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From Last Night's Sporting Extra:

STOCK REPORTS.

The Share Speculation Quite Dull and Weak To-Day.

The share speculation was dull and somewhat weaker this morning. London did very little here, but the West was inclined to be bullish and bought a few stocks on report that the weather in the corn belt for the past thirty-six hours has ranged from 84 to 95 degrees and is still hot.

The professional element, however, was bearish on the alleged elimination of the short interest, and they sold the leading issues.

The decline ranged from ¼ to ⅝ per cent., but before midday a rally took place. Rock Island and Western Union were especially firm.

Judge Gresham, according to a despatch from Indianapolis, has granted the petition for a receiver for the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City Railroad, provided judgments for $200,000 standing against the road are not paid by Sept. 10 next.

The steamship Werra brought £53,000 gold coin to Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co. The gold will be shipped to Cuba to pay for raw sugar bought for American account.

The sterling exchange market was weaker owing to lower discounts in London.

Stocks were decidedly weaker during the last hour, and prices made a general decline under the leadership of Burlington & Quincy, which sold at the lowest figures yet touched. The trader's hammered the list freely and met with more success than usual.

Louisville & Nashville "rights," which sold yesterday at 1¾, broke to 3/16, the stock fell off in sympathy.

Notice is given that the Richmond & West Point Terminal & Warehouse Company's 6 per cent. trust bond coupons, maturing Aug. 1, will be paid at the Fourth National Bank.

It is stated that August Belmont & Co. will ship 325,000 ounces of silver bullion by Saturday's steamers.

Exchange was firm for demand at 4.86¾ a 4.87, and it is believed that some gold will go forward by Saturday's steamers. The amount, however, is shrouded in mystery, as orders may come from London and Paris to-morrow.

The sales at the New York Stock Exchange were 106,900 shares of listed stocks and 70,600 ounces of silver.

The Closing Quotations.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Amer. Sugar Ref	79¾	79¾	79	79
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	32¾	32⅞	32¼	32¼
Buffalo, R. & Pitts	35¼	35¼	35¼	35¼
Canada Southern	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Chicago Gas	49⅝	49⅝	48⅝	48⅝
Chic., Bur. & Quincy	83¾	83¾	82¾	82¾
Chic. & Northwest	104¾	104¾	104¼	104¼
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	63⅝	63⅝	63⅛	63⅛
Chic., Rock Is. & Pac.	72¼	72¼	71⅝	71⅝
Chic. & Eastern Ill.	64	64	64	64
Clev., Cin, Chic. & St. L.	60	60	59¾	59¾
Colorado Coal & Iron	30⅝	30¾	30⅝	30⅝
Del., Lack & West.	133¾	133¾	133¾	133¾
Delaware & Hudson	128¼	128¼	128¼	128¼
Dis. & Cattle Feed	46¼	46¼	46¼	46¼
Ellisn Genera. Electric	104	104¾	104	104
E. Ten., Va. & Ga. 2d pf	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Great Northern pref	89	89	89	89
Iowa Central pfd	24	24	24	24
Lake Shore	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
Lake Erie & Western	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Long Island	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
Louisville & Nashville	71¼	71¼	70¾	70¾
Louis. & Nash. "rights"	1⅛	1¼	3/16	3/16
Manhattan consol	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Missouri Pacific	66	66	66	66
Nat. Cord Co.	87¾	88	87¾	88
Nat. Cord. Co. pref	99¾	100	99¾	100
Nat. Lead	17⅞	17⅞	17¼	17¼
New Jersey Central	111	111	110¾	110¾
New York Central	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
N. Y. & New England	33	33⅛	32⅞	32⅞
N. Y., C. & St. L. 2d pf	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
N. Y., Susq. & West	7	7	7	7
Northern Pacific	23	23	23	23
Northern Pacific pref	64	64⅝	64	64
North American	13⅝	13⅞	13⅝	13⅝
Ontario & West	16	16	16	16
Ore. & West. Point Ter.	13⅝	13⅝	13	13
Oregon Short Line	35	35	34¾	34¾
Oregon Nav.	83	83	82¾	82¾
Pacific Mail	43	43	42¾	42¾
Pullman Palace Car	185	185	184	184
Reading	37⅞	37⅞	37⅛	37⅛
Rich. & West Point Ter.	13¾	13¾	13	13
Rio Grande W. pref	68	68	68	68
St. Paul & Duluth pref.	90	90	90	90
St. P., Minn. & Man	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
Silver certificates	100⅞	101	100⅞	101
Southern Pacific	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Texas Pacific	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
Ten. Coal & Iron	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Union Pacific	42⅞	42⅞	42	42
Wabash	10¼	10¼	10	10
Wabash pref	22⅞	23	22⅝	22⅝
West. Union Tele	87	87	87	87
Wheeling & Lake Erie	31	31¼	30⅞	31¼
Wheeling & Lake Erie pf	73⅞	73⅞	73½	73⅞

Mining Stocks.

The following are the closing quotations of mining stocks at the Consolidated Exchange to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Alice	1.50	1.75	Lead, con	.60	.65
Adams con	1.75	2.00	Little Chief	.27	.35
Astoria	.01	—	Mexican	2.00	—
Aspen M. & S. Co	2.00	—	Ontario	.25	—
Bodie	.15	—	Martin W.	—	2.50
Bulwer	.20	.30	Monitor	.02	—
Sassick	.05	—	Navajo	.30	—
Breese	.25	.35	North Star	—	5.00
Brunswick	.09	.10	Phoenix	—	.70
Bim'nt G'd	.78	.80	Ontario	38.00	40.00
Cal. & H.	.65	.75	Ophir	—	3.50
Carpenter	.20	—	Original & Oriental	—	—
Col. Con.	—	1.50	Miller	—	.07
Col. & H.	.02	—	Plymouth	1.75	2.25
Com'w'th	—	.70	Phoenix'd	.12	.20
Com. T. Co.	—	—	P. Arizona	.40	—
Stock	.15	.17	Rappahan	.01	—
Bonds	—	40.00	Robin con	.05	.10
Scrip	30.00	—	Savage	1.40	—
Dunkin	—	.02	Sierra Nev.	2.50	2.40
Dead. Sec.	1.20	1.35	Standard	—	1.00
Del Monte	—	.40	Sutro Tun'l	.05	—
El Cristo	.40	.55	Stormont	—	.08
Emmett W. & M. Co.	—	.75	Silver Cord	—	.20
F. De Sota	.25	.30	Sim'l Hopes	.50	—
Freeland	—	.12	Silver M. of Lake V	—	1.00
Homestake	11.00	—	Shoshone	.01	—
Horn Silver	3.20	—	Tioga	—	.50
Iron Silver	1.00	—	Ward con	.18	.25
Iron Hill	.16	.20	Yel'w Jac't	1.30	—
La Cresse	.68	—			

The Cloak Firm May Yield.

The strike at Messrs. Oppenheim & Collins's cloak factory will probably be settled to-day. The firm asked for a conference with the Strike Committee this afternoon, and it is believed that the strikers' demands will be acceded to.

Sick Children's Excursion.

The seventh trip of the Floating Hospital of St. John's Guild for this season took place to-day. One thousand and forty-six sick children and their mothers enjoyed a day's outing. This trip was given by the New York Newsboys' Board of Trade.

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SORRY SHE SCRATCHED HIM.

Wishes She Had Not Waded Into the Sea to Pull Her Rival's Hair.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 23.—To-day's engrossing topic in every quarter is the hair-pulling, face-scratching affair in the surf, in which Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Baker, of New York, and a young woman, whose identity is concealed, were the participants.

It occurred yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Baker, who is a very pretty woman, discovered her husband bathing with the beautiful unknown, and disregardful of her elegant Summer costume, rushed into the water and attempted to assault her supposed rival.

She was prevented by her husband from reaching the other woman, but she scratched Mr. Baker's face artistically until he forced her back to the beach and gave her into the care of a policeman.

The other woman bathing scudded out into deep water. An EVENING WORLD reporter saw Baker at the Brighton to-day. He said:

"Ever since last March my wife has been mentally unbalanced. She often has spells of lunacy and threatens me with bodily harm. She is jealous, which fact makes our life very embarrassing.

"Tuesday, with one of the young ladies of the house, I went in bathing. My wife learned of it and took me to task. She then packed up, saying she was going to New York, but did not go.

"Last evening I went walking on the board walk with a young lady. My wife was watching me, I have since found.

"Yesterday afternoon, with the children, I went down to the beach and went in bathing with this same young lady, who happened to be there.

"I knew nothing of my wife's presence until she charged upon me in the water with her good clothes on."

At this juncture Mrs. Baker entered the room with her oldest child, a boy of ten years.

"You're trying to make out that I'm out of my head, are you?" she said to her husband. Turning to the reporter, she said:

"This story of my being crazy is a fixed-up arrangement by Mr. Baker to get sympathy. I guess the people on the beach didn't take his part much, though I overheard somebody say: 'Good! Glory be for spunk,' when I sailed into him. 'If I had been her I would have given him a horsewhipping,' said another woman.

Mrs. Baker said she intended to go to New York Tuesday, when she left the house, but afterwards concluded to stay around and watch the head of the family.

"The fact is the first time I have had trouble with him," said she. "We were up in the Catskills last Summer and he went star gazing and moonlight walking with pretty women.

"He was a fool for jealousy. That's all right; but I have a right to be jealous when I have caught him flirting with other women."

Mrs. Baker says she is sorry the affair of yesterday occurred, but she doesn't expect to "make up" very soon.

Baker declared that he didn't mean anything wrong; that he doesn't think that his conduct was questionable.

The woman with whom he was bathing has left Asbury Park.

The Bakers are well to do, and have been coming here many years. Bakers father is a prominent Methodist clergyman, who is now in ocean Grove with his family. The Bakers are still at the Brighton.

BITTEN AND KICKED TO DEATH.

George Ross's Terrible Encounter with an Infuriated Horse.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 23.—George Ross met a horrible death yesterday. His employer sent him out to drive a stray horse from the yard.

When Ross approached, the horse rushed at him and bit him in the forehead and cheek. He started to run, and the horse knocked him down and attempted to trample on him.

Ross succeeded in jumping to his feet and tried to escape, but the horse pounced him and biting at his shoulder, tore a large piece of flesh from it.

The man's agonizing screams attracted the attention of a negro, who picking up a piece of rail, started towards Ross on a run.

Before he could reach him the horse had knocked Ross to the ground and this time struck on him the head with his hoof, instantly killing him.

Just as the negro arrived he tripped over the rail and fell, striking his head on a stone and becoming unconscious. The horse paid no attention to the negro. The infuriated beast was shot.

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BROOKLYN.—61, 315, 601, 1,031, 1,207, 1,371 **Broadway**; 4, 169, 655 **Myrtle ave.**; 199, 245, 257, 619 **Grand st.**; 95, 131 **Fulton st.**; 258, 324 **5th ave.**; 48, 214 **Columbia st.**; 197 **Flatbush ave.**; 351, 369 **Manhattan ave.**; 69 **Reid st.**; 203 **Bridge st.**; 95, 183 **Hamilton ave.**; 340, 360 **Van Brunt st.**; 589 **Washington ave.**; 95 **Greenpoint ave.**

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TRUST BOOKS IN COURT.

Produced in Taylor's Suit to Dissolve the Trust.

Proceedings were continued this morning before Judge Cullen in Supreme Court, Brooklyn, in the application to have the Brooklyn Sugar Refinery company dissolved.

Julius A. Stursberg, a trustee, produced the minute book containing a record of the trustees' meeting Jan. 9, 1891, relating to the transfer of the Brooklyn Company to the American Sugar Refineries Company. He also showed a list of consents signed by the stockholders.

The stock certificate book of the Brooklyn Company was produced. It showed that the Trustees held 2,950 shares; H. O. Havemeyer, 10; Theodore Havemeyer, 10; William Dick, 9; J. O. Donner, 10; R. W. De Wardiner, 1, and Julius A. Stursberg, 10.

On cross-examination he admitted that there was another stock-book which had not produced. He does not know where it is. He estimated the value of the Brooklyn Sugar Refining Company property before it was transferred at over $2,000,000, but the only assets the company has now is the $300,000 in Trust bonds it took at the time of the transfer.

Witness also identified Taylor's trust certificates for 195 shares, and admitted that under the agreement of Nov. 30, 1887, he had delivered to all stockholders, except Taylor, the certificates held in trust.

He also admitted that Taylor had offered a check for $5,400 and demanded the return of his certificates, and that he, the witness, refused to take the money or give up the stock.

The case was not finished up to recess.

SOLD TO EASTERN CAPITALISTS.

Detroit's Street Railways Bought Through a New York Law Firm.

DETROIT, Mich., July 23.—The whole system of the Detroit street railways, over eighty miles in length, has to-day been purchased by Walker, Cook & Wagner, corporation lawyers of Wall street, representatives of a New York and Boston syndicate, for about five millions of dollars. This will probably end the raging street railway war in Detroit.

Mr. S. Harrison Wagner, of the law firm of Walker, Cook & Wagner, corroborated the above despatch and said the other firm has been in negotiation with the Detroiters for the last three or four months, and today we were given possession of the entire railway system in that city.

Besides Mr. T. M. Walker, of Connecticut, and Mr. Cook, are in Detroit, and their arrival there on Tuesday brought the matter to a climax. I am not at liberty to give the names of the gentlemen composing the syndicate."

CRASHED INTO THE FREIGHT.

Engineer, Disregarding Signals, Dies With Hand on the Throttle.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LEHIGH, N. J., July 23.—By a collision between a Northern Central freight and a Lehigh Valley passenger train in this city at 10.40 o'clock last night one man was killed and two others badly injured.

The Lehigh, a local train, was entering the city, as was also the freight. Engineer Bolkins, of the Lehigh, ignored the signals and crashed into the rear of the freight.

The freight cars were smashed into kindling wood, the locomotive was struck and thrown down a bank, and the track torn up for a second and third distance.

Engineer Bolkins remained at his post and was found dead under the wreck of the cab with his hand on the throttle. He must have been instantly killed. He had a wife and several children at Waverly.

John Hughes, of Waverly, a baggage-smasher, was fatally injured. Mr. Williams, of Waverly, the fireman, escaped from check and scalds.

Tumbled from a Second-Story Window.

Eight-year-old Jason Golden fell from the second-story window at 56 Forsyth street to-day and was badly hurt. He was taken to Gouverneur Hospital.

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ITEM 2—1,200 NORFOLK PLAITED WAISTS, with belts, are to be sold Saturday for a mere song; perfect goods, the stock of a downtown factory. Last week you would and did pay 50c. and 75c. To-morrow all you want until 1,200 are sold, **25c.**

ITEM 3—ON SALE 8.30 A. M.—One hundred dozen Ladies' UNDERGARMENTS, CHEMISES, GOWNS, DRAWERS, CORSET COVERS. The goods you have been paying 55c., 69c., 75c. and 98c. for. Saturday choice **39c.** Not over four garments to customer. Remember that 1,200 garments may be sold in few hours.

ITEM 4—Special sale Saturday before inventory of TABLE LINENS. 200 dozen Napkins, 500 dozen Towels, Sheets, Muslins. Fruit of Loom, **5½c.**—8.30 to 12 A. M. only.

ITEM 5—ALL FINE VALUES.
50 dozen Men's Seamless Cotton HALF HOSE, **7c.** pair.
60 dozen Colored Balbriggan SHIRTS, drawers to match, the celebrated "Otis Brand," worth 60c.; Saturday, **25c.**
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SING KEE MAY BE A LEPER.

Suspicious Ailment of a Ridge Street Laundryman.

A report was current this morning that another Chinese leper had been discovered, in the person of Ling Kee, who keeps a laundry at 35 Ridge street.

It appears that the story was started by a remark made by Justice Duffy, before whom Kee appeared as a witness in the Essex Market Court yesterday.

Kee is suffering with some other disease than leprosy, and his face is covered with eruptions. This caused Justice Duffy to exclaim:

"Are you a leper too?" and he added: "The Board of Health should look after you."

Kee was at work at his washtub to-day when an EVENING WORLD reporter saw him. He said he had been sick for two months, but did not know what was the matter with him. He had no doctor.

Dr. Cyrus Edson, to whom the matter was reported, said he would investigate the case.

SHIRT-MAKING BY CONVICTS.

A Trojan Delegation Protests Against It to the Governor.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALBANY, N. Y., July 23.—Gov. Hill to-day gave a hearing to Mayor Whelan and prominent city officers of Troy, including the members of the Troy Common Council, on a remonstrance adopted by the Troy authorities against the shirt-making industry as now followed out in Clinton Prison.

Corporation Counsel Roche, as spokesman for the delegation, asked the Governor's influence to either have no prisoners at all engaged in the shirt industry or that the number be reduced to 100.

The Governor said he would refer the matter to the Superintendent of State Prisons.

Mr. Roche read the last monthly report filed in the Comptroller's office, showing that Senator Emerson's brother received a commission of $11,000 on the sales of shirts for Clinton Prison, and charged that the defeat of Mr. Ingram, who, limiting the number of convicts to be employed in the shirt industry to 100, was defeated through the influence of Senator Emerson.

TO TEST ELECTROCUTION LAW.

The Grand Jury to-day reported a true bill of indictment against Charles O'C. Hennessy, city editor of the *Daily News*, for violation of Section 507 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, in publishing an account of the details of the recent electrocutions in Sing Sing.

Mr. Hennessy is charged in the indictment with misdemeanor. Detective Sergt. Van Gerichten was sent to arrest Mr. Hennessy, who will be required to give bond in the sum of $500 to stand trial.

DROWNED THEIR PLAYMATE.

Two Boys Held For Murder by a Camden Coroner's Jury.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CAMDEN, N. J., July 23.—At the coroner's inquest to-day in the drowning case of Perry Jordan, a colored boy, 14 years of age, the testimony showed that the boys Joseph Gibbs and Lemuel Waddes held Jordan under water until he was exhausted and then left him to drown.

The jury held the boys responsible, and they will answer at court.

Not for Begging, but Disorderly Conduct.

Charles Wolinsky, of 62 Pike street, says that he had Bridget McGuinness arrested and sent to the Island last Thursday not for asking alms, but for disorderly conduct.

FIRED ON A FRENCH CORVETTE

Serious Mistake of the Chilian Insurgent Boat Esmeralda.

(SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

PARIS, July 23.—Advices from Valparaiso say that the French corvette Voltra was fired upon twice by the Chilian insurgent warship Esmeralda, near Coquimbo Bay, being mistaken for one of Balmaceda's boats.

The French Admiral has demanded an apology from the insurgents, which is more than likely to be made, as the Congressionals are more than anxious to be on good terms with France.

GARBAGE ON ARVERNE BEACH.

Comptroller Myers Complains, and Commissioner Beattie Replies.

Comptroller Myers has written a letter to Street-Cleaning Commissioner Beattie in reference to complaints received from the property owners at Averne-by-the-Sea of the presence on the beach of garbage and refuse dumped by the Department scows.

The comptroller is staying at Arverne, and he testifies to the abominable condition of the beach.

Several affidavits, he said, have been made by residents of the nuisance, and he asked Mr. Beattie to take steps to remedy things at once.

The reply of Commissioner Beattie was forwarded to Comptroller Myers this afternoon. It suggests that if the property owners have any knowledge of the violation of the law by crews of the scows or tugs, that they file such evidence with him.

He claims that since April 7, 1890, there has been but one complaint made against the scows of his department, which investigation showed to have been the result of an accident.

As to the dead animals on the beach, he says that he is powerless to take cognizance of them as the removal of dead animals from thickly is solely within the jurisdiction of the Board of Health.

WILL GIVE HIM TIT FOR TAT.

Mayor James A. Bradley, of Asbury Park, has undertaken to enforce Sunday closing in that popular Summer resort. He has issued a notice to the effect that unless the drug and cigar stores there are hereafter closed on Sundays he will rule their trade by establishing booths in the park and on the street corners, selling the same wares offered by the dealers at cost price or less.

This notice and determination on the part of Mayor Bradley result from the fact that Asbury Park drug and tobacco dealers kept their stores open last Sunday in spite of the Mayor's threat to prosecute them if they did business on that day.

The dealers say that if the Mayor carries out his present threat they will retaliate by causing the arrest of all the employees at Mayor Bradley's bathing-houses who do business on Sunday.

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