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The transfer books will be closed from the 12th to the 21st of October inclusive.

SAMUEL M. BRYAN, President,
CHARLES G. BEEBE, Treasurer.
Washington, D. C., October 10, 1889. oc10to21in

☞ DR. REULING HAS RETURNED AND RESUMES his office hours for Eye and Ear Patients on WEDNESDAY NEXT, from 2 to 4 p.m., at 1209 Pennsylvania ave. oc7-eo2w

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The PERPETUAL BUILDING ASSOCIATION is prepared to receive a few special payments of $100 to $1,000 each and will pay 6 per cent per annum, interest payable monthly, if desired, principal payable on demand. We have a surplus of $58,000 and the association is perfectly sound and reliable, all its funds being loaned to members on first mortgage of real estate.

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JOHN COOK, Secretary,
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We will display our large line of novelties at figures that rival any former effort in reduced prices. Our Goods are marked so very low we feel justified in guaranteeing our prices against any competition.

Beautiful Upholstery Fabrics.

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Draperies of every description.

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Perhaps you need them? If so, inspect our large assortment and satisfy yourself as to the low prices and high quality of our goods.

It is wonderful how our Carpet trade increases—two whole floors are devoted to them, and still a demand for MORE ROOM. Choice patterns and low prices tell.

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We are offering our full line of Wilton, Bagdad, Smyrna and Japanese Rugs at extremely reduced prices.

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We have four entire floors devoted to the furniture department, in which there is displayed an immense Stock of Parlor Suites, in Silk Plush, Wilton Rug, Brocatelle or Tapestry.

Bed Room Suites, in all the latest finishes, Mahogany, Oak, Cherry, Walnut and Antique Oak.

We still continue our Special Sale of 100 3-piece Oak Suites, Large Beveled Glass, at $27.50. 100 3-piece Oak Suites at $24.

Dining Room Furniture, Extension Tables and Side Boards, in Oak, Cherry, Walnut and Antique Oak.

Miscellaneous Furniture of every description.

All goods marked in plain figures.

Remember our enormous stock is entirely new.

Remember the high reputation we have for standard qualities.

Remember we offer great inducements throughout all the departments.

And remember if you contemplate furnishing it will be to your advantage to compare our stock and prices with other houses.

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GREAT VARIETY OF SHOULDER CAPES, MUFFS, BOAS AND TRIMMINGS.
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season at

TOPHAM'S,
1231 Pa. ave. n.

We would also like to have you examine our stock
CARRIAGE ROBES at prices that we guarantee
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR A STYLISH, GENTEEL AND DURable Suit see our $15 Black Cheviot in 3-Button Cutaway and Sack. GEORGE SPRANSY, 434 7th st. See this suit. oc18

THE WASHINGTON TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

The regular course of Lectures will be delivered at the Lecture Hall, No. 1226 O st. n.w., every Monday and Thursday Evenings, at 7:30 p.m., commencing October 21. For further information and tickets of admission apply to

Dr. H. L. E. JOHNSON, Dean.
oc18.19.21 1400 L st. n.w.

MRS. ALICE STRANGE DAVIS WILL Resume Music Lessons NOVEMBER 1. Pupils desiring to secure hours for instruction will communicate at once. Address 1342 Argyle avenue, Baltimore, Md. oc18-2t*

I. O. O. F.

Georgetown, October 18, 1889.

The members of Mechanics Lodge, No. 18, I.O.O.F., are notified to assemble in the Lodge Room on SUNDAY at 12:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of Bro. R. R. Marcy. Members of sister lodges invited to join with us.

All members of Mechanics Lodge are requested to be present at the regular session on FRIDAY, 18th inst., to make arrangements for funeral of Bro. Marcy.

HUGH G. DIVINE,
oc18-2t Recording Secretary.

NOTICE.—ALL BILLS AGAINST THE Triennial Committee, Knights Templar, must be presented at Triennial Headquarters, Atlantic Building, before 3 p.m. SATURDAY the 19th instant.

M. M. PARKER,
1t Chairman.

GENTLEMEN.—WE CARRY IN STOCK A splendid assortment of White and Colored Cashmeres, Merino and Lambs Wool, Undergarments, prices, which we guarantee as low as anybody will sell the same qualities, range from $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50 to $5 per suit. R. C. LEWIS & SON, Outfitters and Hatters, 1421 New York ave. 1t

WASHINGTON, D. C., OCT. 18, 1889.

We the undersigned hereby agree to dissolve the partnership now existing between us and to sell at public auction any and all properties, real and personal, also all interests in or appertaining to said copartnership, said public sale to take place at 623 and 625 G st. n.w. on OCTOBER 31, 1889.

(Signed) MOSES SINSHEIMER,
oc18-3t JAKE FRANK.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY WARNED against the purchase of two Promissory Notes, each for $700.50, dated January 29, 1889, and payable respectively in nine and twelve months from date; said notes made by Moritz von Entress and William W. Chambers, payable to the order of Frederick Stutz. The payment of the said notes will be contested upon grounds that can be ascertained upon application to me. WILLIAM W. CHAMBERS,
oc17-3t* 1227 R st.

NEW UPRIGHT PIANOS
FOR RENT.
F. G. SMITH,
oc17-6t 1225 Pa. ave.

WASHINGTON, OCT. 15, 1889.

The Firm of ROOT & LOWENTHAL is THIS DAY Dissolved by mutual consent. WM. LOWENTHAL will continue, collect and liquidate all bills.

C. A. ROOT.
oc17-3t WM. LOWENTHAL.

DUFOUR'S PHARMACY HAS REMOVED to 1142 Connecticut ave., where we will be pleased to see our old patrons and the public generally. oc17-6t

HOW ABOUT OVERCOATS?

Perhaps you do not need an Overcoat just now, but before I could turn out one for you the weather may be colder.

I am making a fine Navy Blue Chinchilla Overcoat to your measure, finished and trimmed in a first-class style, for $25.

I am still making up a fine Black Diagonal Cutaway Coat and Vest for $25.

G. WARFIELD SIMPSON,
Cash Tailor and "Expert in Trousers,"
oc17 Corner 9th and G sts. n.w.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

$1.25 buys 100 ft. Dry. Bright Boards.
$1.25 Buys 100 ft. Good Va. Boards.
$1.25 Buys 100 ft. Boards 16 ft. lengths.
$1.25 Buys 100 ft. Heart Well-sawed Boards.
$1.25 is our low price for Boards.

LIBBEY, BITTINGER & MILLER,
Dealers in Lumber and Mill Work,
oc6-1m 6TH ST. AND NEW YORK AVE. N.W.

TO INVESTORS.

I have some first-class 4, 5 and 6 per cent dividend-paying Stock and Bonds to which I invite attention. FRANK H. PELOUZE, 1313 F street. oc16-3

NOTICE. — PHILADELPHIA REPUBLICans, the registry of voters of the city of Philadelphia are at the office of HERRON & RAMEY, at 1307 F st., where they can be seen by said voters from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each week day.

oc16-10t DANIEL RAMEY.

28,013 SHIRT ORDERS TO DATE!!!

Place your order for Shirts with P. T. HALL, successor to Jas. Thompson and late J. W. Amer (R. H. Taylor). Factory 908 F st. n.w. se27-3m

CENTRAL UNION MISSION.

The Christian public is respectfully and cordially invited to attend the fifth anniversary meeting of this mission at the Mount Vernon Place M.E. Church South, corner 9th and K sts. n.w., NEXT SABBATH EVENING, October 20, 7:30 o'clock. The exercises will consist of brief addresses by prominent pastors, characteristic mission singing, a statement of the work of the year and testimonies by the converts. Annual business meeting at the mission rooms Monday, October 21, 7:30 p. m. oc15-4t

MEN'S WINTER UNDERWEAR.

We have all the good kinds, Merino, Half-wool, All-wool, Camel's Hair, Natural Wool, Silk-and-Wool, English Balbriggan, and All-silk, in both Medium and Heavy Weight. We have filled a window full to enable you to see a part of the stock at a glance. There are no lower prices than ours for equal quality underwear.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP,
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THE CORCORAN
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Has Removed to its New Office,
604 11th st. n.w. oc15-1w

SEVEN AND EIGHT PER CENT LOANS.

I am prepared to make Loans in California, first-class in every respect, at the above rates of interest, principal and interest payable in Washington.

For a short time I shall be in Washington, at my old office, 1407 F st., where I shall be pleased to meet any of my friends or parties who would like to consult me regarding these investments or other matters connected with Southern California. JOHN SHERMAN. Office hours 10 a.m. to 12:30. oc15-6t

DR. RUFUS CHOATE,
Office: 310 Indiana ave.,
oc14-1w* Hours—4 to 7 p.m.

DR. A. BEHREND HAS REMOVED HIS Office and Residence to 1214 K st. n.w.

Office hours from 8 to 10 a.m.; 1:30 to 2 p.m.; 5 to 7 p.m. Telephone 1173. se12-2m

H. E. BARRETT,

For the past fifteen years connected with the Drug Store corner 9th and Pa. ave., desires to inform his friends that he has opened the Shoreham Drug Store, corner 15th and H sts., with a complete stock of Drugs, Chemicals, &c. oc14-1m*

PROMPT ESTIMATES
ON
GAS FIXTURES.
By C. A. MUDDIMAN,
jy23-3m 1206 F st.

MME. MANDEVILLE, EXPERT MANIcure and Chiropodist, 1332 G st., formerly of New York. Patronage of Ladies and Gentlemen solicited; satisfaction guaranteed; 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. oc12-1w*

WASHINGTON, D.C., OCTOBER 1, 1889.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Wadesboro' Brown Stone Company is called and will be held at the office of the company, 624 F st. n.w., Washington, D.C., FRIDAY, October 25, 1889, at 7 p.m., for the purpose of increasing the capital stock of the company to $100,000.

MILTON C. BARNARD, BENJ. F. LEIGHTON,
ROBERT BOYD, JOHN MOSER,
JOS. G. HESTER, WATSON J. NEWTON,
JOHN B. HILL, J. SPRIGG POOLE,
GEO. F. SCHAYER, Trustees. oc3-3w

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"EQUITABLE BUILDING," 1003 F ST.
ASSETS $1,044,781.37.

Office hours, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. On the first Wednesday in each month the office will be open from 6 to 8 o'clock p. m. Advances will be made promptly at 7 o'clock.

Subscriptions for shares in the 18th series (new issue) will be received on and after October 16, 1889.

Shares are $2.50 per month.

$1,000 advanced on each share.

Pamphlets explaining the objects and advantage of the Association are furnished upon application.

THOMAS SOMERVILLE, Pres't.
JNO. JOY EDSON, Sec'y. my31

COMMUTATION TICKETS.

Coupon books containing 100 tickets, transferable, good for six months, on all lines of the Herdic Coaches, for sale at the Company's offices, 10th and C sts. s.e., and 1912 E st. n.w., and at the following drug stores:

F. PITZER & CO., 501 E. Capitol st.
T. E. OGRAM, 1211 Penna. ave. n.w.
F. McC. CRISWELL, 1101 F st. n.w.
A. J. SCHAFHIRT, North Capitol and H st.
ROB'T SCHOLL, 21st and G st.
Price, $3.70. je12-6m

Washington News and Gossip.

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The Star Out of Town.

The Evening Star will be sent by mail to any address in the United States or Canada for such period as may be desired, at the rate of fifty cents per month. ☞ *But all such orders must be accompanied by the money, or the paper cannot be sent, as no accounts are kept with mail subscriptions.* ☜

Government Receipts Today.—Internal revenue, $415,646; customs, $690.401.

District Pensions.—The following named pensions, among others, have been granted to residents of the District of Columbia: Original invalid, James Carroll, George W. Johnson; increase, B. Diggins, navy; original widows, &c., Martha R. Ellsworth, for widow of James L. Fenton.

Resigned.—Carter Clarkson, the son of the First Assistant Postmaster General, who has been acting as his father's private secretary, has resigned in order to continue his studies preparatory to entering Harvard college.

Richard E. Sloan has been appointed associate justice of the supreme court of Arizona.

Indians Must Not Slaughter Deer for Their Hides.—The Secretary of the Interior has directed that the the Indians in southwestern Colorado be prevented from slaughtering the deer for the hides only. The treaty provision which allows these Indians to hunt, the Secretary holds, does not give them the right to kill game necessary to supply their need as a tribe.

The Cruiser Baltimore has been placed in dry dock at Philadelphia and is being cleaned and painted preparatory to another official trial.

Increased Postal Receipts.—During the quarter ended September 30, 1889, there was an increase of 5.1 per cent in the gross receipts of the Washington city post office. A statement prepared at the Post Office department shows that the gross receipts at thirty of the larger post offices in the country during the same period had increased 9.6 per cent as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year.

Amos Cummings as Cox's Successor.—Amos J. Cummings was nominated by the Tammany Hall convention of the ninth New York district last night to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman S. S. Cox. The nomination was received with great enthusiasm, and Mr. Cummings replied in a forcible speech accepting the nomination.

Secretary Noble spent yesterday at Hagerstown, Md., and was at his desk this morning. Representative Perkins of Kansas had a long interview with the Secretary and there was a large number of other callers who occupied the chairs in Private Secretary Pope's room waiting their turn. Mr. Pope was formerly a student in Secretary Noble's law office in St. Louis, and as he is familiar with the Secretary's mode of working he is able to render him valuable assistance.

Virginia Postmasters.—Nannie C. Goudy has been appointed postmaster at Ca Ira, Cumberland county; S. B. Ginn at Glen Allen, Henrico county, and Jno. B. Rodgers at Richardsville, Culpeper county.

Naval Orders.—Lieut. A. F. Fechkler has been ordered to duty in the bureau of navigation; Chief Engineer Geo. H. White has been ordered to special duty in connection with the machinery of the Brooklyn.

Alleged Counterfeiters Arrested.—The chief of the secret service is informed by Agent Brooks of the New York district that he arrested Michael Ladykier for passing counterfeit Russian bank notes in New York city; also by Agent Shaw from Leavenworth, Kan., that he arrested Alice Jefferies for passing counterfeit $10 United States Treasury notes. Jefferies is a notorious woman of the town and for a long time has been suspected of dealing in counterfeit money.

Not a Citizen.—The announcement that Prof. Francis R. Fava, son of Baron de Fava, had been naturalized as an American citizen was erroneous. Mr. Fava says that, having resided only two years in this country, he could not, under the law, become a citizen.

The Appointment is Legal.—Solicitor General Chapman has decided a question referred to him by the civil service commission and holds that the appointment of a railway mail clerk was legal whose appointment was approved by the Postmaster General prior to May 1, when the service was placed under the civil service rules, although he did not take the oath of office until after that date. The solicitor general is of the opinion that the appointment was complete before May 1, and the fact that the appointee did not take the oath of office until after May 1 is immaterial upon the question of his right to hold the office.

Personal.—Ex-President Hayes dined with George W. Childs at his country seat, Wootten, yesterday and planted a tree there.——Senator Voorhees has returned from a three weeks' visit to Asheville, N.C., much improved in health. On Saturday he goes to Ohio on some legal business.——Salvador Mendoncas, Brazilian minister, Mrs. R. H. Goddard of Providence, R.I., are at the Normandie.——C. H. Evans and wife of Philadelphia, Pa., Capt. R. Vance of San Antonio, Tex., R. C. Lord of Boston, Mass., are at the Hotel Johnson.——N.O. Murphy of Arizona, J. E. Boyd of North Carolina, G. Emery of Boston, M. Snyder of New York, D. A. Hegan, U.S.A., A. W. Jones of Missouri and B. Miles of Ohio are at the Ebbitt.——James Long of Pittsburg, J. Page of New York, S. Boyer of Philadelphia are at the Arno.——J. Speiss of San Francisco, S. Allen of Duluth, J. Gibb of Brooklyn, George Paine of Pittsburg, J. Wright of Dallas, Tex., are at the Arlington.—H. R. Squier of New York, J. Parker of England, M. Little of Baltimore and J. A. Clarke of Minnesota are at the Riggs.——L. A. Gardelle and wife of Augusta, Ga., J. R. Campbell and family of Jacksonville, Mrs. E. M. Green and family of Savannah, Ga., W. J. Mason of England, W. H. Catlin and wife of Meriden, Conn., A. S. Pasyueth of Mexico and T. D. Fife and family of Tennessee are at the St. James.

MAHONE AND THE NEGROES.

A Talk With Senator Barbour on the Virginia Campaign.

A STAR reporter asked Senator Barbour today what he thought of the condition of the Virginia campaign.

"Our people, (the democrats,) seem to be pretty well satisfied," he replied. "I can't say who is going to be the governor, but we feel very confident."

"Do you think the attitude of Mr. Langston is going to injure Mahone?"

"Oh, I can't tell about that. It may and it may not. About Petersburg I think it may amount to considerable, but it may not amount to so much in the state generally. Mr. Mahone is counting on the negroes voting for the republican party, regardless of their feeling as to him personally and of the manner in which he treats them. Of course, he may make a miscalculation, but you can't tell. It may be that the negroes will simply bleed Mr. Mahone and Mr. Quay."

"Is Mahone going to gain white votes by repudiating the negro?"

"No, I do not think he will accomplish anything worth while in that way. The negroes are the dominant element in the party, and when the party is in control they will be in control regardless of Mahone. When he tried to fight Langston in Petersburg and put up his own candidate in the field, Langston got four votes to every one cast for Mahone's candidate. In Mahone's own district, aside from those men he has gathered personally around him, there are not five hundred white votes."

THE DISTRICT'S NEW ATTORNEY.

A Talk With Him About the Position to Which he Has Been Appointed.

A representative of THE STAR called upon Mr. George Hazelton, the newly appointed attorney for the District, this morning and found that gentleman snugly ensconced in a large rocking chair in the back parlor of his cozy little home on B street.

"How are you pleased with your appointment?" ventured the reporter as he drew up a chair.

"Very much indeed," he replied. "I don't know but that I like it better than the commisssionership. You see the duties are not so arduous, and then again I don't have to please every one."

"I see Major Raymond objected to your appointment on account of your lack of knowledge of the local laws. What do you say to that?"

"Let my work show for itself," replied Mr. Hazelton. "I go into the office to do my utmost to subserve the best interests of the District. As far as my not being familiar with the complex laws of the District is concerned I have no doubt but that Congress will have them codified at its next session."

"How about your assistants? Do you expect to make many changes in the present force?" asked the reporter.

"That I can't answer. I will say, however, that my assistants will be chosen with care and will all be republicans."

"I see," remarked the reporter, "that some of the papers charge that the Commissioners in making your appointment were influenced by a District ring."

"There is not a word of truth in the charge."

"Do you think you can be of use to the Commissioners in Congress on account of your former relations with that body?" continued the scribe.

"Yes, I do. There is no doubt but that I can lend them valuable assistance before that body."

As the reporter took his leave Mr. Hazelton remarked:

"You can tell the people of Washington that I will do my utmost for them, and if hard work and close attention to duty are the requisites for success I shall succeed."

A SKETCH OF THE NEW ATTORNEY.

Mr. Hazelton, who will assume the office of attorney of the District on December 1, came to Washington as a representative in the Forty-fifth Congress from Wisconsin and served for three consecutive terms. Since leaving Congress he has made his residence here. He is about fifty-six years old and a native of Chester, N. H. He graduated from Union college, Schenectady, studied law and entered the New York bar. He settled in Boscobel, Wis., and soon became prominent as a lawyer. He was elected district attorney of Grant county in 1864 and re-elected in 1866. Subsequently he was elected to the state senate, and was chosen president pro tempore of that body. His next public honor was his election to Congress. Since his legislative career closed he has practiced law here, being associated for a time with ex-Representative Page of California. He was prominent as a candidate for the office of District Commissioner when Mr. Douglass was appointed.

The Pension Commissionership.

A rumor that reached the pension office today that Maj. Poole of New York had been appointed commissioner of pensions made considerable stir among the clerks and chiefs of divisions there. The pension officials do not express any preference as to whom they would like to succeed Mr. Tanner, but they would like to have the place filled and the element of uncertainty in the situation removed. Maj. Poole is known to quite a number of the pension officials. He was in the city on the 4th of March, and, as a one-armed soldier, he naturally drifted toward the pension office. He was then considered the strongest candidate for the place next to Mr. Tanner and his friends thought that he would secure it.

Chief Justice Fuller for President.

At a meeting of the Andrew Jackson league in Chicago Col. Robert Rae addressed the club. In his speech he said that the time had come when the west should have a presidential candidate, and that Illinois would present the name of Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller before the next democratic convention. His remarks were greeted by immense applause.

A Woman Robbed at a Ball.

Last night at a ball in the Cadets' armory a colored girl, Elizabeth Williams, complained to Special Officer Brockenborough that she had lost her pocket book, with four rings and $4.15 in it. With the aid of Officer Daly he arrested three colored boys—Joseph Price, Thomas Cooper and another named Brown. They were charged as suspicious characters and the court dismissed Brown, but held the others to bonds or work house.

Set Her Goods and Chattels' in the Street.

Anna Berry, a colored woman, was charged in the Police Court this morning with disorderly conduct. Mary Jackson testified that while out at work yesterday Mrs. Berry had set her things out and had not before given her notice to move. The court gave Mrs. Berry a talking to as to her violation of the law and told Mary to put the things back again.

A Dinner to Capt. Symons.

Maj. Raymond last night gave an informal dinner at his residence to Capt. Symons. Among the invited guests were Capt. Lusk and family and ex-Commissioners Webb and Wheatley. Numerous expressions of regret on the early departure of Capt. Symons were uttered. The captain leaves for his new post next week.

Mrs. John Platt, wife of Alderman Platt of Newcastle, Pa., while killing a rooster received a scratch from one of its spurs. A few days later Mrs. Platt and a child she was nursing developed symptoms of blood poisoning. The child is dead and Mrs. Platt cannot recover.

Tommy McDonald, aged four years, fell from the bridge into the river at Saccorappa, Me., October 3, and was drowned in the rapids. His six-year-old brother, who had gone with him to buy some toys, returned home alone and said he had left Tommy at the store. The lost child was sought in vain and not till last night did his brother tell the story of death.

Much excitement has been caused over the arrest at Brantford, Canada, of W. Browne, who has been pronounced affected with leprosy. He had just been discharged from the jail at London for having obtained money under false pretences.

Eel-skin gloves are all the "go" now.

Telegrams to The Star.

ALL QUIET IN CHICAGO.

The Whisky Trust Bound to Rule.

JACK THE RIPPER IN GERMANY

Inquest on the Electric Accident in New York.

THE AMERICAN BOARD ADJOURNS.

JAY GOULD MAKES A MOVE.

WEARY WORK RESUMED.

Stollenburg Got Letters From Canada Under Another Man's Name.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The weary work of securing a jury in the Cronin case was resumed this morning in the criminal court.

WHY STOLTENBERG WAS ARRESTED.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The morning papers give the following as the real reason of Henry Stoltenberg's arrest: Last June Stoltenberg went to a friend—Wm. O. Dahl, a young man employed by a firm of grocers on Madison street—and asked permission to have certain mail that he was expecting come addressed to him (Dahl). Stoltenberg explained that it was a little matter that he wanted to keep quiet. Dahl consented. The first letter came the latter part of July and was post marked Toronto, Canada. The facts brought to light connecting the name of Stoltenberg's employer with certain individuals in Toronto excited Dahl's suspicions. He said nothing, however, until a second letter arrived some time later. Then he took one of his employers into his confidence and told him the facts. His employer advised him to take the letter to the state's attorney. Dahl did not do so, but refused to receive any more letters. The matter, however, weighed upon Dahl's mind and last Wednesday night he came to the state's attorney with the story as above stated. Stoltenberg was at once arrested and brought to the state's attorney's office. He was put through a rigid examination by the attorneys for the prosecution, culminating with the Dahl episode. Stoltenberg denied that he had received letters through Dahl, and when confronted by Dahl and his employer refused to talk.

THE GRAND JURY TAMPERED WITH.

The *Tribune* this morning says: It is probable a special grand jury will be asked to further investigate the jury bribing case next week. Two members of the present grand jury have communicated with the friends of the defense. The state's attorney will not, therefore, present any new evidence if he can avoid it.

FRANCE IS ARMING.

She Does Not Like the German Garrisons Along the Rhine.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The tory organs are making the most of the news from Chicago about the "fixing" of a juror for the Cronin trial. The *Saturday Review* in particular, the cleverest and most bitter of all the opponents of Parnell and his English allies, is in its element when dealing with anything so fortuitously supporting its views of the utter worthlessness of the Irish. The *Review* pretends to fear that some, if not all, of the large cities of the United States are under the sway of a class as bloodthirsty and far more cunning than "the rulers of Crete, not to speak of Dahomey."

SHREWD LONDON GAS MEN.

London has cheap and fairly good gas and big capital is invested in gas plants. The electric light accidents in America are dwelt on in London papers to buttress up the gas companies here.

PATIENT LONDON POLICE.

Over thirty policemen are now reported as crippled temporarily in the line of duty. Chief Commissioner Monro, Inspector Moore and others recommend a more vigorous treatment of desperate men who resist arrest.

BERLIN AND THE BALTIC.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—A committee is being formed to consider plans for the construction of a ship canal to connect Berlin with the Baltic sea.

THE SPECIE INCREASES.

The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows an increase in specie of 3,980,000 marks.

RECOVERING THE BODIES.

The bodies of thirty-seven of the men killed in the explosion in the Bentlee colliery at Longton on Wednesday have been recovered.

A FRENCH STRIKE.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—The miners' strike at Lens, France, is spreading and 9,000 men are now out in that district. Scenes of violence are frequent and police and military are powerless.

SALISBURY.

Lord Salisbury, who is returning to England from the south of France, arrived in Paris yesterday.

The sixth corps, which France proposes to double on account of the increase of the German garrisons in Alsace-Lorraine, is now centered at Nancy. The eastern railway facilities will be increased by doubling the lines running from Lille, Lyons and Besancon to the German frontier.

PLEASANT TESTIMONIALS.

VIENNA, Oct. 18.—Cardinal Haynold, who is celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of his admission to the priesthood, has received from Emperor William of Germany a very flattering autograph letter congratulating him upon the jubilee anniversary.

FLOODS IN HUNGARY.

The rivers are rising in southern Hungary and at many points have overflowed their banks. Several important river towns are threatened with disastrous floods.

A MINISTER REFUSED RECOGNITION.

ROME, Oct. 18.—The Italian government has refused to accept Washan Effendi as Turkish ambassador to Rome and has notified the porte to that effect.

PORTUGAL'S KING.

LISBON, Oct. 18. The condition of the king has become worse. The paralysis of his body has increased.

JACK THE RIPPER.

Has He Left England to Continue His Crimes in Germany?

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—An evening paper prints a dispatch from Hamburg, Germany, stating that the mutilated body of a woman has been found in Flensburg, a suburb of the city, in circumstances and surroundings suggesting that Jack the Ripper has transferred his operations to the continent.

Died at His Desk.

NEWARK, N.J., Oct. 18.—David Runyon, aged fifty-five years, a book keeper employed by the Mutual benefit life company, dropped dead at his desk this morning.

Jay Gould Sick.

WICHITA, KAN., Oct. 18.—Jay Gould and party passed through here yesterday. Mr. Gould has been sick since leaving Denver. He looked weary and worn and did not get off his car.

The Sandbagged Girl Dying.

NEWARK, N.J., Oct. 18.—Annie Green, the thirteen-year-old girl, of Kearney, N.J., who was struck with a sandbag Tuesday night, is reported to be sinking this morning. There is no clue to her assailant.

AMERICAN BOARD ADJOURNED.

Reports and Predictions for Missionary Work.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The American board adjourned sine die shortly after noon. After the devotional exercises this morning Dr. Bradford of Mont Clair, N.J., read the report of the committee on mission work in papal lands. These lands include Mexico, Spain and Austria. The report stated that the work was going along satisfactorily.

Dr. Virgin of this city made an address, urging the continuation of missionary work in the papal lands. The report on the condition of mission work in China stated that there was a very large field for work there. Educational work was most wanted. Mr. Holcomb, a former missionary to China and at present secretary of legation at Pekin, made an address on the condition of the mission work in China and urged an enlargement of the educational work.

Rev. Mr. Bruce, a missionary from western India, made an appeal for more missionaries and more financial aid. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce and their eldest daughter return to India as appointees of the board. Rev. Mr. Finian, an American, employed as a missionary in western Turkey, made a brief address, in which he said that the American Christians were the fruit of the missionaries sent out from his native country, as he was the fruit of the American board. He said that mission work was progressing rapidly in Turkey, and in ten years Turkey would be sending out missionaries to other countries, and if the saloons were not abolished in the United States a missionary band would invade this country. Other missionaries also spoke.

The Tri-Americans.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Oct. 18.—The Pan-American tourists awoke this morning in Grand Rapids, and as soon as dressed were escorted to the Morton house. The depot, hall and all the buildings on the principal streets were profusely decorated with American and Spanish flags. A battery of artillery fired a salute as the party were driven from the cars to the hotel. Breakfast was served the party at the Morton house, after which carriages were taken and three furniture factories, a carpet sweeper factory and other places of interest were visited. At 12 o'clock the visitors witnessed a parade of the fire department. This was a fine exhibition and the delegates applauded the special feats of the firemen warmly. At the finish of the parade the party went to Sweet's hotel, where luncheon was served. Mr. Clem Studebaker joined the party last evening just as they left Ann Arbor. He says he will entertain the delegates at South Bend as he at first contemplated.

Three Brothers Convicted.

SHELBYVILLE, IND., Oct. 18.—David Silb was found guilty yesterday of murdering Edward Stanford, his brother-in-law, and his punishment fixed at imprisonment for life. His brothers, Joe and Albert, indicted with him for complicity in the crime, plead guilty of manslaughter. Joe was given a fourteen-year and Albert a twenty-year sentence.

They Came Home.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The two young ladies who were reported on Wednesday night as missing from their fathers' residences on 5th avenue returned home last night, saying they had been visiting friends in Yonkers. Who they are is still a mystery, the police refusing to divulge their names.

A New York Official Goes Insane.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Col. A. H. Rogers, late deputy street commissioner, was committed to the care of the department of charities and correction this morning for examination as to his sanitary. He was arrested last night for raising a row with a cab driver. He has been acting in a most eccentric manner for some time past.

A Wicked Wife.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Oct. 18.—An attempt was made to blow up A. Geishner's saloon, on 7th and Ringo streets, in this city, last night at 8 o'clock. The divorced wife of London Walker, the barkeeper, is charged with throwing a dynamite bomb into the saloon. The explosion wrecked the interior of the building, but did no other damage.

Fire in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Fire in the three-story building on the northeast corner of 7th avenue and 125th street destroyed the upper story, which was used by company B of the seventy-first regiment. The lower floors were used by Blakeley & Co., dry goods. Three families, living in the adjoining house, escaped in their night clothes. Loss by fire and water, $10,000.

Boiler Explosion.

LIMA, O., Oct. 18.—A thrashing machine boiler exploded on the farm of W. Hanson, a few miles north of St. Mary's, Ohio, instantly killing Perry Sigler, fatally injuring Joseph Silvers and badly scalding Jake Hemlern and another man whose name was not learned.

Pullman Car Earnings.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—At yesterday's meeting of the Pullman palace car company, President Pullman's report for the year ending July 31, was submitted as follows:

Revenue from earnings of cars, $6,825,954.95; from patents, $8,327.43; from manufacturing, rentals, dividends, enterest, &c., $1,469,013.12. Total, $8,303,295. Disbursements—Operating expenses, including legal expenses, general taxes and insurance, $3,070,779.

Proportion of net earnings paid other interests in sleeping-car associations controlled and operated by this company, $920,905; interest on debenture bonds, $79,527; dividends on capital stock, $1,795,655; repairs of cars in excess of mileage, $84,915; contingency reserve, $100,000; total, $6,051,765.

Surplus for the year, being excess of revenue over ordinary disbursements, carried to credit of income account, $2,251,530.

A Street Row Ends in Murder.

ELIZABETHTOWN, OHIO, Oct. 18.—At 8 o'clock last night Tobe Hayburst and Roll Hayes became involved in a quarrel in front of the village post office. Hayburst, who had been drinking heavily; was the aggressor. He followed up his abusive language by slapping Hayes in the face. Hayes made no attempt at retaliation until Hayburst slapped him a second time, and, according to statements of spectators, drew a knife. As he seized Hayes with his left hand there was a muffled report and Hayburst fell to the ground with a bullet through his heart. The murderer escaped.

Weary Episcopalians.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Services were celebrated in the house of deputies this morning by Bishop Quintard of Tennessee, assisted by Bishops Spalding of Colorado and Scarborough of New Jersey. There was a small attendance. The deputies are too well seasoned to services to deprive themselves of their natural rest to come to hear their bishops. The galleries, however, were well filled with ladies.

At 10:20 Dr. Dix called the house to order. Not more than 150 of the members were present. The reports of the different standing committees were then presented. The committee on canons presented a report on the proposed establishment of a missionary episcopate for the colored people. Even if the church laws allowed them to recognize the separate races the committee deemed it inexpedient to do so now. They requested to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

The discussion on the question was postponed. Dr. Benedict of the committee on constitutional amendments offered a resolution changing the time of the assembling of the next general convention from the first Wednesday in October to the third Wednesday in September. The resolution was placed on the calendar.

Rev. Dr. Littell of Delaware read the report of the committee on the "General theological seminary," and recommended its adoption. The report gave details of the working of the seminary. Mr. King of Long Island requested leave to present a minority report. The discussion was postponed. At 11:05 the house resumed consideration of the question of liturgical revision.

The six amendments which were adopted yesterday by the house in committee of the whole were then taken up in order, and after considerable debate were formally adopted. The noon recess was then taken.

THE WHISKY TRUST.

It Must Fight to Make Its Power Felt.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—The whisky trust which has been in session in this city for several days is just now engaged in a desperate struggle for the complete control of the market, the outcome of which is to determine whether it is eventually to prove a success or a failure, as everybody knows it already has within its clutches all the western distilleries save about half a dozen. The fight of the trust against those outside the trust has been a bitter one always, but now it is being carried on with more than the usual energy. The trust has attempted to undersell the outside distillers at every point and the result of the competition thus brought about has been a reduction of from 10 to 15 cents a gallon in the finished product within the last year and a reduction of 3 cents within the last four or five weeks. The occasion for the present special activity of the trust is probably found in the fact that a number of new distilleries had been projected or put in operation. The distilleries outside the trust were evidently prosperous. Scores of capitalists knew of the immense profits of the whisky business and talked of going into it, feeling assured that even if they could not succeed they could sell out to the trust without much loss, and generally the case had reached a stage where something must be done to demonstrate to outsiders that the trust was master of the situation and that nobody could succeed outside the trust.

The wholesale dealers as a rule seem to regret the success and prospects of the trust. They think it will compel them to pay higher prices and that they will not be able to make their present profits because they cannot in turn increase the prices charged to consumers. It is generally understood that the trust has a large surplus, estimated at from $250,000 to $500,000, out of the profits of past business and that it is ready to spend all of this and more to make its power indisputable.

A Robbery Kept Quiet.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 18.—News of another big express robbery in Alabama has just leaked out. It involves about $6,000 and occurred at Millsport, Lamar county, a week ago. Walter Abercrombie, a young white man, was brought to this city yesterday by detectives and charged with the robbery. He has been secreted from reporters and his statement cannot be obtained. The night of the robbery the agent of Millsport had in his possession certain packages which were worth about $6,000. By some means the robber learned of it and made his haul. The agent was in the office alone at night when the robber entered, covered him with a pistol and made him hand over the money.

The Territorial Court Hangs Them All.

Tucson, Ariz., Oct. 18.—A special from Florence says the five Apache Indians tried and convicted for murder were sentenced Wednesday to be hanged. Three were charged with the murder of Diehl two years ago and two had to answer for the murder of Jones. These Indians were all tried in the United States court. Two were sentenced to death and the others to terms of imprisonment in Ohio. On appeal to the Supreme Court it was decided the United States courts had no jurisdiction and now all will have to swing.

Her Woman's Way Betrayed Her.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 18.—A pretty black-haired, black-eyed young woman, evidently about twenty years old, was arrested at Cloquet Wednesday night while tending bar in a saloon dressed as a man. She appeared in that town Saturday and at once applied for work at the saloon of a man named Smith and was promptly engaged as bar keeper. Suspicion was aroused by her woman's way, which she could not disguise. She was not surprised at being arrested and took matters cooly. Her antecedents and name are not known. She says she assumed the disguise to escape from her lover, who is a horse thief. She is still in jail.

A Usurer's Fate.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 18.—Many years ago David Hutchinson borrowed $8,000 from H. D. Booge, a money lender, who was secured by a real estate mortgage of $12,000, with excessive rates of interest. Hutchinson died and Booge sold the notes and mortgage to one Hubbell of Des Moines, Iowa, who brought suit for foreclosure against Hutchinson's heirs some months ago. The defendants pleaded usury. The execution of the note and interest was acknowledged, but the jury rendered a verdict for the defendants, not giving Hubbell anything. They completely wiped out even the debt of $8,000 acknowledged and the interest. This is the law in this state now.

An Arctic Eldorado.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 18.—R. G. McConnell of the geological survey has returned from his inspection of the region between the Peace and Athabaska rivers. He commenced about three hundred miles north of Calgary and extended his operations for some 300 miles further north to the vicinity of Vermillion. This region embraces an area of 30,000 or 40,000 square miles. Little of this tract was ever explored before by white men. A great deal of it is good farming land, but swamps abound and make it unfit for settlement. The trees are principally spruce and poplar. Speaking of the deposits of oil reported to be there Mr. McConnell said he certainly found quantities of tar, indicating the presence of oil, but just in what quantities it existed he was not prepared to say before making his reports.

Inquest on the Cause of Feeks' Death.

New York, Oct. 18.—The inquest on the death of Lineman John E. H. Feeks, who met such a horrible death on a telegraph pole, commenced this morning before Coroner Shultz. Mr. Humstone, superintendent of the Western Union telegraph company, and three Western Union linemen testified regarding the position, &c., of Western Union wires on the fatal pole. J. W. Darrow, foreman of the gang in which Feeks worked, testified that he instructed Feeks to take down the dead wires on the fatal pole, and that he told Feeks that he need not be afraid of an electric light wire as there were none in that vicinity. Witness further said: "In my opinion Feeks' face was touching a dead wire which may have been grounded, and his feet were on a Western Union or telephone wire. Since the accident I have made a thorough investigation to learn whether the dead Western Union wires crossed an electric light wire or motor wire. The wire, however, on which Feeks' face rested was in a condition which made it difficult to trace it, it having been cut in taking down the body.

The coroner instructed Darrow to make a further investigation of the wire and ascertain whether it was grounded at any point along the line.

Other witnesses agreed with Darrow that the fatal wire was crossed with an electric light wire.

Jay Gould Makes a Move.

Fort Scott, Kan., Oct. 18.—Jay Gould, accompanied by S. H. H. Clarke and party, arrived here yesterday, and last night he signed contracts with this city to build three lines of railroad—the Fort Scott and Baltimore line, with terminal facilities; the Fort Scott and Eastern, connecting this point with the Missouri Pacific at Tipton, Mo., a distance of 130 miles, and the South line to Mindon, Mo., connecting with the main line at that point. This is practically a consolidation of the Gould Kansas system at this point and is considered one of Gould's strategic moves on the railroad checker board. Everything he wished was conceded here and in return he will build an elegant depot, locate shops, &c.

From Wall Street Today.

New York, Oct. 18.—11 a.m.—There was considerable activity in the stock market this morning, but as usual it was confined to about a half dozen stocks, and St. Paul, Northern Pacific preferred, Burlington and Quincy, Rock Island, Lackawanna and sugar refineries monopolized the business done as well as the fluctuations. The market was weak at the opening, and first prices showed declines from last night's figures, extending ½ per cent, though a few stocks were slightly higher. Although a few stocks among which Burlington and Quincy with a loss of ½ per cent was conspicuous, showed further slight declines during the early dealings, the market was strong from the opening and prices steadily appreciated, though the upward movement in the stocks of the regular list was confined to fractional amounts. Sugar refineries was the strong feature, and on a large business it rapidly rose from 76 to 78½ against 76⅜ last evening. Northern Pacific preferred was exceptional among the regular list and advanced to 72½, a gain of 1 per cent. The market quieted down toward the end of the hour, and at 11 o'clock it was quiet but firm, generally at the best prices reached.

There Was a Wreck After All.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—A *Tribune* special from Lincoln, Neb., says: It is reported here, in spite of all denials to the contrary, that there was a bad wreck on the Union Pacific railroad at or near Sterling, Col., last Tuesday. Claim Agent Manchester started for that point Tuesday, but the officers of the road have so far succeeded in suppressing the facts in the case. Manchester admitted to a friend that several persons had been badly injured and it was feared three or four would die.