CITY INTELLIGENCE.

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CITY CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

A Would-be Policeman—A Vicious Animal—A Malicious Youth—Alleged Larceny—Arrested on Suspicion—Assaulting his Wife—Interfering with a Policeman.

—John Toner, for some reason or other, was removed from the police force some time ago, but retained his buttons. Yesterday, in the vicinity of Seventh and Shippen streets, he raised a small row, and insisted upon arresting a female, who sent up a yell which attracted the attention of Policeman Camac, of the Seventeenth District, to the spot. The would-be official was taken into custody, and after a hearing before Alderman Bonsall was held in $800 bail for trial. In addition the city's buttons were stripped from his coat.

—James Hushwood is the owner of a vicious dog. Yesterday, while roaming through the western part of the city, the animal bit a gentleman and lady, and it is alleged that James urged the brute on. Policemen Jordan and Rider, of the Park force, were notified of the presence of the cur, and they, before many minutes had elapsed, succeeded in discovering his whereabouts. As they approached him he made for them, but a bullet from a revolver put an end to his existence. The owner was taken into custody, and was held by Alderman Jones in $800 to answer at Court.

—A lad named Fitzpatrick yesterday amused himself while standing on the Fairmount Reservoir, with pelting pedestrians on the walks below, with bits of stone. Park Policeman Warren overhauled the youth and took him before Alderman Pancoast, who required him to produce bail in $400 for malicious mischief.

—Burroughs Rich yesterday appeared before Alderman Hood and complained that he had been relieved of a watch by one Gilbert Smith, with whom he had been skylarking on Girard avenue, near Twelfth street. The accused was arrested, and being given a hearing, was committed to answer.

—Adam Carter (colored) has been sent below by Alderman Bonsall on the charge of being implicated in the stabbing of George South about a month since, at a house in Spafford street.

—S. C. Creeland, a resident of the upper part of the city, was in a lager beer saloon on Third street, above Columbia avenue, yesterday afternoon, with one Lewis Grest. The latter left the place, when Creeland charged that he had stolen from him a gold watch and $25. Grest was subsequently taken into custody, and sent below by Alderman Neill for trial.

—The allegation against William Hummell yesterday before Alderman Massey, was that he had met a woman who claims to be his first wife, at Ninth and Parrish streets, and knocked her down. The woman states that she was married to him a long time ago, but finding that he was very disorderly left him, since which time he has been living with another female who bears his name. The magistrate concluded to hold him for assault and battery.

—Policeman Hickley yesterday took charge of John Belzer, at Twenty-first and Coates streets, for being drunk and disorderly, whereupon Henry Belzer, the father of the aforesaid individual, interfered. The policeman was felled to the pavement. He however secured both and locked them up. Alderman Pancoast required them to give bail for their appearance at court.

Little Nothings.—Clouds still o'erhang. For several days umbrellas have been fast friends.

—Our sporting taverns were full of the "fancy" last evening, discussing the chances of the mill between Collyer and Edwards. The Collyer men had it all their own way. When the despatch came about midnight, however, announcing his defeat, their tails dropped rather quickly. At one place we saw $700 change pockets in less time than you could say "Jack Robinson."

—So umbrageous are the trees which surround the Old Pennsylvania Hospital on Spruce street that they bade defiance to the faint moonlight last evening. Not a ray penetrated. You could only tell the coming of a man by the spark of his cigar; the coming of a woman by the rustle of her feathers.

—At Seventh and Walnut streets, yesterday afternoon, a nice little scrimmage occurred between some half dozen juveniles of the fairer gender. It was about some kindling chips. You can bet that nails were sharpened and that the hair flew.

—Very many of our country-siders and sea-siders have returned. Promenades will soon be animated with sun-burnt belles, and the familiar bricks on Chesnut street will trip the familiar feet of our fair ones, as was their wont.

—It is a Scriptural hint never to look behind. Notwithstanding we think it would be no great sin for the ladies to take a glance in that direction now and then. We saw one yesterday trailing a whole newspaper.

—There are still scores of hand organists grinding out music in our streets daily. A half dozen often get into the same square—and the result is a lively state of the harmonic art.

—The "Grant and Colfax" meeting to-morrow night at Passyunk road and Wharton street, promises to be a grand outpouring.

—Eight cases were admitted to the Pennsylvania Hospital during yesterday. A literal "chapter of accidents."

—The pretty flowers at Fairmount are beginning to fold their leaves and hang their heads. Their day is waning.

—The consciences of many people are gutta-percha affairs. They will stretch a mile before tearing an inch.

—Mrs. Shallow says that she don't like Dickens at all—the children are always trying to play it.

—One of our dealers proposes to put up a lot of fruit in *can-cans*. A French idea that.

—There are far more "dead beats" on our streets than in our markets.

—Popular root with young men—cheroot.

A Fight with a Burglar—A Lady Badly Injured.—The residence of Richard Berry, a policeman of the Second District, is on Annapolis street. Last night about 11 o'clock, while he was upon duty, a thief entered the house through the second story rear window, which was reached by means of a shed. While going through the upper rooms he made somewhat of a noise, which attracted the attention of Mrs. Berry, who was sitting down stairs. Being of a fearless disposition, she took a lamp and went up stairs. After reaching the landing the burglar jumped for her, but she kept him at bay for a little while. He finally succeeded in grabbing her by the throat, when she made good use of the lamp, which made considerable of a racket as it fell to the floor. This evidently frightened the scoundrel, for he then let go of her, and kicking her savagely in the stomach, jumped from the window and made his escape. Mrs. Berry fell to the floor, and is now lying in a very critical condition.

Target Practice.—Yesterday the Weccacoe Legion proceeded to Cottage Grove, on the Delaware, for target practice. The prizes were won by the following gentlemen:—

First, "Smyth" medal, by Private Joseph M. Brown.
Second, "Lyndall" medal, by Private A. J. Fisher.
Third, Company medal, by Private Joseph Ellis.
Fourth, Silver-mounted rifle, by Private Peter Schoch.
Fifth, "Barr" prize, by Orderly Sergeant Peter Gillis, Jr.
Sixth, "Lenoir" prize, by Private Thomas Sonat.
Seventh, "Watt" prize, by Private Peter Alexander.
Eighth, "Martin" prize (Leather Medal) by Private George Lansinberger.

A Bon Fire.—In repairing the gas pipe at Seventh and Vine streets yesterday, the workmen left a leak still existing in the pipe. By last evening the gas had proceeded through the earth, and was escaping to such an extent that some mischievous youth applied a match. The result was a bon fire which continued until the gas was shut off.

Casualty.—James Murphy, while laboring under the effect of intoxicating drink yesterday afternoon, fell from the staging erected at the Turbine wheel-house, at Fairmount, and injured himself very severely about the head and hip. Park Policemen Robertson and Warren escorted him to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Habeas Corpus Case before a United States Commissioner.—This morning at 11 o'clock, a man named Alfred Pickering, who had been committed to prison by Alderman Carpenter, of this city, upon the charge of passing a counterfeit $10 Treasury note, had a hearing, upon a *habeas corpus*, before United States Commissioner Aubrey H. Smith.

Mr. Kain testified that he keeps a fishing tackle and variety store at No. 111 South street; that on the 17th inst. the relator entered his place and made a purchase—in payment of which he tendered a $10 note; that he saw at once that it was a counterfeit; asked the relator if he had any other money; relator said he had not; that he then sent his wife with the note to another store, and while she was absent asked the relator where he had procured it; relator said from the Bank of Wilmington, where he had an account; relator then inquired if it was a counterfeit, and was informed that it was; relator then said that he did not know how he would get over to Camden, as that was all the money he had; witness then said that he would keep the note; and asked the relator to give his name and residence, telling him that if he would return on the following day with any respectable citizen he could get the note back; relator gave his name and said that he worked for a man named Dowding in North Camden; relator then went away and came back early the next morning; witness saw him in the store, but did not address him; witness went out the back way, and a policeman at Second and Lombard streets, but when he returned found that the relator had gone; witness and the policeman overtook him at Front and Lombard streets, and arrested him; the relator made no attempt at escape; the relator was then taken to the Station House, where he had a hearing before Alderman Carpenter, and was committed in default of $1000 bail; witness afterwards saw him at the prison, and asked him if he knew any one in this city, and was referred to a merchant on Front street, who gave him an excellent character, and stated that he was of a highly respectable family at Wilmington.

Officer Benjamin Bailey testified that he was called upon to arrest the relator by Mr. Kain, and corroborated the testimony of that gentleman as to the time and manner of making the arrest; and further stated that he searched him at the Station House and found $4 75 in an account book which he had in his pocket, all good money; the charge was then preferred before Alderman Carpenter, who committed him in default of bail; at the Station House he stated that he got the counterfeit from his brother-in-law at Centreville, Chester county, for whom he worked at harvesting; that he made a mistake when he said that he drew the note from the Wilmington Bank, but that he did have some money in that bank; when committed the relator gave witness letters to his brother in Wilmington, and to his brother-in-law, which letters caused them to come to this city.

It not being considered worth while to prosecute the relator, the Commissioner discharged him.

The Fire Department.—Last evening, at a stated meeting of the Directors of the Fire Department, the following nominations for Chief and Assistant Engineers of the Fire Department were made:—

FOR CHIEF ENGINEER.

Terrence McCusker, Moyamensing Hose Co.
George Downey, Western Engine Co.
Edwin T. Jones, Pennsylvania Hose Co.

FOR ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

First Fire Division—George Heppard, Perseverance Hose; James Pollock, Harmony Engine; William L. Foreman, Weccacoe Engine; William Sweeney, Niagara Hose; Joseph Searles, Good Will Engine; Thomas H. Pete, Hope Hose; Francis Fox, Hibernia Engine.

Second Division—John C. Flood, Good Will Hose; John H. Fleming, Independence Engine; George Hensler, Mechanic; William Staggart, South Penn Hose; Thomas McClelland, Taylor Hose; Harrison Donnelly, Lafayette Hose; Lewis Buck, Liberty Hose.

Third Division—Joseph H. Conoly, Washington Engine; Daniel Williams, Franklin Engine.

Fourth Division—Benjamin C. Curry, Mount Airy Engine; George W. Fox, Columbia, of Germantown; Charles C. Worrall, Congress Engine, of Chesnut Hill.

Fifth Division—G. W. Day, Monroe Engine; William Kirk, Mantua Hook and Ladder; Joseph B Smith, Kingsessing Engine; James L Wilson, West Philadelphia Hose.

Moonlight Excursion to Atlantic City.—General D. H. Mundy, the active and efficient ticket agent of the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company, gives his eleventh annual moonlight excursion to Atlantic City, on Saturday evening next. The boat leaves Vine street wharf at 8 o'clock P. M., and returning leaves Atlantic City on Monday morning, at 4 o'clock, arriving in Philadelphia at 7 A. M. Fare for the round trip $1·50. The friends of the General are legion, and we expect to see one of the largest trains that has ever gone over the road.

A Drowning Case.—On Sunday evening, Mr. Patrick Shields, aged sixty years, residing at No. 1928 Sansom street, left home for a walk, and later in the evening his dead body was found in the Schuylkill river, at Shippen street wharf. It is supposed that his drowning was the result of accident.

Fatal Casualty.—About 12 o'clock to-day an unknown man aged about sixty years, while riding on the top of a load of hay was struck by the bridge at Twenty-third and Market streets, and was so severely injured that he died in a short time. His body is at the Sixth District Station.

The Alexander Respite.—Sheriff Lyle this morning proceeded to the cell of Alfred Alexander, the man who was to have been hung this morning, and read to him the respite granted by Governor Geary until the 8th of September next.

TEXAS.

Stoppage of a Train and Attempted Robbery of $300,000.

A Brownsville (Texas) correspondent, writing on the 13th instant, relates that on Monday night, the 10th instant, a conducta from Monterey, with $300,000 in specie, was attacked within three miles of Matamoros by six desperadoes, who succeeded in taking possession of the train. The guard, acting as escort to the treasure, consisting of thirty men well armed with Henry rifles, were either surprised and overcome, or perhaps had a private understanding with their assailants beforehand, and were overcome by the prospect of sharing the rich booty with the captors. The six daring outlaws, however, succeeded in getting possession of the treasure, and would, no doubt, have succeeded in carrying it off and secreting it, but one of the escort, more daring than the others, opened an attack on the robbers by firing on them from one of the wagons. He succeeded in shooting one of them named Miguel Ramirez, through the head, and in wounding another seriously. On this show of pluck and success, the remainder of the escort rallied around their intrepid leader, and succeeded in arresting four of them. Among the latter is a desperado named Abram Garcia, who, it is said, is long known as a robber and assassin under the *nom de guerre* of Caballo Blanco.

About a year ago the young man Ramirez was under indictment for the murder in the District Court of this place, but discharged by *nolle prosequi* because the evidence against him was insufficient to sustain the charge. His father is a wealthy old miser, and like several others of the robbers he is connected with some of the most influential families in Matamoros. His dead body, perforated by two bullets, was exposed at the calaboose all day Tuesday.

The fellow Caballo Blanco, whose crimes are said to be almost incredible from their number and audacity, has been demanded from the custody of General Palacios, the military commandant, by the civil authorities, and the former has surrendered him for no other known reason than that it is supposed he has influential backers in Matamoros, who hope thus to save him from certain punishment and, perhaps, themselves from exposure as accomplices in some of his crimes.

THE MORMONS.

How They Crossed the Great Plains.

A correspondent of the Meadville (Pa.) *Republican* writes from Wyoming county:—

"On my trip from Omaha to this city I became acquainted with a Mr. and Mrs. Woods, on their way to Salt Lake, and although not in reality Mormons themselves, many of their relatives were, and they were in charge of one of these Mormon trains.

"In Mr. and Mrs. Woods I found most agreeable companions, and many a mirthful joke passed over the prospect of Mr. Woods accepting the Mormon faith on his arrival at Salt Lake; a joke, however, that Mr. and Mrs. Woods could not fully appreciate.

"From Benton the Mormons left the cars and proceeded to a point four miles north, on the north fork of the Platte river, where there were some two hundred and fifty or three hundred wagons and families waiting their arrival before commencing the long, wearisome journey. Being urgently invited to go out to camp with them, I accepted; and having seated ourselves in a huge emigrant wagon, which we had specially chartered, we were soon on our way over the mountains, and out of hearing of the music of the dance-houses, and the boisterous profanity of gambling hells, always heard in the streets of Benton. We arrived at the encampment just at the dinner hour, and arranging our toilet (?) we soon availed ourselves of the invitation to 'set up' and make ourselves 'at home.' So, as our lamented Ward would say, 'we set!' Our 'bill of fare' was not just the one our friend Sidney Colt would place before the hungry traveller, but the condition of our stomach, and the novelty of the place conduced to make this homely repast really enjoyable. Our seats and table consisted of gunny bags spread on the ground, our cutlery a butcher knife, our chinaware an old smoky tin plate, a two quart basin, or pan as it is known in Pennsylvania, for our coffee cup, and our 'bill of fare' was coffee, bread and bacon. This bread is rolled and baked in ashes and coals over a wood fire, and though not so light as I have tasted, it was really very palatable.

"Dinner over we took a stroll about the encampment, visiting the different wagons, and talking with many of the families who are mostly poor emigrants, but there were a few very intelligent and respectable families.

"It was amusing to read the various inscriptions seen on the covered wagons, such as 'There is liberty in Zion,' 'A lode of gearls wanted,' The girl I left behind me,' etc. etc. I learned, however, that this was done by mischievous boys on the train. We spent the afternoon in this way and in walking along the banks of the Platte, where we found some beautiful specimens of moss-agate, a very fashionable and handsome setting of jewelry, and much superior to anything I have yet seen.

"At a certain hour in the evening the bugle sounds, and all descend from the wagons and form themselves in a circle, when a brother steps out to the centre, and with eyes and hands uplifted, and with a fervency seldom heard, for fifteen minutes implores the blessing of God to rest upon his people. Imagine five or six hundred people, in the darkness of night, lit up only by the fires which they had kindled and the stars from heaven, far from civilization, out on the broad plains with the heavens for their shelter, formed in a circle, with heads bowed and uncovered, listening to and engaging with a brother in prayer, who from his fervency we have no right to believe insincere, and you have one of the most impressive scenes I ever witnessed.

"After prayer the 'old folks' retired to their wagons, while the more agile and youthful ones remained to while away a few hours in a dance upon the green; and they engaged in it with a joy that knew no bounds, and rude and awkward as they were, in this dance I saw displayed a genuine politeness that many of our Eastern and more polished ball-goers might learn and profit by.

"Having witnessed all there was to be seen, I bade adieu to my Mormon friends, and returned again to Benton, which was now in all its prosperity and brilliancy."

CHARLESTON.

The Preservation of Law and Order.

The Charleston (S. C.) *News* of Saturday last says:—

"A meeting of a number of the prominent citizens and tax-payers of the city was held at the Hibernian Hall yesterday afternoon. Mr. Daniel Ravenel was called to the chair, and General Conner stated the objects of the meeting. He said that there was hardly a man present who did not realize the anomalous and perilous condition in which the community was living. There was not within the State a single Court organized for the trial of offenders. The municipal authority was, by its own confession, powerless. Every protection which the law formerly afforded was swept away, and yet at the same time a large portion of the population was actuated by a spirit of lawlessness, and incited by bad men to deeds of violence, in order that political capital may be manufactured to influence the Presidential election. Nothing but the forbearance and self-control of our people had thus far arrested a conflict. The evil was clearly apparent. What was the appropriate remedy was not so clear. A few gentlemen had endeavored carefully to consider the question. The wisest course that they could suggest was that a number of the responsible and influential members of the community should address their fellow-citizens, setting forth truthfully the dangers which threatened them, counseling forbearance, and yet earnestly advising them to prepare themselves to protect their persons and property; and that Hon. J. B. Campbell should be requested, on behalf of his fellow-citizens, to present the address to the President of the United States, and request him to take such measures for the preservation of the public peace as in his judgment may be deemed proper.

General Conner then read the address which had been prepared, and which, on motion, was adopted and signed by all present, and ordered to be published.

Copies of the address are left at the office of the *Daily News, Mercury*, and *Courier*. All of our fellow-citizens who are disposed to lend their aid to the preservation of law and order, are invited to sign the address.

GRANT AND SHERMAN.

From the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

"General Sherman has refused to commit himself for Grant in a public speech.—*World*."

The following is from Sherman's address before the annual meeting of the Army of the Tennessee:—

"After a whole year of toil and battles, varied in adventure that would fill a volume, that renowned fortress (Vicksburg) succumbed at last to the army and navy, led by two heroes that have no superiors in any country; and both of whom still live to reap the reward of their labors—Grant and Porter."

The following was General Sherman's speech at St. Joseph:—

"Gentlemen:—Mr. Grant and myself know how to appreciate any spirit of respect, but neither General Grant nor myself are to be disconcerted by any large crowd. We are used to large crowds, and we cannot be disconcerted. General Grant has declined to make a speech, and I think, occupying the position he does before the country, he acts the part of wisdom.

"Gentlemen, I do not in general counsel violence, but were I a citizen of St. Joseph, I would take that man (referring to the one who cheered for Seymour and Lee), down to the Missouri and duck him. We have fought Rebels, and we thought they had enough of fighting."

The following are extracts from Sherman's letter of March, 1864, to Grant, congratulating him upon his triumphs:—

"You are now Washington's legitimate successor, and occupy a position of almost dangerous elevation, but if you can continue, as heretofore, to be yourself, simple, honest, and unpretending, you will enjoy through life the respect and love of friends and the homage of millions of human beings that *will award you* a large share in securing to you and their descendants a Government of law and stability. * * * * I believe you are as brave, patriotic, and just as the great prototype, Washington—as unselfish, kind-hearted, and honest as a man should be, but the chief characteristic is the simple faith in success you have always manifested, which I can liken to nothing else than the faith a Christian has in the Saviour."

Philadelphia Trade Report.

Tuesday, Aug. 25.—The Flour Market presents no new feature, and only a hundred barrels were taken by the home consumers in lots at $7·50@8·25 for superfine; $8·50@9 for extras; $10 50@11·25 for Northwestern extra family; $11·50@11·75 for Minnesota do. do.; $11@12 50 for Pennsylvania and Ohio do. do.; and $13@14 for fancy brands, according to quality. Rye Flour is selling at $9 50 ℔ barrel. Nothing doing in Corn Meal.

There is a moderate degree of activity in the Wheat Market at yesterday's quotations; sales of 8000 bushels at $2·25@2 35 for fair to prime Pennsylvania, Delaware, and Indiana red; and $2·40 for amber. Rye may be quoted at $1·65@1 70 ℔ bushel for new and old Pennsylvania. Corn is unchanged; sales of 3000 bushels Western mixed at $1·22@1 24; the latter rate for strictly choice. Oats are arriving quite freely, and prices are weak; sales 1500 bushels new Pennsylvania at 70@73c., and 1500 bushels old do. at 85c. Nothing doing in Barley or Malt.

Bark is steady, with sales of No. 1 Quercitron at $55 ℔ ton.

Whisky is without change.

THIRD EDITION

LATER FROM EUROPE.

Marine Disasters—The Market Reports.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

By Atlantic Cable.

The Afternoon Markets.

London, August 25—3 P. M.—Consols and stocks unchanged.

Liverpool, August 25—3 P. M.—Cotton steady. Wool, yarns, and Manchesters firm but quiet. Breadstuffs firm. California Wheat 12s. 8d.; red No. 2 Milwaukie 10s. 10d. Corn firmer at 3s. 9d. Peas and Oats dull. Provisions unchanged.

London, August 25—P. M.—Consols 94¼ for money and account. Erie, 31½; Atlantic and Great Western, 38⅜; Illinois Central, 91; Five-twenties, 71¼.

Liverpool, Aug. 25—P. M.—Cotton steady. Breadstuffs quiet and unchanged. Rosin steady. Turpentine heavy.

London, August 25—P. M.—Sugar heavy and declined to 35s. 3d. on the spot, duty paid, and 24s. 9d. to arrive.

Antwerp, August 25—P. M.—Petroleum lower. The last sales were made at 50½.

Marine Disasters.

London, August 25.—Marine disasters from the recent gale are still reported. The ship Favorite, from Liverpool for New Orleans, was seen by an incoming vessel off the coast of Ireland, dismasted and in a sinking condition. The crew refused to leave the ship.

Murder in Baltimore County, Md.

Baltimore, Aug. 25.—A man named Michael Doyle, residing near Towsontown, Baltimore county, was shot and instantly killed by John Carroll, a neighbor. A pig of Carroll's got into Doyle's corn-field. Action was brought against Carroll for damages, and the trial was had on Saturday, after which, as the parties were returning home, a quarrel ensued, resulting in the killing of Doyle, as above stated. Carroll was arrested, and is now in Towsontown Jail.

Fire in Bangor.

Bangor, Me., August 25.—At 11 o'clock last night a fire broke out in a building containing the stores of B. Cohen and A. E. Pote, entirely destroying it. The next building, occupied by O. F. Patten, Norcross & Withers, and Horton & Withers, J. Cunningham, and M. C. Trask was badly damaged by water. The buildings were owned by Dr. Knowles and S. Clark.

Races in New Jersey.

Somerville, N. J., Aug. 25.—The races at this place are in full blast, and some of the finest trotting over any track in this section is being made.

On Wednesday the celebrated horses Rhode Island, George Palmer, and Panic, from Rochester, will compete for a large premium.

Arrest of New York Thieves.

Buffalo, Aug. 25.—George Clarke, John Ray, and Moses Lee, New York thieves, have been arrested here. Gold certificates for $11,000, that had been stolen from Robert J. Walker, were found in their possession. They leave here at 2·30 this afternoon for New York, in custody of detectives.

Reunion of the Army of the James.

Boston, Aug. 25.—Preliminary arrangements have been made for the contemplated reunion of the officers of the Army of the James, in this city, on the 2d of September next. The committee having the matter in charge consists of General S. A. Osborne, Colonel C. C. Fuller, Dr. Ainsworth, and Captain C. A. Brooks.

Markets by Telegraph.

Baltimore, Aug. 25.—Cotton quiet and nominal at 30c. Flour dull and prices weak, but not quotably lower. Wheat active and declined 5c.; prime to choice $2·15@2 70; good to fair $2 25@2·35. Corn firm: white, $1 20@1 22. Oats dull at 65@70c. Rye firm at $1·40. Provisions unchanged.

New York, August 25.—Stocks steady; Chicago and Rock Island, 98; Reading, 90¼; Canton, 45¼; Erie Railroad, 48⅞; Cleveland and Toledo, 97; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 85; Pittsburg and Fort Wayne, 106; Michigan Central, 119; Michigan Southern, 82⅝; New York Central, 124⅛; Illinois Central, 144; Cumberland preferred, 130; Virginia 6s, 52¼; Missouri 6s, 92½; Hudson River, 136; U. S. 5-20s, 1862, 112⅝; do. 1864, 108¼; do. 1865, 110; do. new, 107¼; 10-40s, 108. Gold, 145¼. Money unchanged. Sterling Exchange, 109⅞.

New York, Aug. 25.—Cotton quiet at 30@20½c. Flour heavy, and declined 10@15c.; sales of 7000 barrels; State, $6·30@9 40; Ohio, $8·50@12 25; Western, $6 81@9 75; Southern, $8 50@14·65; California, $10@12. Wheat dull, and declined 1@2c. Corn easier; sales of 38,000 bushels at $1 12@1·22. Oats firm; sales of 18 000 bushels at 77c. Pork quiet at $28 70. Lard quiet at 18¾@19. Whisky quiet, 71.

FINANCIAL ITEMS.

The New York *Herald* this morning says:—

"The gold market has been strong and moderately active to-day under a good demand to cover 'short' contracts as well as on speculation for a rise. The extreme fluctuations were from 144⅝ at the opening to 145⅝, with the closing transactions prior to the adjournment of the Board at 3 P. M. at 14⅝. Subsequently the demand increased and sales were made as high as 145¾, and the latest quotation on the street was 145⅝@145¾. Loans were made from 'flat' to three and a half per cent. for carrying. The Sub-Treasury disbursed $8,000 in coin in payment of interest on the public debt. The imports of specie at the port from foreign ports last week were valued at $282 745, making a total of $4,956,109 since the 1st of January. The gross clearings amounted to $11,2?2,000, the gold balances to $1,225,617, and the currency balances to $1 802,840. The fact that we have shipped about sixty-four millions of the precious metals from this port since the 1st of January, and that the balance of coin belonging to the Government in the Treasury has fallen considerably below the average imports, gives an upward tendency to the premium. Added to these causes we have another in the continued preponderance of our foreign imports over our exports. While the imports at this port for the week ending on the 21st instant were valued at $6,664,290 in gold, the exports of domestic produce were valued at only $2 772,663 in currency; and herein we have the key to the shipments of specie, notwithstanding the large amounts of five-twenties and other national securities which we have sent to Europe. To such an extent of late years have these been exported that it is now estimated that seven hundred millions are held abroad. But above all commercial considerations in immediate importance is the financial question, the agitation of which during the coming Presidential campaign can hardly fail to stimulate the upward tendency of gold. Even such men as Senator Sherman are found advocating semi-repudiation doctrines, and the question arises, what next?"

—The New York *Tribune* this morning says:—

"Money is in abundant supply at 3@4 per cent., with large balances left on call at the lowest rates. The wants of brokers are very moderate, and a large amount of idle capital still remains.

"Sterling exchange is more active at quotations:—London, 60 days, 109¼@109½; London, sight, 109⅝@109¾; London, prime commercial, 108⅞@109; Paris, long, 5 17½@5·16¼; Paris, short, 5·15@5 13¾; Antwerp, 5·18¾@5·17½; Swiss, 5·18¾@5 17½; Hamburg, 36@36¼; Amsterdam, 41@41⅛; Frankfort, 40⅞@41; Bremen, 79½@79¾; Berlin 71½@71¾."

—Judge Thomas of the Virginia Circuit Court, in the case of the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company, against the Washington, Alexandria, and Georgetown Railroad Company, has rendered a decree turning over the road between Washington and Alexandria to the former Company, and appointing Commissioners to ascertain the liabilities, etc. This decree militates against the decree of Judge Underwood of the United States District Court and further complicates the litigation. Meantime the road is run by the lessees.

New York Stock Quotations, 2 P. M.

Received by telegraph from Glendinning & Davis, Stock Brokers, No. 48 S. Third street:—

N. Y. Cent. R.	123¾	Pitts. F. W. and Chi. R. R.	106⅜
N. Y. and Erie R.	48⅝	Mil. & St. Paul com	69¼
Ph. and Rea. R.	90¼	Adams Express	47⅛
Mich. S. and N. I. R.	82½	Wells Fargo	27⅝
Cle. and Pitt. R.	85¼	U. S. Express Co.	42¼
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Toledo & Wabash,	52		

FOURTH EDITION

WASHINGTON.

The Troubles Between Commissioner Rollins and Secretary McCulloch—The September Session of Congress.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The September Session.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Officers of the Senate and House, although they have no official notification of a session of Congress in September, are making full preparations for a meeting. They are of the opinion that the pressure from the South, together with the Internal Revenue Commissioners' difficulty, will secure a quorum here on the 21st of September.

The Revenue Supervisors.

It is probable that before the Supervisors are appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury it will be necessary for the Attorney-General to give an opinion as to the proper construction of the new Internal Revenue law. Mr. McCulloch holds that the word "may" in the law leaves it optional with him to appoint parties recommended by the Commissioners.

Acting Attorney-General.

In the absence of Mr. Evarts, Hon. J. Hubley Ashton is acting as Attorney-General. Mr. Ashton is now engaged in preparing several opinions called for by the President and heads of Departments, some of which are important.

Commissioner Rollins and Secretary McCulloch.

It is stated that at a Cabinet meeting to-day the question of suspending Mr. Rollins was discussed at some length.

Secretary McCulloch threw the whole blame of the non-appointment of the Supervisors upon Rollins, and expressed the opinion that the Revenue service suffered while he remained in the Cabinet.

FROM BOSTON.

Visit of the Celestials—A Railroad Catastrophe.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Boston, Aug. 25.—The Chinese Embassy have visited the various mills in Lawrence to-day, where they were well received by a large crowd of citizens, and hospitably entertained by the managers of the town. They were provided with an extra train over the Boston and Maine Railroad to and from the scene of their visit.

The Norwich line steamboat train from New York, was thrown from the track on the Boston and Albany Railroad at Allston this morning. A passing team caused the accident, the wagon being smashed to atoms, and the horse killed, the driver escaping with a few bruises. The English compartment car was badly smashed, and a couple of passenger cars behind it were also damaged. The passengers were shook up in a lively manner, and badly frightened, but none of them sustained serious injuries.

Hearings at the Central Station.—This afternoon, before Alderman Beitler, at the Central Station, William Kane was charged with highway robbery on John Kelley. On Saturday night last, about 10 o'clock, in Marriott street, between Seventh and Eighth, Kane, in company with another fellow, stopped Kelley and asked him for a quarter. Kelley gave the quarter, when he was asked it that was all the money he had. He said "Yes," but had hardly pronounced the word before he was knocked down by somebody behind him. While upon the ground the fellows went through his pockets and secured about $.0. The accused was committed in default of bail.

John Crout was charged with the larceny of a piece of muslin from the store of Rickey Sharp & Co., No. 720 Chesnut street. He hailed from Baltimore.

C. J. Stetler, clerk in the store, testified that the goods were stolen, and identified the prisoner as the thief.

Crout was chased and captured. Held in $1000 bail.

John Guy, a negro, hailing from Delaware City, and Charles Brooks, also a negro, hailing from Greencastle, had a hearing upon suspicion of the larceny of two gold watches. Detectives Levy and Tryon arrested them. Case continued.

Valentine Kyle charged with the larceny of a large amount of cut, but unmade clothing, was up on a further hearing. Persons connected with a number of the firms which had been swindled were present and identified the prisoner. Held in $300 bail.

Hearing Before the Recorder.—A man named John Dillon has been held for a further hearing by Recorder Given, upon the alleged charge of an attempt at picking pockets. He was arrested by the Recorder's detectives, Charles and R. R. Smith, on a Sixth street car, at Sixth and Poplar streets.

New York Stock Quotations—3·45 P. M.

Received by telegraph from Glendinning & Davis, Stock Brokers, No. 48 S. Third street:—

N. Y. Cent. R.	124⅛	Pacific M. S. Co.	100¾
N. Y. and E. R.	49¼	Western U. Tel.	33⅝
Phil. and Rea. R.	90⅜	Toledo & Wab.	51⅞
Mich. S. and N. I. R.	82¾	Mil. & St. P. com.	70
Cle. and Pitt. R.	85	Adams Express Co	48¼
Chi. and N. W. com.	80⅝	Wells, Fargo & Co.	27⅜
Chic and N. W. prf.	80⅝	U. S. Express	42⅛
Chi. and R. I. R.	97⅞	Tennessee 6s, new	62
Pitts. F. W. and Chi. R. R.	106⅜	Gold	144⅝
		Market firm.	

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$1000 Leh 6s, gold l...ls.	88	40 do.	53⅛
$1100 do.......c.	87¾	100 sh Read.......b5.	45¼
$500 Pa 6s, 3 series	109	100 do....b30wn.	45¼
$3000 5-20s '67....cp.	106¾	100 do..reg&int..	45¼
$3500 do '65.Jy.cp.	107½	100 do......b30..45	3-16
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THE LATEST NEWS.

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THE EUROPEAN MARETS.

The Latest Quotations.

By Atlantic Cable.

London, Aug. 25—Evening.—Consols, 94¼ for money and account; Five-twenties, 71¼; Erie, 31½; Illinois Central, 91; Atlantic and Great Western, 38.

Frankfort, Aug. 25—Evening.—Five-twenties, 74½.

Liverpool, Aug. 25—Evening.—Cotton closed firm and more active. Sales to-day 12,000 bales. All other articles closed unchanged.

London, Aug. 25—Evening.—Petroleum firm; Linseed oil advanced to £31 10s.

The Knights Templar.

Washington, Aug 25.—A committee on behalf of the Washington Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar of the District of Columbia, have addressed a letter to the President respectfully requesting that he will cause an order to be issued granting leave of absence for nine days, commencing on September 12, to such Knights Templars in the Executive departments as may desire to be present at the memorial conclave of the Grand Encampment of the United States, to be held at St. Louis on September 15. The President has referred the request to the different heads of departments, and recommended it to their favorable consideration, as far as may be consistent with law and the public interests.

The New York Councilmen.

New York, August 25.—At 11 o'clock to-day the Councilmen appeared before Judge Barnard to answer for contempt of Court. Richard O'Gorman appeared for the Councilmen, and after an argument and explanation the Judge said the Councilmen might consider themselves purged of contempt and paroled to appear at 11 A. M. to-morrow.

The Attempted Murder in the Broadway Theatre.

New York, August 25.—The parties engaged in the murderous shooting affair in the Broadway Theatre last night were taken before Judge Shandly to-day, and all fully committed to await the result of the injuries they had inflicted.

Shipment of Specie.

New York, Aug. 25.—The steamship Saxonia takes out $390,685 in specie.

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