THE COURTS

AFTER HIS SWEETHEART WITH A WRIT.

Judge Van Brunt, yesterday in the Supreme Court, granted a writ of habeas corpus in favor of Anna Schaab, age about fourteen years, and upon the petition of her exemplary lover, Karl Theodore Kurz. The writ is directed to William Schaab, a brother of the alleged prisoner. The petition recites, with entirely naive and refreshing frankness, that Karl Theodore Kurz was formerly a school-teacher in Reissen, Germany. Anna was his pupil. He fell in love with Anna, and it would soon have been better for Anna's reputation if he had had that Platonic control over his feelings which becomes his calling. When he found out what he had done and that he could not prevent Anna's parents from finding it out, he went to them and confessed that he loved Anna. To avoid scandal it was arranged that he should marry Anna, and before that time they should emigrate with her to America, where ways and manners were easy. They did come to America and went to live as husband and wife at Anna's brother's house. A short time ago he rented a furnished room, intending to put his relations with Anna on a sound legal basis, and to go to housekeeping. One day, while he and Anna were at William's house, William took Anna away and confined her in another room. Anna screamed and protested, but all to no avail. When William had Anna secured, he came back and assaulted him and compelled him to flee over the roofs of the houses and into the distant street, and so back to his furnished room.

HUTCHINSON'S BOOKS OPEN TO MR. DUFF.

In the suit brought some time ago in the Supreme Court by John R. Duff against William J. Hutchinson to compel an accounting in regard to certain extensive sales and purchases of stock alleged to have been made by the defendant for Mr. Duff, Justice Haight yesterday rendered a decision in which he held that Mr. Hutchinson must allow Mr. Duff to inspect certain books and papers alleged to contain information material and necessary to Mr. Duff's case. The order requires that the documents be filed with the clerk of the court within ten days, and are to remain on file for ten days.

COURT CALENDARS—AUGUST 28.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—Before Potter, J.—Nos. 2, 3, 7, 11, 124, 151, 153, 1 8, 173, 192, 216, 217, 222, 281, 6, 22, 68, 128, 133, 137, 159, 174, 184, 186, 204, 205, 221, 224, 225, 226, 230, 232, 234, 235, 236, 237, 38, 239, 240, 241.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM—Before Donohue, J.—Foote vs. Spencer.

BLIGHTED ANTICIPATIONS.

From The Detroit Free Press.

A colored man o'er white head about seventy summers had passed, was quietly but earnestly wrestling with a watermelon near the market, when he was disturbed by the appearance of a small boy of his color. The boy sat down on a box and looked grudgingly at the melon, and the old man looked up at him and queried:

"Young man, I reckons I could give you half dis mellyon an' hab plenty left."

"Thanks, uncle."

"But I shan't do it, kase it might be de spilin' of ye. In de fust place, de law am plain an' clar on de p'int dat what I leave behind goes to my natural heirs. In de second place, a passon widout anticipashun mus' be dreffully onhappy. As de case now stands you anticipate. You anticipate dat half dis yere mellyon will stuff yer inf an' I'd have to leave all de rest. You anticipate dat I'll git choked on de seeds, or git sun-struck, or be packed oy de colic. As de mellyon gradually disappears you'll anticipate cat I won't gnaw de rinds werry clus. As de rinds disappear you'll console yerself wid de lack dat de seeds am left. As I wrap de seeds up in my handkerchief you'll reckon on lickin' de bo'd whar' de mellyon was sut an' eaten, but as I lif' up dat bo'd an' gin ye a whack on de back ye'll anticipate better, dan to crowd in whar' ye ain't wanted. Now you skip!"

"Hulloa what's this noise about?" queried a slouchy looking character to the doorkeeper of a dime museum show. "That is the most wonderful, expert, etc., Mons. eur Bouetava is now beating the tattoo." "Give us a ticket then quick," exclaimed the interrogator, and procuring the desired bit of pasteboard, in he went. Shortly the man returned and swaggering up to the agent remarked; "Say, young fellier, you think you're smart, don't yer? If I wasn't a-feard I'd spoil the drum. That row wan't nothin' but skinny a pounding the drum, and I tlought he was jamming the tattooed man. So I went. The agent now addresses his cultured auditors in plain English to avoid further mistakes.—[Boston Courier.

STATE OF TRADE.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, August 27.—Cotton steady; Middlings, 10½c. Flour steady. Howard Street and Western Superfine, $2 25@$2 50; do. extra, $4 00@$6 50; do. Family, $5 25@$6 00; City Mills super, $3 25@$3 75; do. extra, $4 00@$5 00; do. do. Brands, $6 00@$8 50. Patapsco Family, $6 75. Wheat—Southern Red, $1 14@$1 15; do. Amber, $1 14@$1 18. No. 1 Maryland, $1 17. No. 2 Western Winter Red nominal. Corn—Southern, $1 14½@$1 14½. Oats—Southern, White 62@65c. Yellow, 63c. Western Mixed 60@61c. August, 61½c. Oats quiet—Southern, 30@38c. Western, White 34@37c. Rye steady, 62@63c. Pennsylvania, 34@37c. Rye steady, 65@66c. Hay firm. Prime to Choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $18@$19. Provisions—Mess Pork, $13 00. Bulkmeats, Shoulders, 7½@8c. Clear Rib Sides, packed, 7½@8c. Bacon—Shoulders, 8½c. Clear Rib Sides, 9c. Hams, 14½@16½. Lard—Refined, 10½. Butter—Western Packed, 8@16c. Creamery, 18@26c. Eggs firmer at 20@20c. Petroleum dull; Refined 7½@7½c. Coffee steady; Rio cargoes, Ordinary to Fair, 8¾@9½c. Sugar steady. A soft, 8½c. Copper—Refined quiet at 14½c. Whiskey, $1 18½. Receipts, Flour, ——bbls. Wheat, ——bu. Corn, ——bu. Oats, ——bu. Rye, ——bu. Shipments none reported.

BUFFALO, Aug. 27.—Flour steady; City Ground, New Process, $7 50@$8 00. White Winter, $6 50@$6 75. Amber, $5 75@$6 25; Straight Minnesota Bakers, $5 75@$5 50; No. 1 Bakers, $5 50@$6 75; No. 2 do, $4 75. Rye, mixed, $3 00. Graham, $5 50@$6 00; Western Straight Minnesota bakers, $6 00. Choice Minnesota, $5 75@$6 25. White Winter, $7 75. Oats was unsettled. Nothing doing in other grains. Railroad freights to New-York—Wheat, 7¾. Corn, 7.20. Oats, 4½c. Flour, 24c. per bbl. Canal freights stronger. Corn, 5½c. Wheat to New-York, 6c. Oats, 3½c. Fine Hams, 16c. Lard, 10c. Rye to Albany, 8½c. New-York, $2 40 per m. Staves to New-York, $1 37½ per ton. Railroad receipts—Flour, 3,000 bbls. Wheat, 32,000 bush. Corn, 41,000. Oats, 11,000. Barley, 4,000. Rye, ——. Lake receipts—Flour, 9,000. Wheat, 322,000 bush. Corn, 96,000 bush. Oats, 36,000 bush. Barley, 3,000. Rye, 1,000. Canal receipts—Flour, 1,000 bbls. Wheat, 48,000. Corn, 71,000. Oats, 9,000. Barley, 3,300. Rye, ——. Total canal shipments to tidewater—Wheat, 425,000 bush. Corn, 259,000 bush. Rye, 41,000. Oats, ——bush. Barley, ——.

CHICAGO, August 27.—Regular Wheat to-day was in moderate demand and strong. Corn was active, firm and higher. Oats were fairly active and firm. Pork was firm and in good demand and closed higher. Lard was fairly active.

Flour—Common to Choice Spring Wheat, $3 50@$5 00. Common to Fancy Minnesotas, $5 50@$6 25. Dakotas, $6 [illegible] Winter Wheat, Fair to Choice old, $4 00@$5 00. Bakers, $3 25@$3 75. Low Grades, $2 [illegible]. Southern Illinois and Missouri, $4 25@$5 00. Michigan, $4 00@$5 25. Regular Wheat higher; $1 01½ August $1 02½@1 02⅞ September; $1 03¾@1 03⅞ October; $1 05⅝ November; $1 01½ all the year. No. 2 Chicago Winter Red, $1 04½@$1 05 cash; $1 04½@1 05 Sept; $1 05 Oct. No. 3 do, 90c. No. 2 Red Winter, $1 06½. Corn firm 51½c cash 51½c. August; 50⅝@50⅞c. September; 50⅝c. October; 46@46¾c. all the year. Oats steady at 27½c. cash; 27⅝c. August; 26⅞c. September. Rye lower at 56½c. Barley quiet at 62@63c. Flaxseed lower at $1 30. Butter quiet. Creamery, late to fancy, 15@18c.; Dairies, good to choice, 12@16c. Eggs quiet at 16½@17c. Pork in fair demand $12 02½@$12 15 cash; $12 12½@$12 15 August and Sept; $12 27½@ 2 30 October; $11 65@11 90 November; $11 75@11 80 all the year; $12 30@12 32½ for January. Bulkmeats—Shoulders, 5.75c.; Short Rib, 8.00c.; Short Clear, 7.15c. Whiskey steady at $1 10. Receipts—Flour, 7,000 bbls. Wheat, 11,000 bush. Corn, 391,000 bush. Oats, 214,000 bush. Rye, 17,000 bush. Barley, 3,400 bush. Shipments—Flour, 9,000 bbls. Wheat, 59,000 bush. Corn, 601,000 bush. Oats, 127,000 bush. Rye, 14,000 bush. Barley, 2,200 bush.

CINCINNATI, August 27.—Flour dull and in fair demand; Family, $4 50@$5 10. Fancy, $5 40@$6 00. Wheat demand heavy at $1 07½ September; October $1 09⅝. Receipts, 26,000 bush. Shipments, 21,000 bush. Corn steady at 52c Spot. Oats steady at 28½@29c. Rye dull at 57c. Provisions quiet; steady at $13@$13 25. Barrel pork firmer; held at $13 00. Bulkmeats—Shoulders, 5.75c. Clear Rib, 8.00c. Bacon steady. Shoulders, 7c. Clear Rib, 7.50c. Clear, 8.00c. Whiskey firm at $1 13. Butter steady; Choice Western Reserve, 15c.; Choice Central Ohio, 14c. Sugar easier. Hards, 9@9¼c.; New-Orleans, 6⅞@7¼c. Hogs quiet; Common and Light, $4 10@$5 65. Packing and Butchers', $4 75@$5 25. Receipts, 1,200 head. Shipments, 1,700 head.

DETROIT, August 27.—Flour weak at $5 00@$5 75. Wheat firm; No. 1 White Fall cash, $1 08; August, $1 12; No. 2 do, $1 04; No. 3 do, $1 03½; No. 2 Red Winter, $1 09½. Rejected, 87½c. Corn—No. 2, 54c. Oats—No. 2 White, 30c, No. 3 do, 34c. Receipts, 45,000 bush. Shipments 62,000 bush.

MILWAUKEE, August 27.—Flour no demand; Spring Extra $2 90@$5 00. Low Grades, $3 25. Patents, $7 50. Wheat strong; No. 2 Milwaukee Hard, $1 00½; do., Soft, cash, $1 00½; $1 00½ August; September, $1 01⅛. Corn dull—No. 2 50⅝c. Rejected, 47c. Oats—No. 2 at 30c. White, 31c. Rye lower; No. 1, fresh, 57c. No. 2, 56c. Barley—No. 2 Sept, 56c. No. 3 do. Extra new, 52c. Provisions higher; Mess Pork, $12 10 cash and September; $12 20 Oct. Lard—Prime Steam, 8.35c. cash and September; October, 8.30c. Live Hogs firm at $5 00@$5 32. Freights—Wheat to Buffalo nominally at 2½c. Butter—Choice, 19@20. Cheese steady. Eggs nominal. Receipts—Flour, 16,000 bbls. Wheat, 11,000 bush. Barley, 1,000 bush. Shipments—Flour, 3,000 bbls. Wheat, 1,000 bush. Barley, 500 bush.

ST. LOUIS, August 27.—Flour quiet; XXX, $4 25@$4 50; Family, $5 30@$5 60; Choice, $4 00@$5 00. Fancy, $5 20@$5 35. Wheat lower; No. 2 Red Fall, $1 04½@$1 04⅞ cash; $1 04⅝@$1 05 August; $1 05@$1 05⅛ September; $1 06@$1 06⅛ October; $1 10@$1 10⅛ November; $1 04⅞ all the year. Corn higher; cash sold at 46⅝c. 46¾c Aug; 46⅞@46c. Sept; 46⅝c. October; 42½c. all the year. Oats lower at 25⅝c. cash 25c. September; 25⅛@25⅛c. all the year. Nothing doing in rye or Barley. Butter steady; Dairy, 12@17c.; Creamery, 18@26c. Corn-meal quiet at $2 20. Whiskey steady at $1 14. Pork quiet at $12 75. Bulkmeats—Long Clear, 6.80; Short Rib 7.60c. Short Clear, 7.25c. Bacon—Long Clear, 7.25c; Short Rib, 7.50c.; Short Clear, 7.87½c. Lard firm at 8c. Receipts—Flour, 7,000 bbls. Wheat, 209,000 bush. Corn, 57,000 bush. Oats, 8,000 bush. Rye, 1,000. Barley, ——. Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bbls. Wheat, 41,000 bush. Corn, 20,000 bush. Oats, 5,000; Rye, ——. Barley, ——.

TOLEDO, Aug. 27.—Wheat firm; No. 2 Red Winter cash and Aug., $1 09½; September, $1 10½; October, $1 12; November, $1 10½; January, $1 19½. Corn dull; No. 2 cash 53⅞; August, 54c; September, 53¾c.; October, 54½c. asked. Oats, firm, No. 2 cash and August, 28⅝c; November, 30c. Receipts—Wheat, 152,000 bush. Corn, 37,000 bush. Oats, 10,000 bush. Shipments—Wheat, 74,000 bush. Corn, 22,000 bush. Oats, 9,000.

COTTON MARKETS—BY TELEGRAPH.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 27.—12:30 p. m.—Cotton quiet. Middling Orleans 5⅝d. do. Orleans, 5¾d. Sales, 8,000 bales, including 1,000 for speculation and export; receipts, 6,800 bales, including 2,500 bales American. Futures—Uplands, Low Middling clauses, September and October delivery, 5⅝@5¾d; [illegible] do. October and November delivery, 5¾@5¾d.; do. November and December delivery, 5⅝@5¾d.; do. December and January delivery, 5¾@5¾d.; do. January and February delivery, 5⅝@5¾d.; do. February and March delivery, 5⅝@5¾d. Futures quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 27.—2:00 p. m.—Cotton—The sales of the day included 6,000 bales American.

GALVESTON, Aug. 27.—Cotton steady; Middling, 9⅝c. Low Middling, 9⅛c. Good Ordinary, 8½@8¾c.; net receipts 2,[illegible] bales; gross, 2,742 bales; exports to Great Britain, —— bales; to France, —— bales; to the Continent, —— bales; coastwise, 201 bales; sales, 500 bales; stock, 12,743 bales.

NEW-ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Cotton quiet; Middling, 9⅝c. Low Middling, 9⅛c. Good Ordinary, 8½@8¾c.; net receipts, 1,[illegible] bales; gross, 1,186 bales; exports—coastwise, —— bales; to France, —— bales; to the Continent, —— bales; to Great Britain, —— bales; sales, 321 bales; last evening, 300 bales; stock, 50,450 bales.

SAVANNAH, Aug. 27.—Cotton quiet; Middling, 9⅝c. Low Middling, 9⅛c; Good Ordinary, 8½@8¾c; net receipts, [illegible] bales; gross, 611 bales; exports—coastwise, —— bales; to France, —— bales; to the Continent, —— bales; to Great Britain, —— bales; sales, 100 bales; last evening, —— bales; stock, 3,442 bales.

THE MONEY MARKET.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

AUGUST 27, 1883.

THE GENERAL LIST.

Name.	Actual Sales. O'p'g.	H'g't.	Low't	Final.	Closing Bids. Bid.	Ask'd	Shares Sold.
Canada Pacific	55	55¼	54¾	55¼	55	55¼	5,150
Can. South.....	50½	50½	49¾	50½	50⅛	50¼	4,350
Central of N.J.	80	80	78¾	79½	79½	79⅝	14,900
Cent. Pac.....	65¾	64	63¾	64	63¾	63⅞	6,402
C. & N. W.....	121½	121½	119⅞	120¾	120⅝	120⅞	7,700
Do. pref.....	140¼	140¼	139⅝	139¾	140	141	950
C., M. & St. P..	100½	100⅝	99½	100½	100⅝	100½	30,800
Do pref.....	116½	116½	116½	116½	116½	117½	200
C.,Rk.I.,P.,M & O.	38	38⅛	37½	37¾	38	38¼	1,100
C St P M & O, pref	99¼	100	99¼	100	100	100¼	450
C., B. & Q.....	122	122⅛	121½	121¾	122	122¼	2,450
C., R. I. & P.....	120	120	120	120	120	121	300
C. C. C. & I.....	61	61	60¼	60¼	60¼	61½	200
Del. L. & W.....	119½	119⅝	118⅛	119	119	119⅛	78,550
D. & H. Canal..	105	105¼	104½	104⅝	104⅝	105	1,520
D. & Hio G.....	24	26⅞	24	26⅞	25⅝	25⅞	11,020
Du. & S. C.....	78	78	78	78	...	...	50
E. T. V. & G. pref	15½	15½	15½	15½	15	16	200
Green Bay.....	6	6	6	6	6	7	200
Houst. & Tex..	58	58	58	58	55	59	300
Ill. Cent.....	125½	125½	125½	125½	125	126	200
L. E. & W.....	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼	22¼	23	100
Lake Shore.....	103½	103½	100⅝	101	100⅝	101⅛	37,800
L. E. & W.....	20	20	20	20	19½	...	300
Long Island...	76	76	76	76	76	77	200
Louis & Nash.	41¼	42	40⅝	42	41¾	41⅞	16,400
Manhattan.....	40	40	40	40	39½	41	400
Mem. & Char..	40½	40½	38	38	37	39	2,200
Met. Ry.....	89	89	89	89	89	92	400
Mich. Cen.....	80⅞	81½	80½	81	80½	81¼	4,560
M. K. & T.....	23½	23⅝	23	23½	23½	23¾	2,300
Mo. Pac.....	94	94½	94	94½	94¼	94⅝	3,800
N. C. & St. L..	51¾	52	51¾	52	51	52	800
N. Y. Central..	115	115¼	114¼	114¾	114½	114¾	16,767
N. Y. L. E. & W.	28⅝	28⅝	28¼	28⅝	28¼	28¾	4,800
N. Y. O. & W..	20	20¼	20	20	20⅛	20⅝	420
Nor. & W. pref.	33¼	33¼	33¼	33¼	33	33¼	200
Nor. Pac.....	38½	38¾	37¾	38¼	38⅛	38⅝	12,850
Do pref.....	73	73	70	71½	71½	71¾	37,000
N. Y. L. & W.	85	85	85	85	83½	85	30
Ohio Cen.....	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6½	7	735
Ohio & Miss...	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	29	100
Ore. Trans.....	61	61	59¼	60	60	60¼	33,366
P. D. & E.....	12⅞	13	12¼	12¾	13	13½	400
Phil. & Read....	47½	48⅝	46¼	48⅝	48⅛	48⅝	19,200
P P Car Co.....	126	126	126	126	125¾	126½	200
R. & W. P.....	29	29	29	29	28¾	30	100
Roch. & Pitts..	15¾	16	15½	15½	15½	16	600
St L. A. & T. H	59	59	59	59	58	60	100
STL.&S.F.1st pf	88	88	88	88	88	89	150
St. P. M. & M..	108	108	106	107⅞	107	107¼	10,200
Tex. & Pac.....	25¼	25⅝	25⅛	25½	25⅜	25½	5,400
Union Pac.....	86⅞	87¼	86½	87⅛	87	87¼	18,805
Wabash.....	18¼	18¼	18	18¼	18¼	18½	600
Do pref.....	31½	31½	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	31	1,600
W. U. Tel.....	76¼	76¼	76	76¼	76	76⅝	7,900
Am. Ex.....	89	89	89	89	88½	90	20
Pac. Mail.....	31¾	31¾	31	31¼	31	32	1,100
New Cen. Coal	10	10	10	10	9	11	100
Total sales							405,515

*Ex-dividend. †130¾ seller 60 days. ‡105 seller 60 days.

GOVERNMENTS.

U S 3s Registered		U S 4½ Registered	
10,000.....	103⅝	20,000.....	112⅝
U S 4s Coupon		U S 4s Registered 1907	
10,000.....	119⅝	200,000.....	119½
20,000.....	119	U S 4½s Coupon, 1891	
		10,000.....	113½

BONDS AND BANK STOCKS.

Ches & Ohio cur'cy		N Y W S & B 1st	Ches and O 1st
12,000.....	45	9,000..... 72½	Series B
Canada S 1st		2,000..... 72¾	3,000..... 91¾
2,000..... 94½		10,000..... 72½	Central Pacific L G
2,000..... 94¼		N Y Cu & St L	1,000..... 104¾
5,000..... 94		1st	Mil & StPI & M
Guaranteed		2,000..... 100½	4,000..... 119
1,000..... 93¾		1,000..... 100⅝	New J Central Ad
Chicago B & Q		6,000..... 100½	1,000..... 104
Den div 4s 1922		1,000..... 100	Texas Pacific R G
8,000..... 82½		10,000..... 100	10,000..... 75¼
Den & R G 1st con		N Y Cent 1st cou	6,000..... 75
3,000..... 78		2,000..... 128	5,000..... 75¼
10,000..... 78		N Y Central 1st reg	Union P col trust
Den & R Gr W 1st		1,000..... 128½	2,000..... 104
4,000..... 63		North Pac 1st coup	Union Pac 1st M
E Tenn Va & Ga 5s		16,000..... 103⅝	1,000..... 112⅞
4,000..... 71¾		12,000..... 103¾	20,000..... 113
2,000..... 71½		10,000..... 103⅝	Central Pacific
21,000..... 71½		Ore'n & Trans 1st	Cal & Ore branch
20,000..... 71¼		3,000..... 92⅞	2,000..... 101
Gt Western 1st		3,000..... 92¾	Erie 1st Lien 6s
5,000..... 102		Ohio and Miss con	4,000..... 107
Kansas Pacific 6s		1,000..... 114½	Flint & Pere Mar
Den div assented		Ohio Central 1st	1,000..... 105
4,000..... 108½		1,000..... 75¾	Mor & Essex 1st
Mutual U Tel 6s		5,000..... 76	consol
7,000..... 80		P & R gen 6s	10,000..... 122
2,000..... 80		1,000..... 95	Mil L S & W 1st
Mil and St Paul		1st series con 5s	2,000..... 99
Chic & Pac W div		1,000..... 77	Oregon Short L 6s
10,000..... 92⅞		2d series con 5s	5,000..... 97
12,000..... 92¼		1,000..... 65	Oregon Imp Co 1st
Southern Min div		Phil & R 7s conv	10,000..... 92
3,000..... 105⅝		1,000..... 72½	Oregon R & N 1st
5,000..... 105¼		St L & I M 5s	1,000..... 107
Metropolitan E 1st		5,000..... 77¾	Ohio Central Inc
2,000..... 99¼		3,000..... 72¼	1,000..... 15½
N Y W S & B 1st		Toledo & Wab 1st	St L K City & N
1,000..... 73		1,000..... 104	Real Estate 7s
2,000..... 72⅞		Wabash G m'tg 6s	2,000..... 105
1,000..... 72¾		10,000..... 67	Texas Pac inc L G
8,000..... 72½		10,000..... 65	5,000..... 52½
5,000..... 72⅝		C Bur and Q deb 5s	Utah So Ex 1st
15,000..... 72½		20,000..... 80½	5,000..... 101
1,000..... 72¼		45,000..... 90	

CLOSING PRICES OF BOSTON STOCKS.

BOSTON, Monday, Aug. 27, 1883.

	Saturday.	To-day.		Saturday.	To-day.
WaterPower.....	2½	...	LtlR'k & Ft S	19	19
BostonLand.....	5¾	5½	N Y & N Eng'd 1st	24½	24½
A & Pen 1st 7s..	118¾	..	OldColony.....	137½	138¼
Do. landgrant 7s.	114¼	..	Rutland prefer'd	14	...
Eastern R R 6s ..	110⅛	110¼	Allouez M Co. N.	1¾	1¾
K C St J & C B 7s	113	..	Cammet & Hecla.	236	240
LtlR'k&Ft smith	69	70	Catalpa.....	37½	37½
N Y & N Eng 7s.	104½	102	Franklin.....	9	9¾
A & TopR R.....	80¾	79⅞	Pewabic(new).....	3	3
Bos & A R R.....	182	182	Quincy.....	45	45
Chester & Lew..	123	120¼	Silver Islet.....	3	3
Cin. San & Cleve.	20	17	Wis Cen R R com	15¼	99
Eastern RR.....	38	38	Flint & P Marq	99	99
Flint&Pere Mar.	22	22	Osceola	18	17½

CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

Reported by JOHN H. DAVIS & CO., 17 *Wall-st.*

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked
City 6s, New.....	131	131½	North, Pac prefd.	71½	71¾
United RR., N J. 1904	191	...	North. Cent. RR..	54½	55
Penna'rva Rail'd 5&6	56⅞	...	Lehigh Nav.....	42¼	42½
Reading.....	24⅞	24¾	Leh. & N. Y. 1st	113	...
Reading gen'l 1st	93	94	Do. Preferred.	23	25
Lehigh Valley....	68½	69	Hestonville st'v..	12	13
Catawissa, pref..	56	58	Philad'a & Erie..	17	17½
North. Pac. com.	38⅛	38¼			

MONDAY, Aug. 27—P. M.

The transactions in stocks to-day, which amounted to 405,515 shares, were unusually well distributed through the list of ordinarily active stocks. The shrinkage in values also was general, but as a rule was the more conspicuous with the stocks recording the largest business. A sharp decline in the price of Lake Shore from 103¾ to 100⅝@101⅜@101, however, was a special feature of the day. The transactions in the stock amounted only to 37,300 shares. Of this amount probably 15,000 or 18,000 shares represent actual sales of stock which has been carried from the time this price was 112@114, and the remainder is simply the buying and selling of traders. The stock actually sold has passed into hands less able to carry it in a declining market than was the holder who sold it. Central and Hudson, as usual of late, was held rather firm to aid the general market; but it is worthy of notice that the closing price of that stock to-night, 114¾—only down ⅝ per cent. for the day—is now 13 per cent. higher than the price of Lake Shore, while a little time back the difference between the two prices was only 8 per cent. The position of Central and Hudson stock in this market, however, is shown by the fact that it closed 114½ bid for stock deliverable to-morrow, and was offered at 113 seller 60 days. Among the coal stocks, Philadelphia & Reading exhibited an exceptional strength, while Delaware, Lackawanna and Western sold down from 120 to 118⅛, and Central of New-Jersey fell off from 79⅞@80 to 78¼. The final changes show Reading to be ¾ higher than Saturday, Delaware, Lackawanna and Western 1 per cent lower, and Central of New-Jersey ⅜ lower. The late rally in the coal stocks was aided by a report from Kiernan's Wall Street News Bureau to the effect that the coal companies have agreed to advance the circular price 10 to 25 cents per ton on September 1. If the report is true the fiction of the advance is shown by an unusually long and careful review of the coal situation printed in last Saturday's *Engineering and Mining Journal*. The *Journal* confirms what THE TRIBUNE has printed, that the Western markets have been stocked full of coal at the companies' risk. It says:

"The West is loaded up with coal, and at Buffalo there are miles of loaded cars upon which advances have been made. It will not do, therefore, to argue that the Western markets can be stocked to harden prices elsewhere. In this vicinity, retailers have bought as much as they care to take for the present at June prices, and some of them have bought for delivery to the end of this month. With these facts before them, it is not astonishing that there are many who are unable to see that it would do any good to go on producing at the present rate and at the same time announce higher circular rates. The latter are out of the question on those sizes which come into competition with low-priced bituminous coals. For other sizes, it is possible only by curtailing the production, at least temporarily. The position of the coal trade to-day is not much better or any worse than that of any other leading industry, and the efforts to make the public believe that it is exceptionally situated can only react unfavorably upon it. Those in the trade know enough of the actual situation. A single effort to buy cheaply or to place a lot of coal with a buyer will reveal it. Those who want to buy will simply restrict their requirements if an effort is made to put up the price without restricting the supply.

The "General List" printed at the head of this column sufficiently shows the drift of the general market. But it should be noted that Denver and Rio Grande enjoyed a special reactionary movement at the close and ended 1⅛ higher than on Saturday. The closing rally, however, presented no different aspects than the last rallies of preceding days, and there is no reason to suppose that it had any different signification—a disposition of the trading "bears" to close accounts before the adjournment.

Government bonds were moderately active at irregular prices. The final changes in bids are ¼ advance for the 3s and ⅛ decline for the 4½s. Annexed are the closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
U.S. 4s 1891, reg.	112¼	112¾	U. S. cur 6s, 1895..	129	....
U.S. 4s 1891, cou.	113⅝	113¾	U. S. cur 6s, 1897..	130	....
U. S. 4 1907, reg.	119¾	119½	U. S. cur 6s, 1898..	132	....
U.S. 4 1907, cou.	119¾	119½	U. S. cur 6s, 1899..	133	....
U. S. 5sct cents.	103¼	....	Dist. Col. 3.65s...	107¾	108¾
U. S. cur 6s, 1895.	125	....			

There was not a transaction in State bonds or in city bank stocks.

Railroad bonds were dull and generally weak. No sales were made of Erie second consols, and the quotation is 92@91½ against sales at 91¾ Saturday. Canada Southern 5s were ¾ lower at 94, and West Shore first 5s declined from 73 to 72¼@72½, and New-York, Chicago and St. Louis first 6s were off ½ at 100. Ohio Central first 6s sold down to 75¾@76, and the incomes were ½ better at 15½. East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia 5s were down 1½, at 71¼. The usual record was made of transactions in one bond of the Philadelphia and Reading fancies; general 6s at 95; consol 5s, first series, at 77 and second series at 65, and convertible 7s at 71½; St. Paul firsts, Southern Minnesota, were off ½ at 105¼, and firsts Pacific and Western were down 1¼ at 92¼; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy 4s, Denver Division, sold at 82½, and debenture 5s at 90½@90; Wabash general 6s after 67 fell to 65; St. Louis and Iron Mountain 5s declined ⅜ to 72⅛; Denver and Rio Grande consols were 1 per cent higher at 78, and firsts Western extension were off 1 per cent at 63; Texas and Pacifics were lower—incomes ⅜ at 52⅛, and firsts Rio Grande Division ¼ at 75@75¼. Northern Pacific firsts were ¼ easier at 103⅜, and Oregon and Transcontinental firsts were ⅜ off at 92⅞.

The Sub-Treasury to-day gained on balance $167,667, made up by a coin gain of $287,909 less a currency loss of $120,242. The day's transactions covered: Receipts, $1,649,405; payments $1,481,738; currency balance $7,006,069; coin balance $121,361,934. Money at the Stock Exchange continues to be unnaturally and abnormally easy for call loans. To-day's rates were 2 per cent, while merchants' paper seeks a market at 6 per cent. The domestic exchanges are against this city except at the South, where the published rates do not permit of a movement of currency by the usual express methods either way. But by the way of the Sub-Treasury, which cost nothing, except gold here for silver certificates delivered at New-Orleans, there is a considerable movement.

The Clearing-House statement to-day was as follows: Exchanges, $103,536,867; balances, $5,047,482.

The United States Treasury at Washington to-day received $315,000 National bank notes for redemption. The customs receipts were $706,918, and the internal revenue receipts $830,837.

The foreign exchange markets are still dull. To-day, for some special reason, the Canadian banks published a reduction of their "posted rates" for sterling, but inquiry fails to reveal any change in rates for actual business. We, therefore, leave quotations as follows: Bankers' bills, $4 82¼ and $4 86 for long and short sterling respectively; 5.24⅞ and 5.21⅞ for francs; 94⅛ and 94¾ for reichmarks; 39⅝ and 39⅞ for guilders.

In London British consols were higher: ⅛ at 100 1-16 for money and 1-16 at 100⅛ for account. United States bonds were irregular but closed unchanged at 122½ for 4s and ⅛ higher at 115¼ for 4½s. American railways opened at prices that were fully responsive to Saturday's decline in the home markets, and afterward were irregular. Some made partial recoveries and others continued to decline to the end. The Bank of England gained £165,000 bullion on balance. At Paris French 3 per cents were stronger at 79.65, and sight exchange on London rose to 25.34 francs to the £.

The gross earnings of the following railroads are reported:

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

	1882.	1883.	Difference.	
Number of miles.....	874	1,024	Inc.	150
Third week in Aug..	$202,853	$218,078	Inc.	$15,228
May 1 to Aug. 21...	3,386,043	3,662,731	Inc.	276,688

MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS.

	1882.	1883.	Difference.	
Number of miles.....	1,230	1,380	Inc.	150
Third week in Aug..	$136,865	$157,382	Inc.	$20,517
May 1 to Aug. 21...	1,798,337	2,176,159	Inc.	377,822

INTERNATIONAL AND GREAT NORTHERN.

	1882.	1883.	Difference.	
Number of miles.....	775	825	Inc.	50
Third