

AMUSEMENTS.

THE NEW FARCEICAL PLAY. MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 12. Full of Fun and a Good Deal of Meat.

ROOMS FOR RENT. A fine three-story of Midsummer Success in New York at the Hotel will be given here this week.

HAVERTY'S MAMMOTH MINSTRELS. "Excelsior" in their new costumes they will be located at Ford's in their Customary Suits of sable.

NATIONAL THEATRE. GRAND OPENING, SEASON 1881 AND '82. During the vacation the house has been newly papered throughout, repainted, refrescoed, upholstered and re-carpeted.

MAMMOTH MINSTRELS. Reorganized and enlarged for the season of 1881-82.

ABNER'S SUMMER GARDEN. The regular concert season will close Saturday Evening, September 10.

TEMLER'S VIENNA LADIES' ORCHESTRA will commence a brief engagement TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13.

SUMMER THEATRE COMIQUE. Monday, September 5, Nightly and Tuesday and Friday Matinee.

HARRY MINNERS' COMEDY-FOUR CONSOLATIONS. Murphy and Mack, Murphy and Shannon, Carrie South, Valjean, Cool Burgess, the Remingtons, Captain Lible, Billy Carter, Frank Lewis, the Romes, the Little Four, in the best specialty bill of the season, concluding with MURPHY'S DREAM.

DRIVER'S SUMMER NIGHT CONCERTS. In this beautiful, cool garden, are nightly attended by lovers of music and mirth, and by those needing relaxation after business hours.

EXCURSIONS. SELECT SUNDAY AFTERNOON EXCURSION TO QUANTICO. ON THE PALACE STEAMER EXCELSIOR, SUNDAY, SEPT. 11, AT 3 P. M.

LAST OPPORTUNITIES TO VISIT OCCOAN FALLS. The steamer MARY WASHINGTON will leave her wharf for Occoan Falls following days only: Wednesday, Sept. 7; Sunday, Sept. 11; Monday, Sept. 12; and Wednesday, Sept. 14.

DIRECT TO LOWER CEDAR POINT. THE FINEST RESORT ON THE POTOMAC. Grabbing, Fishing, Boating, Salt-water Bathing, (New Bathing Suits and Shoes).

Norfolk and Fortress Monroe. Steamer Lady of the Lake. Leaves Sixth-street wharf Monday, Wednesday & Friday, 5.30 p. m.

Fauquier White Sulphur Springs HOTEL. This favorite resort will be OPENED JUNE 1st and closed October 15th. Information as to rooms and terms of board may be obtained from the National Hotel, Washington, after June 1st at Fauquier Springs, Va.

PROPOSALS FOR UNIFORMS AND HATS. DEPARTMENT OF METROPOLITAN POLICE, OFFICE OF MAJOR AND SUPERINTENDENT, 32 FOURTH-STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 10 o'clock on THURSDAY, 15th inst., at which time they will be opened to furnish this department with two hundred (200) more or less uniforms consisting of Overcoats of blue heavier cloth, Frock Coats of blue flannel, Vests of blue cloth, Pantalons of blue do, material to be of best quality indigo blue dye, to be cut in accordance with the regulations for uniforms to be worn by the Metropolitan Police Force.

Sealed Proposals will be received at same time for furnishing two hundred and twenty (220) more or less Hats, similar to sample on view at this office. Samples of material and hats must accompany bids.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Mark envelopes "Proposals for Uniforms" or "Proposals for Hats," as the case may be. Bidders are invited to be present at the opening. For further information apply to Capt. C. R. Vernon, Inspector M. E. at Police Headquarters. By order of the Commissioners J. C.

WM. G. BROCK, Major and Superintendent Metropolitan Police.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. WASHINGTON, Sept. 9, 1881. Tax-payers are hereby notified that the pamphlet containing the list of unpaid taxes for the year ending June 30, 1881, and other assessments previously due and in arrears, has been printed, and that a copy thereof will be delivered to any tax-payer applying therefor at this office, as provided by Act of Congress approved March 3, 1877.

DIAMOND-POINTED MACKINNON PEN. The most durable, simply constructed and best inventing, making provision of all later imitations. Sold by Geo. H. Herrick, agent, 228 F st.

THE SCHOOL OF LAW. Opens for the term of 1881-'82 WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, at 6 o'clock in the evening.

THE CONFIDENCE OF DR. BLISS. As stated in yesterday's Critic, Dr. Bliss has the greatest confidence in the recovery of the President. In fact, he stated yesterday that the patient was convalescing.

THE PRESIDENT WISHING TO SEE HIS CABINET. The President is reported to be cheerful and talkative. He looked out upon the sea for some time this morning and said he would like to take a dip, and added that he, at least, had that pleasure in prospect.

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PROSPECTS GOOD

For the President's Return to Health

Sea Air Doing a Good Work.

Bliss insists that Improvement is Great

The President Wishing to See His Cabinet.

PULSE AT NOON 98--TEMPERATURE 98.4

The Confidence of Dr. Bliss.

Mr. Blaine Somewhat Despondent.

It All Looks Encouraging This Afternoon.

THE DEPARTMENTS.

THE BULLET LOCATED.

EVIDENCE OF FAVORABLE PROGRESS.

THE PATIENT'S CONDITION REGARDED AS ENCOURAGING.

AN OLD SOLDIER'S BODY IN THE POTOMAC.

ANOTHER STOCK EXCITEMENT.

THE EMPERORS OF RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

THE SCULLERS AT TORONTO.

POPE AND KAISER.

REPORTED BATTLE BETWEEN THE FRENCH AND ARABS.

CURRENT HUMORS IN WALL STREET.

FINANCIAL.

TO-DAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS.

MINING STOCKS.

AMERICAN DISTRICT.

CHICAGO, HURLINGTON AND Q.

IND. ST. L. & O.

DE. LACKAWANNA & W.

IND. ST. L. & O.

PERSONAL.

CHIEF JUSTICE WAITE is at New London, Conn.

DR. J. W. F. WILLIAMS, of the Post-office Department, leaves to-morrow morning for Williamstown, Ohio, where he will deliver an address at the annual reunion of his family connections.

SIDNEY LANIER, the noted poet, author and musician, died in North Carolina, where he was visiting yesterday, of consumption. Although but 39 years of age, Mr. Lanier held a high position among the first literateurs of America and Europe. He was a Georgian by birth, but resided for the past ten years in Baltimore.

THE PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICANS.

In the convention at Harrisburg yesterday, a series of resolutions were reported and adopted which indorse the administration of President Garfield; promising active support in the execution of all public service, insisting upon faithfulness and honesty in every branch of the public service, and demanding that the work of the President in this direction should not be interrupted by the bullet of an assassin.

Gen. S. M. Bailey, of Fayette County, and W. T. Davies, of Bradford, were put in nomination for State treasurer. Bailey received 157 votes, and Davies 84. The nomination was made unanimous and the convention adjourned.

Mrs. Gaines Again Forced into Liti-

This afternoon Gaston T. Raoul, administrator of the succession of Mrs. Louise Hubert, widow of the late E. Warren Moise, filed his bill against Myra Clark Gaines. The plaintiff is a citizen of Louisiana, and he charges that E. Warren Moise, of Louisiana, as attorney-at-law for many years prior to his death in 1868, had been employed by defendant in her various suits against the estate of Daniel Clark; that he rendered valuable services in the probate of the will of David Clark and the subsequent proceedings to recover the property he left; that an agreement was entered into by defendant and the widow of Mr. Moise, \$25,000 on every \$100 of property left by Clark until the sum of \$10,000 was paid, and that since October 12, 1871, the plaintiff had recovered large sums and obtained possession of much property belonging to the estate of Daniel Clark, and she ought to pay over to the plaintiff 25 per cent. of the value of the property as agreed upon.

The bill then prays for an account that the contract be a lien on Mrs. Gaines' property for the amount aforesaid, and then concludes with certain interrogatories as to the amount of property so recovered as aforesaid by Mrs. Gaines.

The exhibit in support of the bill is a written acknowledgment of Mrs. Gaines' indebtedness to Mrs. E. Warren Moise, in the sum of \$10,000, for professional services rendered by E. Warren Moise in the probate of the will of Daniel Clark, her father, made in 1813, and in subsequent legal proceedings to recover the property left by him in 1813, and the acknowledgment is dated October 12, 1871, at New Orleans, La.

LONG BRANCH, Sept. 9--2:15 p. m.--The President has had a quiet day, and his symptoms are fully as favorable as yesterday. His pulse has gone up to 100 since noon, but is firmer and stronger. His temperature and respiration are near the normal range.

The expressions of hope are now general, and it is thought that the President has started on the road to recovery. At least everything now appears promising.

Dr. Boynton says the President is a little better to-day, but he does not agree with Dr. Bliss that he is convalescing. He says he wants to see a few days more of improvement before he will be prepared to give an opinion on the question of convalescence.

THE PRESIDENT WANTS TO SEE HIS CABINET.

ELBERON, Sept. 9--1:30 p. m.--The pulse at the noon dressing was 98; temperature, 98.4; and respiration, 17. Dr. Bliss says the previous improvement is fully maintained. The President has signified his willingness to see any member of the Cabinet who desires to call, and some of them will probably see him this afternoon for the first time since he was shot.

IT ALL LOOKS ENCOURAGING THIS AFTERNOON.

By National Associated Press.

LONG BRANCH, Sept. 9--The thermometer has kept below 90° to-day, and there has been enough sea-breeze to make the President's room comfortable. The closest inquiry fails to detect any unfavorable reports concerning the case. The gain is not rapid, but distinctly perceptible.

The usual examination was made at noon by Drs. Bliss and Hamilton. After it was over, the former said the pulse was 98; temperature, 98.4; respiration, 18. He added:

"You may say for me that the improvement is fully maintained."

Dr. Hamilton said the President was passing as good a day as yesterday. There has been no nausea and nothing unfavorable.

His action and general appearance denote a little gain of strength. Every one at Elberon is more encouraged this afternoon.

Dr. Agnew relieves Dr. Hamilton to-night. Owing to the inadequate postal facilities at Long Branch, Postmaster-General James has established a new post-office at the West End Hotel, and has appointed David M. Hildreth, one of the proprietors of the hotel, to the office of postmaster.

THE DEPARTMENTS.

NATIONAL BANK notes received at the Treasury for redemption to-day amounted to \$153,000.

MR. ROBERT S. GARDNER, Indian superintendent, arrived in Washington to-day from the San Carlos agency, and visited the Interior Department.

P. E. MORGAN was to-day appointed internal revenue stakeholder for the Sixth District of Kentucky, and L. D. Frost was appointed gauger for the First District of Minnesota.

SECRETARY KIRKWARD returned to the Interior Department to-day from Long Branch. He expresses himself as greatly encouraged in the case, and is manifestly sanguine of an early convalescence.

THERE WERE NO RETURNS OF RECEIPTS FROM INTERNAL REVENUE AND CUSTOMS FROM NEW YORK TO-DAY, owing to the fact that the office was closed. The receipts from other points were as follows: Internal revenue, \$494,436.47; customs, \$443,285.70.

A YELLOW FEVER CASE.—Information was received this morning by the Marine Hospital Service, that a case of yellow fever, the first of the season, has been reported. Dr. L. W. Lester, one of the local health officers at Key West, examined the patient several days since, and pronounced his disease to be an undoubted case of yellow fever. For this the authorities dismissed Dr. Lester, alleging that the man did not have yellow fever, and that the doctor was creating unnecessary alarm. An agent of the Marine Hospital Service has since investigated the matter, and reported that Dr. Lester was right. The patient has since died.

AN OLD SOLDIER'S BODY IN THE POTOMAC.

As a force of workmen started to work on the wharf of the Great Falls Ice Company, at the foot of Tenth street, at about 1 o'clock this afternoon, the dead body of an old man was seen drifting.

Several policemen soon arrived at the wharf, went out in a boat and picked up the body and rowed back to the wharf, where the corpse was laid to await an examination by the coroner, who was immediately summoned. The drowned man was quite old and wore soldier's clothes. He is supposed to have fallen from a boat accidentally or to have committed suicide. The fact that an inmate of the Soldiers' Home attempted to drown himself on Wednesday adds to the impression of suicide, and the superintendent of the Home will be called upon to see if he can identify the body.

The drowned soldier was subsequently identified as John A. Bowers, who was saved from a similar death on Wednesday, by the mate of the Arrowsmith, who saw him floating in the river. Bowers was several days since the Soldiers' Home yesterday, and nothing was heard of him from that time until the body was found this afternoon.

London's mayor is a Methodist.

DASHED TO DEATH.

A Railroad Train Precipitated into the Names of the Killed and Wounded.

ANCHORAGE, Ky., Sept. 9.—The entire train of two coaches, baggage car and engine, which left Louisville at 5 o'clock last evening is in the creek near this station. It struck a cow about fifty feet from the west end of the bridge, which caused it to leave the track and fall thirty feet from the bridge to the bed of the creek. The train is a total wreck. The list of killed includes an unknown man from California, Mr. Perry, bookkeeper at Applegate's, Louisville; Col. Noel, of Shively; Dr. Jones, of Shively; Walter Scare, of Shively, and a Mr. Jones, of Shivelyville. Charles Buchanan, of Louisville, is also reported among the dead. There are supposed to be two or three other dead bodies under the wreck. Among the seriously injured are Alex. Alford, lawyer, 113 Fifth street, Louisville; Fireman Mr. Gibson and others. Few persons on the train escaped without injury. Conductor Pety, Engineer Hannaker and Baggage Master Huntington are injured.

A PARTY OF FIVE.

Participants in an Excursion Engulfed by the Mountains.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 9.—Two Indian murderers, known as Amos and Abner, and three whites, Wm. Brown, George W. Padgett and Patrick McGowan, also murderers, were hanged at Fort Smith this morning. Immense crowds had come from the surrounding country to witness the execution, which was a public affair, and which, it is believed, was viewed by no fewer than 15,000 persons.

The Emperors of Russia and Germany.

DANTZIG, Sept. 9.—The Emperor William is now here, awaiting the arrival of the Czar. The latter's yacht was delayed by a severe fog, which at present prevents the possibility of breaking away. The Emperor will postpone the embarkation until to-morrow.

The Scullers at Toronto.

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 9.—The heats of the single-scull professional race were rowed this morning. In the first heat Ross came in first, Ten Eycke second. In the second heat Conley was first and Courtney second. Leo came in first in the third heat, with Harrison second.

Pope and Kaiser.

BELIN, Sept. 9.—So rapidly has the reconciliation between the government and the Vatican advanced that it is reported on good authority that it is contemplated to re-establish the Prussian legation at the Vatican.

Reported Battle Between the French and Arabs.

PARIS, Sept. 9.—There is a rumor that a severe engagement has taken place between French troops and Arabs at Hamamet, the result of which is yet unknown. Further advices are awaited with great anxiety.

Current Humors in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—There was great gratification expressed at the Windsor Hotel and at the clubs yesterday, over the unexpected favorable news from Elberon. A considerable number of leading stock operators have, within a day or two, returned here from the interior and abroad, and a more active and stronger market shortly was the average prediction. Some of the more conservative traders, who are usually bulls, said that they were, however, inclined to await the course of events for a few days longer before doing much. They were a little inclined to hesitate until the Hannibal pool matters were over the way, and something further had developed in the new cut in passenger rates.

An intimate friend of Mr. Vanderbilt, just from Saratoga, declared the latter was fully determined to have his share of the New England passenger business, and that rates could be made available, but his attempt to freeze out the Baltimore & Ohio and the Pennsylvania Central from a territory in which they have no geographical rights. President Keepe, of the Northwest road, was at the Windsor yesterday, and said the business of this company had never been greater in its history. The company is building two or three extensions, two of them being short lines. Mr. Porter, of the Chicago & Omaha, now on his way home, said the granger roads would not this year feel the effect of the