200 in the accounts of Green B. Raum, late brigadier-general of volunteers, the full pay and allowances of a brigadier-general from March 2 to March 31, 1885, on the ground that he did not accept his commission or report for duty as such until March 31, 1885.

A WINTER CRUISE.

The Apprentice Training Squadron's Sailing Orders for the West Indies.

The sailing orders for the winter cruise of the apprentice training squadron, prepared by Commander Schley, have been approved by Secretary Whitney and sent to Commander Silas W. Terry of the Portsmouth, who is commanding the squadron. The vessels will proceed together from Hampton Roads as soon as the necessary repairs are completed at the Norfolk Navy-Yard and spend at least a month at sea before making the first port, which will probably be St. Thomas, in the West Indies. During January, February and March the separate vessels will cruise among the Windward Islands and as far south as Port-au-Spain, Island of Trinidad, visiting such ports as are deemed proper, taking care to avoid those where there may be danger of infection from any prevailing epidemic, and granting liberty ashore to the apprentice boys as liberally as possible without injury to discipline or the service. At least two weeks of each month will be passed by each vessel at sea, when the crews and apprentices will be frequently exercised at sail, spar and gun drills. In returning North, care will be taken not to cruise so far to leeward as to prevent any of the vessels from arriving in Hampton Roads later than May 1, 1886. The various vessels will visit St. Thomas, Santa Lucia (Santa Cruz), Martinique, San Pierre, Barbadoes, Port au Spain, La Guayra, Curacoa, Jacmel, Kingston, San Tiego de Cuba, Metanzas, Havana and Key West.

Racing at Ivy City.

The fifth heat of the pacing race at Ivy City yesterday was trotted this afternoon, and was won by Sallie C., Blue Dick second, Edith Walton third; time, 2:34½. Gossip, the favorite, was distanced. The first race on to-day's programme was then started. This was for horse of the 2:40 class. Colonel Heywood won, Ella Ross second, William C. third; time, 2:33½. But three started. The attendance was about the same as yesterday. The track was good.

First heat of the 2:25 class was won by May, Westchester Girl second, Nettie Thorn third; time, 2:26. Westchester Girl was favorite in the pools.

Second heat of first race was won by William C., Ella Ross second and Colonel Heywood third; time, 2:26.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded: Wm. D. Allen to J. W. Richardson, lot 81 in Kilbourn and Olmstead's sub. of lots in sub. of square 241, $808.40; Samuel Bacon to John Vogt, part of square 457, situated on the northeast corner of Sixth and E streets, $14,000; Elizabeth Scott to Henry Beverly, lot 30, square 591, $410; James Gray to Josephine Jackson, west half of lot 19, square 558, $600; Elizabeth S. Smith and Richard P. Strong, trustees, to Charles E. Hagner et al., lot 3, square 219, $14,000; Henry J. Biddle to Tilion J. Coffee, lot 4, square 163, $10,463.

Senator Mahone's Movements.

Senator Mahone of Virginia passed through the city last night en route to New York. He telegraphed some friends to meet him at the depot, as he had a half hour between the incoming and outgoing trains.

DISTRICT GOVERNMENT NEWS.

Matters Being Considered by the Commissioners.

Building permits have been granted to John Crilly, to erect five dwellings on I street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, to cost $6,000; Mrs. I. Scala, erect a dwelling on Fifth street, between East Capitol and A streets southeast, $2,500; C. Ruppert, repair dwelling 1410 First street, $325.

A contrivance by means of which the blind can play whist is a new invention.

The battleground of Missionary Ridge has been converted into a strawberry patch.

It is said that there are twice as many professional actors in America as five years ago.

Butte, Mont., supports ten faro banks, with an aggregate capital of $100,000.

The number of lunatics in France increases twice as fast as the population.

Empress, the elephant, belongs to Mr. O'Brien.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

One of the Busiest Institutions of the National Capital.

ITS GROWTH AND HISTORY.

Its Daily Transactions—The Officers and Members of the Organization.

People poorly posted on what is actually going on in business circles in Washington from day to day may have wondered as to the why and wherefore of the assembling together of so many of our leading business men at the Glover building every day at noon. The business community, however, know very well the nature of this gathering, and the entire city is fast gathering the fruits of its labors.

Time was when the Washington Stock Exchange was more in name than anything else. At the present time, however, it is a decided power in the community, and its membership constitutes a lever whose influence is not easily over-estimated. The first Washington Stock Exchange was established in 1873, in the days when the bonds of the Board of Public Works were as lively as any coal or trunk line stocks are to-day. Its chairman was D. W. Middleton. A. L. Barber was secretary and E. M. Nourse treasurer. The membership was about thirty. They had a well-appointed and commodious board room over the National Metropolitan Bank, but one day some of the members took it into their heads that the Exchange had better meet down town, and a majority was raked up to vote for removal to the Le Droit building. This was a death-blow to the organization. The brokers would not go down there to attend the meetings of the Exchange, and so, after a checkered career of three years, the original Washington Stock Exchange gave up the ghost.

The foundation of the present Exchange was laid on the 24th of October, 1881, at the office of H. D. Cooke & Co., 1429 F street. On this occasion Messrs. H. D. Cooke, A. E. Bateman, D. W. Middleton, John W. Corson and H. E. Offley put their heads together and decided to invite all the local bankers and brokers to meet and form a stock exchange. Two days later another meeting was held, at which the number of those at the first meeting was swelled by the presence of Messrs. George H. B. White, F. G. Middleton, C. L. Bradley, J. W. Ker, C. P. Williams, W. H. Barnard and S. E. Middleton. John W. Thompson sent a letter regretting his enforced absence and expressing hearty sympathy with the object of the meeting. A constitution and by-laws were adopted at this meeting, and all those present became members. Other members were proposed and elected as follows: J. W. Thompson, Jay Cooke, B. H. Warner, C. C. Glover, L. A. Bartlett, F. E. Middleton, A. K. Parris and J. S. Brown. This filled the complement of the membership of twenty, as provided for in the constitution. The limit was afterward raised, from time to time, the present limit being fifty, thirty-nine of which are filled.

The first officers of the exchange were: George H. B. White, president; H. D. Cooke, vice-president; J. W. Ker, treasurer; A. E. Bateman, secretary. These officers were all re-elected in 1882, except Mr. Ker, who was succeeded as treasurer by A. K. Parris. In 1883 H. C. Towers was elected secretary in place of A. E. Bateman. In 1884 Mr. C. C. Glover succeeded Mr. White in the presidency of the Exchange, and at the annual meeting held last week Mr. John W. Corson was chosen vice-president to succeed Mr. H. D. Cooke. The present officers, therefore, are C. C. Glover, president; J. W. Corson, vice-president; H. C. Towers, secretary, and A. K. Parris, treasurer.

There is also a governing committee, to whom are referred all questions pertaining to membership and the conduct of the Exchange. The price of seats in the Exchange is $100, having recently been raised from $25 each. The daily meetings are held in the Stock Exchange room in the Glover building, where some very lively scenes are often enacted. The stock list is composed entirely of local stocks, with a single exception, the exception being Pennsylvania Telephone stock, in which there seemed to be a large local interest, and which, by the way, is almost the only stock which has depreciated in value in the Exchange during the last two years. On the other hand, there has been a remarkable advance made in some local stocks within the past few months. The most noticeable of these has been Metropolitan Railroad stock. Last April this could have been purchased on the Exchange for 70; it is now 110½. There has also been a recent rise of several points in Columbia Road stock, and a still more recent advance to the same extent in North Capitol & O-street. The stock of the Washington Brick Machine Company has jumped from 92 to 111 within the past few months. Washington Market stock has doubled in value in the same period; Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company has advanced from 40 to 72, United States Electric Light from 20 to 45 and Great Falls Ice stock from 78 to 106. District and Government bonds, gas and bank stocks and other securities have not fluctuated much.

All these changes have been closely watched and eagerly taken advantage of by local traders, and the result has been a decidedly good business in the Exchange. It is very often the case that a day's business in the Exchange foots up between $15,000 and $20,000, while it has been known to run as high as $65,000. The following is a list of the thirty-nine members of the Exchange:

A. E. Bateman, John E. Beall, C. J. Bell, A. H. Brown, H. D. Cooke, Pitt Cooke, Peter Campbell, John W. Corson, E. B. Cottrell, F. B. Conger, Lewis J. Davis, W. Riley Deeble, Thomas Dowling, William Dickson, O. C. Green, J. M. Green, H. D. Green, C. C. Glover, W. F. Hellen, J. V. N. Huyck, C. T. Havenner, F. E. Middleton, John W. Macatee, E. M. Nourse, A. K. Parris, George M. Robeson, John W. Thompson, W. H. Turner, H. C. Towers, W. L. Towers, Seymour W. Tulloch, J. K. Upton, George H. B. White, C. P. Williams, Frank Maury, Pacificus Ord and L. W. Morrison of New York.

Alexandria Notes.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., Nov. 12.—The reception tendered R. E. Sir F. A. Reed, Grand Commander Knights Templars, in Virginia, by Old Dominion Commandery, No 11, at Masonic Temple, was a pleasant affair and will long be remembered. The hall was appropriately decorated with flowers, flags, etc., and presented a beautiful appearance.

The fair held for the benefit of Trinity M. E. Church commenced last Monday and will continue six days. Many valuable articles have been donated, and the fair will prove a financial success. The proceeds will be devoted to the finishing of the church.

The handsome residence of John T. Marshall, on Wolf street, has been refitted and put in thorough repair. Several Northern gentlemen are anxious to buy it. It is the handsomest dwelling in the city.

Mr. Peyton Bartlett, captain of the chaingang, is suffering with a partial paralysis of his lower limbs and is unable to be on duty. His case is not considered a serious one.

Ex-Judge John C. Weedon of Springfield, Prince William County, Va., has recovered from a recent stroke of paralysis. He is 90 years old, and rode five miles on election day to vote for Fitzhugh Lee.

The Jenny to be Stopped.

Captain J. F. Oyster of the National Rifles has written the Commissioners, notifying them that the "spinning jenny" will be discontinued at the Rifles' fair and asks that the suspended permit for holding the fair be renewed.

THE ARMY AND NAVY.

Items of Interest to the Service From All Along the Lines.

[The fact that a very large number of residents of the District of Columbia are directly interested in news of the Army, the Navy and Marine Corps, has led the management of THE CRITIC to establish a department of the paper for this especial class, and since last May it has literally been a *daily* army and navy record, in combination with a live newspaper, giving all the current news of the day. The readers interested are not alone confined to those who are now on the active or retired list of either branch of the service, but are largely of those whose relationship to, or former connection with, the service, makes them take as much interest as those on the rolls. The matter collected is handled by members of the staff who have had personal experience in both branches of the military service, and the orders from the whole army, the various geographical commands, as well as the War Department and its bureaus, are received daily by mail. THE CRITIC therefore, as claimed, is a daily Army and Navy paper, as it contains all of the current news that heretofore only reached the service weekly in the two papers devoted wholly to the service and the militia. The subscription is low in price, and for very little more than is charged by the cheapest of the weekly service papers any person may obtain a daily service journal as well as a bright, newsy, general newspaper.—ED. CRITIC.]

First Sergeant Henry Newman, troop A, Fifth Cavalry, is granted six months' furlough to go abroad.

Major William A. Jones, Corps of Engineers, is granted four months' leave from December 1 from Portland, Oregon.

Captain John S. Wharton, Nineteenth Infantry, who is now at Montrose, N. Y., is granted three months' extension of sick leave.

First Lieutenant Charles B. Gatewood, Sixth Cavalry, has been ordered from Fort Bowie back to his post at Fort Apache, Arizona.

Captain John J. Kane, Assistant Surgeon, having reported in person to General Stanley at San Antonio, has been assigned as Post Surgeon at Fort Ringgold, Tex.

The training-ship Jamestown, Commander Charles V. Gridley, was taken out of the dry dock at the Norfolk Navy-Yard yesterday. Her bottom is newly coppered.

Captain Wirt Davis, Fourth Cavalry, who was recently at Fort Bowie, Ariz., to confer with General Crook, has been ordered to rejoin his field command at Fort Thomas.

Major James R. Roche, paymaster, will be relieved from duty here November 30, and report to General Terry, to take station at St. Paul. He has been here since Aug., 1882.

The Ranger, Commander Charles E. Clark, is expected to leave the Mare Island Navy-Yard next Sunday for her winter cruise, surveying along the Central American coast.

Lieutenant J. Russell Selfridge, U. S. N., arrived at the Mare Island Navy-Yard on Wednesday of last week, from here, to report for duty on board the sloop-of-war Adams.

The training-ship Saratoga, Commander William H. Whitney, was placed in the dry dock yesterday at the Norfolk Navy-Yard to be examined and recoppered, if it is found necessary.

The Navy Department is informed that the Tennessee and Galena will leave Hampton Roads November 15 for La Guayra. The Brooklyn, at New York, will be ready for inspection November 15.

In the Fifteenth Infantry First Lieutenant Edward S. Chapin has been transferred from Company E to Company B, and First Lieutenant James A. Maney from B to E at the request of these officers.

Brigadier-General David S. Stanley left San Antonio, November 4, with First Lieutenant Oskaloosa M. Smith, Twenty-second Infantry, aide-de-camp, for an official visit to Fort Concho, Texas, and return.

Lieutenant Robert H. Noble, First Infantry, has been relieved from temporary duty, commanding company I of his regiment at Fort Bowie, and ordered to rejoin his company (F) at Fort Lowell, Arizona.

The Galena, Commander Colby M. Chester, went up to the Norfolk Navy-Yard Tuesday evening to coal for her voyage to Aspinwall, and was to sail to-day or to-morrow from Hampton Roads for that point.

Lieutenant-Colonel Nelson B. Sweitzer, Eighth Cavalry, is president, and First Lieutenant Eugene Cushman, Sixteenth Infantry, judge-advocate of a court-martial that convened November 6, at San Antonio, Texas.

Acting Assistant Surgeon J. N. Healy has been ordered to relieve Acting Assistant Surgeon T. B. Davis at Cave Canyon, Arizona, who is ordered to duty with the Indian scouts at San Carlos under Captain Crawford, Third Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Marion P. Maus, First Infantry, and Lieutenant William E. Shipp, Tenth Cavalry, have been ordered to duty with the Indian scouts in the field at Fort Grant, San Carlos, Arizona, under Captain Emmet Crawford, Third Cavalry.

Paymaster H. Trumbull Stanecliffe, U. S. N., and Mrs. Stanecliffe, left the Mare Island Navy-Yard November 4 for their home in New Haven, Conn. Mr. Stanecliffe has just been relieved from the Independence (receiving-ship), where he has been for three years on duty.

Sergeant Selmar Grimm, Battery B, First Artillery; Sergeant James Smith, Light Battery F, Fourth Artillery; Private Jeffrey Carney, F, Sixth Infantry, and First-Class Musician George Piano, band, Military Academy, have been placed on the retired list for over thirty years' service.

Lieutenant Henry P. Birmingham, assistant surgeon, has been relieved from duty with the battalion of Indian scouts in Arizona, with which he volunteered for field service, in the order General Crook thanks Dr. Birmingham for his ability and zeal in the pursuit of the hostile Chiricahua Apaches.

Major George A. Purington, Third Cavalry, has been detailed as an additional member of the court-martial sitting at Fort Stockton, Tex.; and First Lieutenant Thomas C. Woodbury, Sixteenth Infantry, has relieved First Lieutenant Samuel W. Dunning same regiment, as judge advocate of the court.

Naval orders: Commander George W. Hayward, to command the Quinnebaug; Ensign Hugh Rodman, to the Hydrographic Office; Assistant Engineer Winfield S. Sample, to the Tennessee; Lieutenant B. H. Buckingham, detached from the Ordnance Bureau and ordered to the Paris legation as naval attache, subsequently reporting at the St. Petersburg and Berlin legations in that capacity; Pay Inspector L. G. Billings, ordered from the Morgan Iron Works to the Delaware Ship-Building Works; Assistant Engineer Wm. B. Boggs, from the Tennessee and placed on waiting orders; Commander J. J. Read's orders to command the Quinnebaug revoked and he will continue in command of the Michigan.

King Theebaw Retaliates.

LONDON, Nov. 12. — Despatches from Rangoon state that King Theebaw has issued an order for the extermination of Englishmen, and it is feared that the Europeans in Mandalay will be murdered. The Burmese are blockading the Irrawaddy River at Minhla.

A Scheme for Trans-Oceanic Banks.

BERLIN, Nov. 12.—Baron Dechend has completed a scheme for the establishment of German trans-oceanic banks backed by capital amounting to 60,000,000 marks. It is said Prince Bismarck favors the project.

He Will Not See Don Carlos.

ROME, Nov. 12.—The Pope has positively declined to receive Don Carlos except in the capacity of a private individual.

NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS.

The Bold Burglar Who Took Advantage of a Sleepy Policeman.

Our artist to-day, animated by the spirit of the times, illustrates in graphic style a recent local event that has provoked a broad grin throughout the entire city—the robbery of the Night Lodging House adjoining the Fifth Precinct Police Station. It will be seen from this sketch that the somnolent officer in charge is happy, while the face of the gentleman who is paying attention to the furniture of the Lodging House adjacent, is wreathed

with an expression of gaudy joy. That gentleman has no right to the furniture which he is taking away with him except that right which belongs to all gentlemen of his profession, but no one should imagine that the police are not on the alert, for they are. There is nothing going on at the station-house, therefore the officer in charge can be excused for indulging in a little siesta. The reason why nothing is going on there is because the force assigned to duty in that locality has been ordered out by the Commissioners on a raid against the spinning jennies and poker parties.

It is difficult to decide which looks the happier, those indulging in a quiet snooze or the Colonel who is abstracting furniture from the lodging-house; but the chances are in favor of the Colonel. He got away with everything, including the stove. If the stove had been red-hot he would have had it all the same. The Colonel does not stop at little things like that. There may be some surprise that the Colonel did not take the station-house with him. The only reason for his failure to do so was the fact that precautions had been previously taken to chain it down.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mrs. Endicott, wife of the Secretary of War, did not receive yesterday.

It is said that the handsome new house of Senator McPherson on Vermont avenue is for sale.

Mr. Townshend of England is visiting the wife and daughters of the late General Blake at 1312 N street.

Mme. de Struve will not return to this country this winter on account of the failing health of her aged mother.

General and Mrs. David B. McKibbin, who are here to spend the winter, have taken quarters at No. 1340 Massachusetts avenue.

Many well-known people were out making calls yesterday, but very few ladies were at home. The calling this season begins later than usual.

The engagement is rumored of Commander R. M. G. Brown of the navy to Miss Davis, daughter of Ex-Senator Davis of West Virginia.

At the wedding of Dr. Richard H. Dixon and Miss Helen Victoria Johnson at Cambridge, Md., yesterday, Governor Lloyd was one of the ushers.

Mrs. Whitney, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, temporarily residing at 1777 Massachusetts avenue, has not yet begun her regular receptions.

The wife of Lieutenant Emory of the Despatch is settled with her children at her charming house on Connecticut avenue, where she will reside during the winter.

Mrs. Don Cameron was, with a large party from the British Legation, at Albaugh's last evening. The summer spent with her husband in California seems to have added freshness to her handsome appearance.

The approaching marriage of Miss Dora Miller, daughter of Senator Miller of California, to Lieutenant Richardson Clover of the United States Navy promises to be one of the leading social events of the season.

Society was well represented at the spectacular drama of the "Devil's Auction" last evening. All the legations were represented by some member, while several theatre parties enlivened the appearance of the audience.

Mr. George Bancroft, the venerable historian, aside from his daily horse-back exercise, can be seen on pleasant afternoons perambulating our beautiful streets and avenues making calls upon distinguished jurists and others.

Mr. John M. Bishop of the Sixth Auditor's office, Treasury Department, and Miss Nannie Jones of Knoxville, Tenn., according to invitations just out, will be married on the 19th instant. Their friends in this city will give them a reception on the 21st instant.

Mr. W. B. Bryan, one of the brightest members of the *Star's* reportorial staff, was united in marriage last evening to Miss Emily Black Pentland, daughter of A. W. Pentland, esq. The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, 1339 Eighteenth street, Rev. Dr. Sunderland officiating.

Mr. J. Rollin Tilton, the well-known American artist, who has lived thirty years in Rome, leaves to-day for that place, having spent several weeks in this city, where he has many warm friends. While at Newport and Boston Mr. Tilton received several handsome orders, and he now returns to Italy to execute them.

Mr. Harry Rapley, the popular treasurer of the National Theatre and son of Mr. W. W. Rapley, was married yesterday evening to Miss Lizzie Batchelor, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Montgomery County, Md. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Rush R. Shippen of All Souls' Church, and the newly-married couple returned to the city later in the evening and took quarters at the Riggs House. Owing to a recent bereavement in the bride's family the wedding was a quiet one, and confined to the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

Mr. Arthur Wellesley Foster of Lancashire, England, was married in Boston yesterday to Miss Alice D., daughter of Eben D. Jordan of the great drygoods house of Jordan, Marsh & Co. The bride's dress was of white satin, with long square train, the waist cut heart shape, with short sleeves and trimmed with point lace. The tulle veil was caught with a tiara of diamonds, and at the throat the bride wore a diamond pendant. Among the guests were Mayor and Mrs. O'Brien, Ex-Governor Rice, Colonel Jonas H. French, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and other well-known Bostonians. Mr. and Mrs. Foster will make their future home in England.

Mr. Gasherie de Witt of Belleville, N. J., and Miss Helen Nichols, niece of Mr. O. G. Staples of Willard's, were married last evening at the Church of the Epiphany by Rev. Dr. Gelay. The bride was given away by her uncle, and after the service a brilliant wedding reception took place at the hotel. The winsome bride was attired in a rich robe of ivory satin, with a petticoat of points duchesse lace. The court train was edged with a plaiting of tulle, and the bodice was cut Pompadour, with a Marie Stuart collar. The satin train was looped with white lilacs and orange blossoms, and the long veil of tulle was fastened with diamond plus. The ornaments were diamonds, and she carried a bouquet of Cornelia Cook roses.

There is no Lieutenant-Governor in New Jersey.

THE ACTOR AT REST.

Obsequies Over the Remains of John McCullough.

TRIBUTES FROM FRIENDS.

The Ceremonies at St. George's Hall, in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—After a private service had been held last evening over the remains of John McCullough, the tragedian, at the residence of his wife, 219 East Thompson street, the casket was removed to St. George's Hall and there laid in state. The public were admitted to view the body from 8 o'clock till 10:30 this morning. Last night's services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Robert Hunter, pastor of the Kensington Presbyterian Church, of which Mrs. McCullough is a member, and at the conclusion quite a large number of people were allowed to view the remains before being removed to St. George's Hall.

The casket was placed upon two black pillars. It was richly upholstered and had eight silver handles with a bright handrail on either side for the bearers to carry it by. It was lined with white silk. The head of the actor standing out from the soft pillows seemed to tower above the body, which, though it showed a big frame and wide shoulders, was shrunken and thin.

The casked lid, which was in a corner of the room, had on its plate this inscription:

JOHN H. MCCULLOUGH.
Died November 8, 1885.
In his fifty-third year.

At an early hour this morning a long line of people had assembled on Arch street near St. George's Hall waiting their turn to gaze upon the dead actor's face for the last time.

At 11 o'clock the public funeral ceremonies began. The officiating clergymen were Rev. Dr. MacIntosh and Rev. Robert Hunter. The combined orchestra of the Chestnut Street Theatre and Opera-House, under the leadership of Mr. Simon Hassler, feelingly rendered a selection, after which Dr. MacIntosh read a selection from the scriptures. Miss Bertha Rini then sang "Nearer, my God, to Thee." A quartette from Carncross' rendered "Jesus, Saviour of my Soul," after which Rev. Mr. Hunter delivered a touching address on the life of the deceased. After a solo by W. H. Morton, "After Toiling Cometh Rest," Dr. MacIntosh made an address, which was followed by the funeral oration by Henry Edwards, the comedian, for many years an intimate friend of Mr. McCullough. The body was then taken in charge by the Philadelphia Elks, who, accompanied by visiting members of the New York branch, escorted it to Monument Cemetery, where the burial service of the order was performed, and the remains deposited in a vault until their final resting place is decided upon. The following acted as pall-bearers: William Winter, Capt. William M. Conner, Henry Edwards, James W. Collier and John A. Cockerill of New York, M. W. Canning and William F. Johnson of this city, William H. Thomson of St. Louis, John B. Corson of Chicago, William J. Florence, Joseph Jefferson and Lester Wallack.

The Philadelphia Lodge of Elks had appointed the following as a guard of honor over the remains: William H. Wallis, John F. Wallis, Harry Enochs, William H. Daly, Louis F. Newkirke, John Von Gruben and Frank Moran.

The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. One from Thomas W. Keene was a Roman urn. It is nearly four feet high, and is composed of the choicest flowers. Garlands of ivy are festooned about the bowl. Another comes from Mrs. John Drew. It is a large pillow of camellias, lilies, roses and violets. Lawrence Barrett sent a crown of victory resting on a cushion of flowers. Over it hovers a dove. From Mr. Mackey, the millionaire, came a Vienna wreath. Emma Nev