The Case of Colonel Serrell.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

In the Hilton Head correspondence of your paper of the 30th of July, 1862, it was stated that Colonel Edward W. Serrell, of the Volunteer Engineers, was in arrest charged with several crimes, and sent to Fort Pulaski for violating his parole.

As the whole thing is a conspiracy on the part of certain persons who have taken advantage of the troubles arising from the delay in the recognition and pay of Colonel Serrell's regiment as engineers, to advance their own purposes, and will probably be given to the public when the investigation is over, no particulars need now be given in correction of the above statement but such as go to show that your correspondent was misinformed. Colonel Serrell never had a parole given him, consequently could not break it; and the charge of insiting his men to mutiny, upon which he was sent to Fort Pulaski, was made in consequence of the enthusiastic cheering of his men whenever he appeared. The charge of false muster is as groundless as the others, as official evidence will show.

The court martial has been sitting over a week and adjourned for three weeks, and nothing has yet been proved against the Colonel. O. P. Q.

Dr. Heath, of the Fourth Senatorial District.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

HEADQUARTERS FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT REGIMENT, 446 BROADWAY, August 12, 1862.

In your Sunday's HERALD, under the head of "Navy Yard," my name appeared as having been on trial in a court of inquiry. I beg you will correct the error, not having been on trial in any court. The error probably arose from having been a witness. I resigned my position in the navy, and was appointed Surgeon of this regiment, where I examined thirty-four men yesterday. Our average recruits number about thirty daily. Yours, truly,

A. S. HEATH,
Surgeon Fourth Senatorial District regiment.

United States Marshal's Office.

THE EXODUS TO EUROPE.

AUGUST 13—The Marshal's office was visited by a large number of persons, principally foreigners and foreign born citizens, many of whom obtained passports on the necessary affidavits. Some claimed exception for being over age.

DISCHARGE OF A SECESSIONIST.

L. H. Berry, of Poughkeepsie, who has been some days in custody on a charge of uttering treason, was liberated on application of Judge Dean, who filed the necessary bond for the accused. Mr. Berry took the oath of allegiance. He was charged with having declared in Poughkeepsie "that Lincoln was not President of the United States; that he hoped to see Jeff. Davis soon in Washington, and that if he (Mr. Berry) was drafted he would desert the first opportunity and go over to the Southern army."

Obituary.

CAPTAIN A. H. FERGUSON.

Captain A. H. Ferguson, Company F, Twenty fifth New York Volunteers and brigade Provost Marshal, who fell mortally wounded at the battle of Gaines' Mills, June 27, 1862, fighting for the Stars and Stripes which he loved, started for Washington at the first call of the President as sergeant of the Seventy first N. Y. S. M., and volunteered into the Twenty-fifth New York as lieutenant and adjutant when that regiment was organized. He was an accomplished gentleman and an efficient officer, the last of seven sons of John Ferguson, Esq., late of Londonderry, Ireland, and Letitia Hastings, his beloved wife. He was born on Market street, January 20, 1840, and was but a few months over his 22d year when he died.

Maine Politics.

PORTLAND, Me., August 12, 1862.

John N. Goodwin, of South Berwick, was renominated for Congress for the First district by the Republican Convention to-day.

Destructive Fire at Detroit.

DETROIT, August 12, 1862.

The extensive saw mill of H. A. & S. G. Wight was burned to day. Loss $75,000; partially insured.

Fugitive Slaves Set Free.

Jailer Roderman, of St. Louis, has received from headquarters the following instructions, prohibiting the imprisonment of the fugitive slaves of rebels, except for crime:—

SPECIAL ORDERS—NO. 36.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL, DISTRICT OF MISSOURI, ST. LOUIS, August 7, 1862.

The jailor of St. Louis county is hereby directed to release all negroes now in his custody not accused of crimes, whose masters have not always been loyal to the United States government, and he is furthermore ordered not to receive any negroes not accused of crimes, whose master cannot show that he is, and always has been, loyal to said government.

By order of Brigadier General Schofield, Commanding District of Missouri. BERNARD G. FARRAR, Provost Marshal General, District of Missouri.

The Village of Horseheads, Chemung County, Destroyed by Fire.

A fire broke out about one o'clock on the morning of the 12th inst. in the village of Horseheads, Chemung county, and before the flames could be stayed every building in the central part of the town, with the exception of the stores of Messrs. Whittaker, McDonald & Thorn, were destroyed. Two hotels and the town hall are among the buildings burned. The loss is estimated as high as $100,000. A fire engine was despatched from Elmira, but arrived at Horseheads too late to be of service. The fire will be a disastrous blow to the citizens of Horseheads; but, with their accustomed energy, they will soon recover from its effects. No further particulars were obtained.

Arrivals and Departures.

DEPARTURES.

HAMBURG—Steamship Bavarian—H R Runhardt, C T Runhardt, Hella Runhardt, Wheaton Runhardt, Henry Runhardt, George Runhardt, A Voss, A Farlew, Max Newmann, G Groenecke, Mary Groenecke, Chas Conn, S Behm, A Riebuhl, A Schatterer, E Oeskey, S Von Blucher, L E Neck, A H Thomson, J Noken, F Nilear, M Meyers, J Thompson, E Beuss, M D Cremieulse and family, M Rogers.

ARRIVALS.

KEY WEST—Bark Tahiti—Christopher Hone, Co. B, 90th N Y; Alfred S Curtis, Co. I, 90th N Y Vol; E P McCreary, Co. B, do; Alex Sloane, Co G, do; Charles Canall, Co A, do; John A Miller, Thomas Harris, Henry Brace, Joan Taylor, John Cahill, Jerome Sollins, John Shuster, Patrick Muldoon, John Bradish.

KEY WEST—Bark Indian Belle—T L Carey, John Smith, J Barr, James Caldwell.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

WEDNESDAY, August 13—6 P. M.

Money continues to flow to this city for employment, and the rate of interest tends steadily downward. To-day it is quite difficult to place money at 4 per cent, none of the old houses being willing to allow so much, except in exceptional cases. First class mercantile paper is quoted 4 a 5 per cent. The deposits of currency at the Sub-Treasury were larger to-day; they exceeded $400,000. These deposits would be heavier than they are were currency more plentiful.

Exchange was inactive to-day. Bankers ask 126 a 126¼ for their bills, and we hear of sales at the lower figure, while commercial bills sell at 124 a 125. Gold was sold at the first board at 113⅞; it advanced afterwards and sold at 114⅛, closing in the afternoon at that bid. The firmness of gold, in view of the improvement in public confidence and the increasing certainty of the triumph of the government, is a problem not easily solved, except on the theory that the shippers of produce have sold their bills in advance, and that a scarcity of commercial signatures is apprehended.

The stock market continues to exhibit remarkable activity and buoyancy. The leading commission houses are overwhelmed with orders to buy shares and bonds, and are reaping a handsome harvest. Stocks are rising, partly on the recovery in public confidence and the progress of recruiting, which renders it certain that the rebellion will be crushed within a given period, and partly on the large traffic on the leading lines of railway. At the first board to-day Central rose ¾, Erie and Erie preferred ⅝ each, Hudson ⅛, Harlem preferred ¾, Reading ⅛, Michigan Central ¾, guaranteed ⅛, Illinois Central 1¼, Cleveland and Pittsburg ⅛, Galena ¼, Rock Island ¼. The most active among the railway shares were Central, the two Eries, Illinois Central and Galena, all of which were freely bought by the commission houses. In bonds a large business was done, and we note an advance in Eries, Illinois Centrals and Pittsburg and Fort Waynes. In a short time no first class bond will be selling in this market below par. Government sixes sold at par, and that was bid for more without drawing out any. The 7.30 notes—which are cheaper than the sixes, and are convertible into a twenty year six per cent stock at maturity, interest always payable in gold—advanced ⅛ per cent. At the close of the first board the market rather gave way for a short time, in consequence of sales to realize profits; but before the afternoon session the decline was recovered, and the highest prices of the morning were bid for the favorite securities of the day. At the second board a large business was done, and the first quotations of the day were maintained, with the single exception of New York Central, which fell off ⅛ per cent. The demand for the Eries, Galena and Illinois Central was very active. The market closed firm, the following being the last quotations:—United States 6's, registered, 1881, 100 a 100¼; United States 6's, coupon, 1881, 100¼ a 100¼; United States 5's, 1874, 87¾ a 88¼; Treasury notes, 7 3-10 per cent, 103¼ a 103⅝; Tennessee 6's, 51¼ a 52; Virginia 6's, 53¼ a 55; North Carolina 6's, 66 a 67½; Missouri 6's, 47 a 47¼; American gold, 114⅛ a 114⅝; Pacific Mail, 112¼ a 112½; New York Central, 93¾ a 93⅞; Erie, 37¼ a 37½; do. preferred, 67¾ a 68; Hudson River, 48 a 48¾; Harlem, 16 a 16¼; do. preferred, 40 a 40¼; Reading, 59¼ a 59¾; Michigan Central, 65⅝ a 66; Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana, 27⅜ a 27½; do. guaranteed, 59¾ a 59⅞; Panama, 138 a 140; Illinois Central, 61¼ a 61⅜; Galena and Chicago, 72⅜ a 72⅝; Cleveland and Toledo, 49⅝ a 49¾; Chicago and Rock Island, 66⅞ a 67⅛; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 82¾ a 83; Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien, 33¼ a 34; New York Central 7's, 1876, 109 a 109½; Erie third mortgage bonds, 101¾ a 102; Illinois Central bonds, 7's, 98 a 99.

After the second board a pretty large business was done in Mr. Wheelock's room. For Galena 72¼ was bid, for Illinois Central 61⅜; Erie sold at 37⅜, and 2,000 shares of Toledo at 50. The general tone of the market was very buoyant.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was as follows to-day:—

Receipts	$1,145,723 42
—For customs	129,000 00
Payments	1,365,345 38
Balance	8,595,158 58

The export of specie to-day by the Australasian was $389,000.

The Chicago and Rock Island Railroad earned the first week of August:—

1861	$19,824
1862	24,024
Increase	$4,200

The New York Central Railroad shows a large increase for July. The figures are:—

July, 1861	$523,000
July, 1862	748,000
Increase	$225,000

The exchanges at the Bank Clearing House this morning were $19,314,465 77, and the balances $1,277,147 33.

The *Shipping and Commercial List* furnishes the following statement of the exports of breadstuffs from the United States to Great Britain and Ireland since the 1st of September, 1861:—

	Flour, bbls.	Meal, bbls.	Wheat, bushels.	Corn, bushels.
New York	1,765,954	824	19,344,699	11,981,946
Philadelphia	325,507	406	2,172,932	626,985
Baltimore	54,886	—	313,466	606,554
Boston	263,223	10	61,652	54,669
Other ports	66,325	—	1,591,527	6,600
Total 1861-62	2,475,895	1,240	23,524,276	13,276,734
Total 1860-61	2,481,020	3,431	24,776,810	10,499,349
Increase	—	—	—	2,777,385
Decrease	5,125	2,191	1,252,534	—
Total 1859-60	618,740	944	3,911,580	2,208,748
Total 1858-59	94,609	23	458,273	320,681

TO THE CONTINENT.

	Flour, bbls.	Wheat, bushels.	Corn, bushels.	Rye, bushels.
New York	585,395	7,351,210	302,591	1,492,235
Other ports	27,119	107,910	19,483	42,915
Total 1861-62	612,514	7,459,120	322,074	1,535,150
Total 1860-61	90,565	2,620,145	44,215	317,955
Total 1859-60	40,427	112,888	19,358	—
Total 1858-59	51,276	57,845	25,519	—

We published yesterday the statement of the banks of this State, showing their condition on the 28th of June, as reported to the Superintendent of the Banking Department. The annexed table will distinguish between the New York city banks and those out of the city:—

	New York city.	Other Banks.	Total.
Capital	$69,125,600	39,557,648	108,682,708
Net profits	8,647,645	4,876,963	13,524,608
Circulation	8,962,281	24,765,101	33,727,382
Due banks	41,848,803	8,720,873	50,569,676
Deposits	112,195,094	38,243,150	150,438,244
Due others	2,242,066	5,998,430	8,240,496
Total	$243,021,549	122,161,565	365,183,114
Loans	$118,546,094	65,961,167	184,507,261
Stocks	42,568,120	22,269,889	64,838,009
Bonds and mortg's.	664,227	6,195,483	6,859,710
Real estate	6,759,954	2,849,105	9,609,059
Due by banks	3,915,897	17,804,315	21,720,212
Cash items	49,095,670	4,304,701	44,400,371
Specie	30,406,556	2,416,137	32,822,693
Overdrafts	71,031	360,768	431,799
Total	$243,021,549	122,161,565	365,183,114

The New Orleans *National Advocate* of the 2d inst. thus notices money and exchange matters in that city:—

There was a good inquiry for gold, which dealers furnish according to sums—we quote 128 a 135, which indicates an advance. Silver ranged from 22 a 26, closing firmly. United States demand Treasury notes also ranged high—say 23 a 26; legal tender notes 8 a 11 per cent premium; New York sight funds ranged from 5 to 10 per cent premium, according to the character of makers. The banks appear, in fact they are, doing nothing in exchange on Northern cities. In foreign exchange we do not learn of any transactions worthy of note. We merely allude to the exchange market as a matter of reference and record to appeal to hereafter—small sums of sterling will command 135, 138 a 140. Francs are to be had in small amounts at from 4.10 a 4. There is a feverish disposition evinced on the part of many denizens of our city in regard to its future, and under the present agitated position of the country many are sending small sums to Europe to remain there. The most important feature in money circles to-day was the announcement that the Bank of New Orleans had received back four hundred thousand dollars of the coin sent away in April last. This relieves the bank at once, and places it in line according to the bank acts. The amount of bonds of State and city in possession of the State authorities to secure the old circulation under its charter, and the amount of bonds in vault, figured up $771,000. The amount of old circulation subject to the bonds was, on the 19th of April last, $486,675. The receiving back of the $400,000 in coin, which, it is presumed, will appear in its next report, places the bank in a good position. We learn that the two dividends—say that of June and that of December last—due by the Canal Bank to Northern stockholders were paid in New York on the 18th ult. It will be understood that the bank was restrained from paying these dividends by the suspension of intercourse, and subsequently by the sequestration act of Richmond.

The Boston *Post* of yesterday thus notices Lake Superior mining matters:—

Copper stocks have been firm, but have not changed much in price. Pittsburg declared a dividend of but two dollars per share, when more was expected, and the stock dropped five dollars. The mine is doing well—probably as well as the Minnesota—and the small dividend this time will be so much the better for stockholders by and by. Pewabic has fluctuated from 35 to 34. Franklin has been steady at from 26 to 27. Both mines are making money. Quincy has been offered freely at 48, but is not pressed for sale, and holders are confident in regard to its now being on a permanent dividend paying basis National has been steady at from 29 to 30. A want of water at the mine for the working of the stamps, it is said, will interfere with the product this summer, and it is stated that the Minnesota also suffers in the same way; Minnesota stock has been sold freely, but has been firm at from 60 to 61. Although the Rockland mine is said to be improving, the stock does not; but it is not offered for sale freely, and an increased product will give it a start. Central declined to 12½, but rallied again and was firm on Saturday at 13½; the accounts from the mine are favorable. Mecard culminated at 5½, but has been firm at 5 bid. Tobee is stated to look well, and will not require an assessment before next winter. Considerable inquiry has been noticed for Bohemian, at low prices; the bulk of this stock, we believe, is held in Philadelphia. Copper Falls has been in better demand, and was active on Saturday at 5⅞.

Stock Exchange.

WEDNESDAY, July 13, 1862.

$60000 US 6's, '81, cou	99⅝	150 shs Erie RR	b60 37½
5000 do	100	50 do	37
20000 US 6's, '81, reg	100	100 do	s30 36¾
4000 US 6's 81 Orwly	97	100 do	s15 37
80000 US 5's, '74, cou	87½	400 Erie RR pref	68
500 Iowa 7-10 pcn.s	105¼	300 do	s30 67½
50000 do	103½	300 do	s30 67½
5000 Ill cou bds, '70	97½	100 do	67½
2000 Ind 6's, war in	95	100 do	b15 67⅝
10000 Tenn 6's, '90	51½	100 Hud Riv RR	s30 47
21000 Missouri 6's	46½	100 do	b30 47½
1000 Mob'ile & Ohio RR	62½	50 do	47½
15000 Ill war loan	98¼	25 do	47½
3000 Virginia 6's	53½	50 do	47⅝
3000 Erie RR 1st m b	109¼	100 Tol & Wab pref	41½
5000 E Rdmb'ds, s30	101¾	100 do	41¾
2000 Erie RR 4th m b	92	200 Harlem RR	16
5000 do s30	92	25 do	15¾
2000 do	92¼	500 do	b60 16
7000 Mich So 2d mtg	85	200 Harlem RR pref	39¼
9000 Mich So sk fd bs	100¼	200 do	39⅞
2000 do	100¾	50 do	39½
5000 Ill Cent RR bds	98¼	50 Nor & Wor RR	46¼
8500 do	99	100 Reading RR	59¾
10000 St L, Alt & Chi stm	91	250 Mich Cen RR	66
1000 Chi & NW ass't b	50½	450 do	65¾
2000 Tol & Wa 1st m	92	100 do	b30 66
5000 Tol & Wa 2d m	68	100 do	s30 65½
3000 Milw & P du Chlm	96½	150 do	b30 65⅞
4000 Gal & Chic 2d m	103½	200 Mich S & N In RR	27½
1000 Chic & NW 2d m	29⅞	150 Mich S & N In gd sk	59¼
5000 do b15	30	100 do	60
9000 Clev & Tol s f b	94½	500 do	59⅞
12000 do	94¾	10 Ill Cen RR scrip	60½
1000 do	94⅝	10 do	60¼
10000 P, Ft W & C 1st m	94	100 do	s30 61
1000 do	94¾	100 do	61
1500 P, Ft W & C 2d m	77	10 do	61½
16000 do	77¾	100 do	61¼
1000 do	77¼	100 do	b60 61¼
41000 American gold	114	100 do	b10 61¾
14000 do	113⅞	1856 Ill Cen cap bd sp	27
70 Ex Bank of Reff	99	300 Clev & Pitts RR	72½
6 Bos & Tex Bank	93	100 do	b30 72¾
55 N Y Central RR	93½	5 Clev, Col & Cin RR	118
1250 do opg	93¾	8 Galena & Chi RR	71¾
8 do	93¾	200 do	72
100 do s30	93½	450 do	71⅞
150 do	93½	100 do b30	72
160 do s30	93¾	2000 Clev & Tol RR	49
100 do b30	93¾	700 do b30	49
100 do b60	93¾	200 Chi & Rk Isld RR	66¼
1500 Erie RR	36¾	100 do s10	66½
80 do	36⅞	50 do	66⅝
300 do s30	36⅝	50 Chi, Burl & Q R s60	81
100 do s10	36¾	25 do	82½
100 do	36⅞		

SECOND BOARD.

$30000 US 5's, '74, cou	88	50 shs Hu Riv RR b30	47¾
9000 U S 6's, 1yr cer	99½	100 Har RR pref	40
28000 Tr 7 3-10 p c ns	103½	15 Mich Cen RR	65¼
5000 Tenn 6's, '90	51½	100 do b10	66
1000 Virginia 6's	53½	200 do	65⅞
7000 Missouri 6's	47	300 do	66
1000 N York 7's, '70	119½	50 M So & N In RR	27¼
5000 H & St J RR bs	63	100 M So & N I gu stk	59⅞
5000 do	63½	20 do	59¾
6000 Ch & NW ass't bs	51	300 do	60
50000 American gold	114⅛	300 Ill Cen RR scrip	61¼
10000 do	114½	200 do b30	61¾
5 shs Bk of Repub	90	50 do	61⅞
200 Pacific M SS Co	112	20 do	61½
30 do	112½	300 Gal & Chi RR	72
1300 N Y Cen RR	93¾	100 do	72⅛
500 Erie RR	37¼	100 do	72⅛
300 do	37⅜	400 Clev & Tol RR	49
300 do	37½	100 do	49¼
800 do b30	37½	2000 do	49½
200 do b3	37½	200 Chi & Rk Is RR	66½
100 Erie RR pref	68	500 do	67
50 Hud Riv RR	47½	50 Mil & Pr du Chien	34

CITY COMMERCIAL REPORT.

WEDNESDAY, August 13—6 P. M.

ASHES.—The market was steady, but not active. The sales were confined to 50 bbls. pots at $6 81¼, while pearls were nominal at $7.

BREADSTUFFS.—Flour—The market was without change of moment in prices, while there was a fair request both by the home trade and for export. The sales footed up about 18,000 bbls., within the following range of prices:—

Superfine State	$4 85	a	5 05
Extra State	5 15	a	5 2[illegible]
Superfine Western	4 85	a	5 05
Common to choice extra Western	5 15	a	6 25
Canadian	5 10	a	6 25
Southern mixed to good superfine	5 20	a	5 30
Extra do	5 90	a	7 00
Good to choice family do	7 00	a	7 50
Rye flour	3 00	a	4 30
Corn meal, Jersey and Brandywine	3 30	a	3 50

—Canadian flour was firmer, with sales of 1,200 bbls. within the above range of prices. Southern flour was steady and in fair demand, with sales of 1,500 bbls. at the above quotations. Rye flour was steady at our figures, while sales were confined to 300 bbls. at quotations. Wheat—Common and medium grades were heavy and dull, while prime to choice lots were scarce and firm. The sales embraced about 112,000 bushels, at $1 34 for common white Indiana, $1 40 a $1 42 a $1 50 a $1 52 for prime white Kentucky, $1 19 a $1 21 for Racine spring, $1 36 a $1 38 for amber Michigan, $1 38 for new choice Southern Illinois red, $1 32 a $1 33 for red Western, $1 23½ a $1 25 for amber Iowa, $1 18 a $1 23 for Milwaukee club and $1 11 a $1 18 for Chicago spring. Corn was rather firmer, especially prime lots of shipping qualities, while inferior qualities were neglected. Rye was less buoyant and easier, with sales of 2,000 bushels of State at 83c. Barley and barley malt were quiet and prices nominal. Oats were steady and in fair demand, and prices steady at 46½c. a 48½c. for Western and Canadian, and at 48½c. a 49½c. for State.

COFFEE was more active and steady. The cargo referred to yesterday as being in negotiation was sold; it comprised 2,113 bags of Rio, and brought 21½c., and 1,000 do. were sold to day at 22½c.

COTTON.—The market was firm, with sales of about 400 a 500 bales, closing stiff, on the basis of 47½c. a 48c. for middling uplands.

FREIGHTS were firmer for grain to Liverpool, to which port about 24,000 bushels of wheat were engaged, in ship's bags, at 12d., and some 20,000 do., in bulk, at 11½d.; 1,200 bbls. flour at 3s. 4½d., and a lot of lard at 37s. 6d. To London flour was at 3s. 10½d., and dead weight at 40s. Rates to the South direct and outside ports were sustained. To Glasgow rates were unchanged.

FISH.—Dry cod was in better supply, and prices were dull. Sales of Bank were made at $3 75 a $4, and of George's at $4 50. Mackerel were quiet, and sales making were of a retail character.

FRUIT.—All kinds of foreign dry fruits were dull, and sales were limited. We quote layer raisins at $3 45, and bunch do. at $3 30.

HAY.—Old good North river was scarce and firm. Sales were making at 60c. a 70c. for shipping, and 70c. a 75c. for city use.

HEMP.—Both Russia and Manilla were firm, but no sales were reported.

HIDES were in better demand and with more doing at full prices.

HOPS were in moderate request, and stocks were light. Sales of the crop of 1861 were made at 16c. a 21c., and of 1860 at 7c. a 10c.

INDIGO.—Guatemala was in good request, and within a week prices have advanced 10c. per lb. East India descriptions were firm, with moderate sales at full prices.

IRON.—The market generally was firm, though sales making were moderate. Sales of best brands of Scotch pig, from yard, were making at $27 a $28, and No. 1 extra American pig at $24, and some No. 2 do. at the same figure, both deliverable in Elizabethtown.

LEATHER.—Prices were unchanged, while sales of both hemlock and oak sole were limited.

LIME.—Rockland was in moderate demand. The sales within two or three days have embraced 1,500 bbls. common Rockland at 55c., cash. Glen Falls were in better request, with sales of Keenan's lump at 70c., and of Ivinta at $1, three months; all to arrive.

NAVAL STORES.—There was very little doing, and little in market to do it with. We quote spirits turpentine nominal at $2 20 a $2 25. The stock comprised 25,000 bbls. Common strained rosin, No. 2, was quiet at $13 25 a $14 50 per 280 lbs. Tar was scarce and firm at $40 for thin and at $45 for rope.

PROVISIONS.—Pork—The market was rather less buoyant, though without change of moment in quotations. The sales embraced about 800 a 900 bbls., at $11 25 a $11 37½ for mess, and at $9 87½ a $10 for prime. Beef was in fair request, and prices were quite steady. Sales embraced 150 bbls. at yesterday's quotations. Beef hams were quiet and nominal. Bacon was inactive, and quotations also nominal. Cut meats were steady, with sales of 300 packages at 5¾c. a 6c. for shoulders, and at 5¾c. a 6½c. for hams. Lard was firm and in fair demand, with sales of 800 packages at 8½c. a 9¾c. Butter and cheese were steady at prices unchanged.

SUGARS.—The market was firmer, and the auction sales of to-day established an advance of ⅛c. a ¼c. over the current rates of yesterday, and about ½c. over the lowest figures of last week. The sales comprised 1,926 hhds., 250 of which were New Orleans, sold by auction, mostly within range of 8½c. a 11c., the latter figure for clarified.

WHISKEY.—The market was firmer, but not active, with sales of 350 bbls. at 50½c. a 51c. for State and Western.

FINANCIAL.

ARMY AND NAVY PAY AND CLAIM OFFICE.—ARREARS of Pay, Bounty, Pensions and Pay, Expenses. JOHN B. MURRAY, Army and Navy Banker, 52 Nassau street, N. Y., opposite Post office.

AUGUST BELMONT & CO., BANKERS, NO. 50 WALL st., issue letters of credit to travellers, available in all parts of the world through Messrs. Rothschild, of Paris, London, Frankfort, Vienna, Naples, and their correspondents.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF the New Jersey Zinc Company, held August 8, 1862, a dividend of three per cent was declared on common stock, payable on and after the 15th inst. at the transfer office of the company, 55 Liberty street, New York. The transfer books will be closed from the 11th to the 15th inst.
A. H. FRANKLIN, Treasurer and Secretary.

A LADY WISHES TO LOAN $500 ON BEST OF BOND and mortgage for one year, at 7 per cent interest; the year's interest paid in advance. Address, in haste, Mrs. C. L. M., Brooklyn Post office.

CALIFORNIA STATE AND SAN FRANCISCO CITY Interest Coupons purchased at lowest current rates; by DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., Bankers, corner of Pine and Nassau streets, New York.

NOTICE—TO ALL WHO ARE ENTITLED TO PENsion under the new law, namely:—All such as are disabled while in the service; widows of those having died or been killed; orphan children under sixteen years; mothers who are dependent, and orphan sisters under sixteen years, may procure it by calling on or addressing us. New forms now ready. SOMES & BROWN, No. 2 Park place, New York, and 476 Seventh street, Washington, D. C.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF BONDS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.

The Regents of the University of Minnesota wish to propose a settlement of the University Bonds, issued under the act of the Minnesota Legislature of March 8, 1858; also of those issued under the act of February 21, 1856. All holders of such bonds are requested to call immediately upon R. B. GRAVES, 157 Broadway.

OFFICE OF THE ERIE RAILROAD COMPANY, ERIE PIER, NEW YORK, Aug. 6, 1862.

Holders of the Second Mortgage Bonds of the New York and Erie Railroad Company, extended to 1859, are notified that the interest due September 1, 1862, will be paid on and after that date, at the office, on presentation of the proper coupons.

It will be necessary for the holders of bonds not thus extended to present them at the office of the company, where they can receive the principal and interest to September 1, 1862. The privilege of extending such bonds will cease at that date. H. N. OTIS, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMpany, 38 Wall street—New York, August 12, 1862—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of five (5) per cent out of the net earnings of the past (3) three months, payable at the office of the company on and after the 23d inst.

The transfer book will close on the 14th, and reopen on the 25th inst. By order of the Board.
F. W. G. BELLOWS, Secretary pro tem.

WANTED—$1,900 ON WELL IMPROVED PROPERTY, in Eighth street, near Third avenue, South Brooklyn. The ground is 50x100 feet. The house is three story, large and well built; it is well rented. Address Y. A. B., 63 East Fourteenth street.

$100,000—TO LOAN ON BOND AND MORTgage in sums to suit, on first class property by EDWARD LIVERMORE, 40 Wall street.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

HEADLEY'S HISTORY OF THE GREAT REBELlion.—Those wishing to secure an appointment as agent will please apply for territory at once, in person or by letter. HURLBUT, WILLIAMS & CO.

MEN WHO ARE NERVOUS AND TOO SOON OLD, or those who wish never to be so, should send for a copy of the new book, "Facts for the Feeble," by Dr. F. Hollick, author and lecturer. Sent gratis and postpaid to any address. Direct Dr. F. Hollick, box 3,606 Post office, New York city. Office 599 Broadway. Hours 10 till 2.

EXPRESSES.

A. BURNHAM'S FURNITURE EXPRESS AND PACKing establishment, 111 West Eleventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Furniture boxed and shipped to all parts of the world. Covered wagons for removing furniture. Furniture stored.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE NATIONAL Hotel, Long Branch, N. J., on Thursday and Friday evenings, August 13 and 14, for the purpose of taking into consideration the construction of the new Hotel. All persons interested in the movement are invited to attend. This is a splendid opportunity for a profitable investment. Particulars explained on the above evenings.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE NEW YORK YOUNG Mens' Roman Catholic Benevolent Association, will be held at their rooms, 165 Bowery, on Friday evening, August 15, at 8 o'clock. A punctual attendance is requested. By order, THOMAS CARROLL, President.
PATRICK TIGHE, Recording Secretary.

NOTICE.

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW YORK, August 12, 1862.

Parties holding fifty or more coupons on United States three years 7 3-10 per cent Treasury Notes, due the 19th of August, are required to hand them in for examination at least three days prior to said date, with schedules of the denominations, numbers, &c. If they prefer it they may do so at once. Blank schedules will be furnished upon application at this office. The coupons (which should be numerically arranged) will be examined, and checks given out on the 18th inst., after three o'clock P. M. JOHN J. CISCO, Assistant Treasurer of the United States.

OFFICE OF THE CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARtment, August 6, 1862.—New Grand Reservoir. Public notice is hereby given that the Croton water will be introduced into the New Grand Reservoir, on Tuesday, August 19, at 3 o'clock P. M. precisely.

The public are respectfully invited to witness the consummation of this great work, without further notice.
THOMAS STEVENS,
THOMAS B. TAPPEN,
A. W. CRAVEN,
Croton Aqueduct Board.

PERSONAL.

A NOTE AT BROADWAY POST OFFICE FOR MRS. Wm. B. Brown. J. W.

A. B. L. OR A. L. B.—WILL MEET YOU AT ANY time or place you appoint, when you return to the city. Address as before.

CHILDREN TAKEN FOR ADOPTION AND ADOPTED out to good homes; also ladies will receive the best of care and medical attendance during their confinement, at Madame GRINLEE'S private Lying-in Institute, 70 West Houston street, N. Y.

CHILDREN TAKEN FOR ADOPTION, AND ALSO adopted out to good homes. Three beautiful infants for adoption. Ladies taken to board, with medical attendance and all the privileges of a home. Madame PARSELLES, 741 Greenwich street, N. Y.

DEAR CORINTH—WHY DON'T YOU WRITE? I can't understand it. F. O.

IF THIS SHOULD MEET THE EYE OF THE PARENTS or friends of Thomas Kelly, Company B, Tenth Pennsylvania reserve, they will hear of something to their advantage by calling at Bellevue Hospital, ward 28.

TIMOTHY BACON—WILL MEET YOU OPPOSITE 159, Friday, 7 P. M. W. HENRY.

TO S.—THOUGH OUT OF SIGHT, TO MEMORY DEAR. Fondly do I cherish the recollection of our last meeting. May they be many. Write as you promised.

THE YOUNG MISS WHO, SOME DAYS AGO, WAS cutting the announcements in the Herald, is requested, by the young man opposite, to write him a letter, through the Spring street Post office, to Mr. G. F. M.

LOST AND FOUND.

DOG LOST—LAST WEEK, A BLACK AND TAN, trimmed, with long tail, named Tip. Five dollars paid to any person leaving him at No. 10 Fifth avenue.

FOUND—ON TUESDAY, AUGTST 12, BETWEEN NINE and ten o'clock P. M., a bay Pony, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; had on a new headstall and halter. The owner can have him by proving property and paying expenses. Inquire of John Cammon, Fifty-seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

KEYS LOST—AT MATT. GOODESON'S, FLUSHING, ON Tuesday, 12th inst.; five Keys on a steel ring. The finder will please leave the same at the office of H. P. McGeen, 75 Nassau street.

LOST—IN A TWENTY-THIRD STREET AND NINTH avenue stage, between the Metropolitan Hotel and the corner of Seventh avenue and Twenty-fourth street, a Pocketbook, containing a small sum of money and stamps and private papers. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning it to W. G. Barney, 122 and 124 Duane street.

LOST—A CHECK, DRAWN BY WARD & BROTHERS, of Rochester, in favor of S. D. Clark, for $340. Whoever will return the same to Dimie R. Bowker, 136 Pulton street, will be suitably rewarded. Payment has been stopped.

LOST—ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, BETWEEN 19 John street and 10 Morris street, via Broadway, one set of gold Sleeve Buttons and Studs, horse head, in blue enamel. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning them to Peckham, Merrill, Fitch & Co., 11 John street.

LOST—A JET BRACELET, SET WITH GOLD AND gold leaves, supposed in a Fifth avenue or Forty-second street stage. A suitable reward will be given by leaving it at 310 and 348 Broadway.

LOST—CHECK ON THE BANK OF NEW YORK, NO. 5,698, drawn by E. Caylus, De Reyter & Co. to the order of Moore & Henry (Canedoes d), for $448 87. All persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating the same, as payment has been stopped. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the office of Moore & Henry, 117 Wall street.

LOST—A GOLD BRACELET, MARKED A. E. B. A liberal reward will be given by leaving it with Wm. C. Browning, 326 Broadway.

LOST—A BLACK AND TAN TERRIER; HE HAD A collar on his neck, marked Fido, 135 West Twenty-fifth street. If the person who finds him will return him to the above mentioned residence