SPECIAL NOTICES.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS OF THE METROPolis Building Association, No. 8, will be held THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at McCauley's Hall, Pa. ave., bet. 2d and 3d s.e. By order of the president. GEO. B. VONEIFF. 1t*

PROF. Y. WYLDES, IMPRESSIONAL MEDIUM, Psychometrist, Healer and Adviser on affairs of life. Fee, $1.00. Interviews and lessons daily. 814 I st. n.w. 1t*

SPIRITUALISM. MRS. STEPHENS, TRANCE MEdium. Sittings daily. Circle THURSDAY, at 2 p.m. 402 A st. s.e. 1t*

SPIRITUALISM.—MR. KEELER, AT 918 H ST. n.w., will hold his seance THIS (Wednesday) NIGHT, all in the light. You can see, feel and hear. 1t*

FIT IS THE FEATURE UPON WHICH EVERYthing depends in a suit of clothes. A well-fitting suit indicates a well-dressed man. Every man can obtain perfect-fitting clothes by letting us do his tailoring. We say "Fit or no pay." J. FRED GATCHEL, TAILOR, 604 13TH STREET. my2-6d

Hodges Supplies Blanks
—of all kinds—rules them to order. You'll find them a great convenience. Let him supply your blanks. BOOKBINDER. **511 9th.** my2-6d

Cash for Insurance Policies! When you want money sell us your insurance policy. Full cash value given. **615 14th St. Rooms 19-21.** my2-6d

Safe From Moths. Winter Clothes, Furs, Blankets, Lace Curtains, etc., are safe from moths when wrapped in our MOTH PAPER or packed away in MOTH BAGS. Absolutely moth proof. Sweet, piney odor. Keep fabrics of all kinds in perfect condition. 12 sheets Moth Paper, 60c. Moth Bags, 35, 50 and 65c. **Easton & Rupp, 421 11th.** Popular-Priced Stationers. my2-14d

Suits for Gentlemen, $25
—made to order of good quality of woolens, in thoroughly satisfactory manner. We don't make the "cheap" variety. Satisfaction guaranteed. Suits ready to wear, $10, $12, $15. **A. W. Francis,** Successor to Noah Walker & Co., TAILOR AND CLOTHIER, 625 PENN. AVENUE. my2-10d

For Sale—Electric Fans
—20 different styles to select from. Sold on monthly payments, or for rent, $2 up. Every office and store should be supplied. Ring us up. **Nat'l Electrical Supply Co.,** 1423 N. Y. AVE. 'PHONE 833. my1-tf,10

25 Per Cent Cheaper. 25 Per Cent Faster.
These are two reasons why you should buy the new 1900 MANHATTAN TYPEWRITER. It is equipped with the new rotary escapement, which increases its speed 25 per cent. It costs $75 instead of $100. "Not in the trust." Sole agents. JOHN C. PARKER, 617 SEVENTH STREET.

OLD BIKES MADE NEW!
We do all sorts of Bicycle Repairing, from putting in a spoke to rebuilding a wheel. Better than ordinary work—expert workmen. WOERNER'S CYCLE REPAIR SHOP, 814 14th st. mh22-3m-6

"OLIVE" INFATUATION.
Get the "Olive" fever—others have it. It's all over the new 1900 "Olive" Bicycle. To see it is to want it. $2 a week buys it. R. C. JONES & CO., 513 NINTH ST. N.W. my1-6d

"MODERN" PRINTERS. Don't go to out-of-date printers for printing. We've all the modern types—modern machinery—modern ideas. Want new letter heads, etc., printed? McGILL & WALLACE, Popular-priced Printers, 1107 E. my1-6d

SPIRITUALISM.—ARE YOU AWARE THAT THE friends you have thought dead still live, are interested in you and can communicate? Have a sitting with the best-known slate-writing medium in the world, PIERRE L. KEELER, 918 H st. n.w., every day. Seances Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. All in the light. No darkness. ap30-6t,8

SPECIAL NOTICE— April 28, 1900.
I have this day removed my office to 643 Louisiana avenue n.w. (adjoining the Firemen's Insurance Co.'s building, corner 7th street and Louisiana avenue), where I shall be pleased to serve my friends and the public in all matters relating to Real Estate, Loans and Insurance, giving special attention to the Collection of Rents. JAMES F. SHEA, 643 Louisiana ave. n.w. ap28-6t

SPIRITUALISM.—MRS. ZOLLER, SPIRITUAL MEDIUM, 802 H ST. N.W. SEANCES SUNDAY, TUESDAY, FRIDAY EVENINGS. INTERVIEWS DAILY. ap14-18t*

Furs and Fine Woolens Kept
on freezing storage at Center Market for the season at lowest rates. Absolute protection against moths and odors. ap28-10t,10

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BYRON S. ADAMS, PRINTER, 512 11th Street.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF THE LOSS OF certificate No. 821 for forty shares of the capital stock of Potomac Insurance Co. of Georgetown issued in the name of Philip May. All persons are warned against purchasing same, as application has been made for a certificate to be issued in lieu thereof. ap18-w&s 3w-8 BY THE EXECUTORS.

COMPLETE YOUR HOUSE RENOVATING WHEN repapering and painting by having your CHANDELIERS and GAS FIXTURES refinished. New paper and painting with old, tarnished gas fixtures don't go well together.
We will make them equal to new at trifling expense. Drop us a postal and we will send and give you figures, or we will be glad to have you call.
SUTHERLAND & CARR, 1202 D ST. N.W.
ap25-w.f.m.6t*-12 One door from city post office.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.
The grandest of Fraternal Beneficial Organizations, has paid to its beneficiaries, the widows and orphans of 35,000 deceased members, $69,000,000, $218,000 of which has been disbursed in this city; $29,000 in 1899. For further information address
FRANCIS F. BATES, Grand Dictator, 1925 6th st. n.w.
Or JOHN H. KING, Grand Reporter, 1016 I s.e. ap11-w.s.m.1m

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT THE FIRM OF Acker & Affleck, composed of Albert E. Acker and Philip J. Affleck, jr., doing business as druggists and pharmacists at No. 1429 Pa. ave. n.w., was, on the 16TH DAY OF APRIL, 1900, dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Affleck having purchased the interests of Mr. Acker in the late firm, will continue the drug business at the same location. He assumes all liabilities of Acker & Affleck, and is authorized to make all collections due the late firm.
ALBERT E. ACKER, PHILIP J. AFFLECK, Jr.
Having sold my interests in the firm of Acker & Affleck to my late partner, Mr. Philip J. Affleck, jr., I desire to thank the public for its past generous support, and request the continuance of its patronage with Mr. Affleck.
ALBERT E. ACKER. ap26-1ot

THARP'S BERKELEY RYE — is the best whisky for family and medicinal use. It is absolutely pure, and possesses magnificent body and flavor. One dollar a full quart. Only from JAMES THARP, 812 F st. ap25-10d

HAVE FRANK C. POTTS, EXPERIENCED CARpenter and builder, do your spring work; jobbing a specialty; patching, glazing and furniture packed; estimates fur. East side 17th st. bet. O & P. ap5-7tf

VISIT CLEVELAND PARK To see beautiful Homes, walks, drives. ap21-tf,4

Shriners' Emblematic Cards Printed quickly with the latest style type. Choice of 41 different cards. Be prepared for the session of the Imperial Council in May. SHERIY'S PRINTING OFFICE, 623 D street n.w. ap17-tf

Save 20% net—What are you paying for Fire Insurance on your Home and Furniture? Accident Insurance, $20 per $12,000. S. H. WALKER, 458 La. ave. Tel. 1412. mh19-7tf,4

SPRING AND SUMMER JAEGER UNDERWEAR, PURE WOOL. (They go together.) Ask for catalogue. Agency 728 15th st. Also agency for Gardner & Vail Laundry of New York. Best laundry in the country. mh29-6tf

Men's Shirts to Order.
We have been making Shirts to order since 1886, and have made them for thousands of customers since that time.
We think we can make Shirts for you successfully. If there are any faults as to fit or workmanship, consider the loss ours.
White Shirts, $1.50 to $3.00—the latter made of English Long Cloth.
Negligee Shirts of Scotch Madras or Cheviot, $3.00 each.
Percale Shirts of fabrics from French cloth printers, who are the best in the world, $3.00 each—cuffs attached or detached.
Madras Shirts of fabrics from the looms of the leading Scotch weavers, $3.50 each—cuffs attached or detached.
Woodward & Lothrop.

OSTEOPATHY.
Geo. D. Kirkpatrick, D. O., 1413 G st. n.w. Hours from 9 to 5. Examination free. fe6-78t*

THE CONGRESSIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY.

Senator Hawley.

DEATH OF EDWARD O. LEECH.

Former Director of the United States Mints Passes Away.

Edward Owen Leech, who was director of the United States mints under President Harrison's administration, died at Mount Sinai Hospital, New York city, last night. He was taken ill about three weeks ago and was operated on for appendicitis. During the first week he rallied from the effects of the operation and was considered to be out of danger, but pneumonia set in, and from the first his recovery was doubtful.

Mr. Leech was a Washingtonian by birth and education, being a graduate of Columbian University and of the National Law College of this city, in which last he carried off a gold medal for proficiency in his class, an honor never before attained by any student in the history of the college. He was the son of D. D. T. Leech, who spent his entire adult life here.

Mr. Leech leaves a son, married and residing in Philadelphia; also two daughters, who resided with him in New York. He resigned his position as director of the mint early in Mr. Cleveland's administration and went to New York and accepted the position of vice president and cashier of the National Union Bank, which he held at the time of his death. The bank had recently united with the Bank of Commerce of New York. Mr. Leech served with the international monetary conference sent by President Harrison to Brussels, and was associated thereon by Senators Allison and Jones of Nevada. He was a pronounced bimetallist.

He was the author and compiler of many statements and monetary statistics on the production of the precious metals throughout the world, which were published by the Treasury Department and eagerly sought by economists and public men of Europe and America. Experts on monetary subjects regarded them as the most authoritative publications to be had. In the discussion of bimetallism in Germany, France and England, and wherever currency reforms are debated, these statements prepared by Mr. Leech are appealed to and considered as a guide. He enjoyed the reputation of being one of the best informed men living on monetary systems, past and present, of the several countries of the world, and as such his opinions were held in high esteem.

Mr. Leech was the brother of Rev. Geo. V. Leech of this city, of Rev. Samuel V. Leech of Morgantown, W. Va., and of Mr. A. Y. Leech, chief of the transportation division of the War Department. That he should have died in early manhood is a matter of sincere regret to his host of friends and admirers.

Women in a Row.

There was a row in Malden lane late yesterday afternoon, in which a number of colored women participated. When blood had been drawn and the countenances of several of the principals had been disfigured, Policeman Holz appeared upon the scene. He arrested Queen Waller, Eliza Harris, Laura Day and Mamie Henderson. One of the quartet had to be given hospital treatment.

"The women would not prosecute each other for assault," the policeman told Judge Scott this morning, "and I charged them with vagrancy."

The officer told the court that the women were among the lowest females of their class in South Washington.

Judge Scott heard the statements of the women and assessed a penalty of $20 or sixty days on the farm each.

Freight Cars Leased.

By agreement, which has been placed on record in the office of the recorder of deeds, the Pullman Palace Car Company leases to the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company a large number of freight cars for five years. At the expiration of that time, and upon payment of $1,162,356.10 in installments, the cars are to become the property of the Chesapeake and Ohio road.

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RESPECTED CITIZEN DEAD.

John Allnutt Passes Away, Aged 86—Other News.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star.

ROCKVILLE, Md., May 1, 1900.

Mr. John Allnutt, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of this county, died Sunday at his home, near Laytonsville, aged eighty-six years. A general breakdown of the system was the cause of death. Deceased is survived by the following children: J. Wm., Benj., Aden D., Jacob M., J. Thomas, Charles E. and Misses Sarah and Annie Allnutt, all of this country, and Mrs. James Benson of Baltimore. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the M. E. Church South at Goshen, and was one of the most largely attended ever held in that section. The services were conducted by Rev. G. Dorsey White, pastor of the church, and the interment was in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Miss Carrie M. Humphries and Mr. Geo. M. Carhart, both of Washington, were married here yesterday by Rev. Thomas H. Campbell, pastor of the Baptist Church.

The funeral of Claude E. Watkins, the young telegraph operator who committed suicide several days ago at Cumberland by shooting himself with a revolver, took place at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the home of his parents at Boyd's, this county. The sermon was preached by Rev. T. D. Richards of Germantown, and the remains were interred in the Presbyterian cemetery at Boyd's, under the charge of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, No. 61, of Alexandria. The pallbearers were selected, three each, from the Jr. O. U. A. M. and the O. R. T., to which organizations the deceased belonged. The floral tributes were handsome and numerous.

Percy W. Thompson was in the Police Court today on a charge of vagrancy. It was alleged in the information that he was a person of evil life and fame. He was arrested on Ohio avenue. The young man was permitted to forfeit $5 collateral.

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The Best Natural Laxative Water.
ONE DOSE gives
IMMEDIATE RELIEF.
ORDINARY DOSE,
A Wineglassful Before Breakfast.
Its good effects are maintained by smaller and steadily diminishing doses, repeated for successive days.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Fair Tonight and Thursday; Fresh Winds, Shifting to Westerly.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Thursday: For the District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, fair tonight and Thursday; fresh southerly winds, shifting to westerly.

Weather conditions and general forecast: The disturbance in the north has moved eastward to eastern Lake Superior, with slightly increased intensity, but without precipitation, except a few light, scattered showers on its western edge.

The southern depression is moving off the South Carolina coast, after causing showers through the south Atlantic states. There was no other precipitation to an appreciable amount, except a few scattered showers in the northern and middle plateaus.

The temperature has risen decidedly in the lake regions, and is six to fifteen degrees above the seasonal average. In the northwest there has been a marked fall, with freezing temperature in eastern South Dakota. There has also been a moderate fall in the Atlantic and gulf states.

Generally fair weather is indicated tonight and Thursday in the southwest and east of the Mississippi river, except that showers are probable tonight along the lower lakes.

It will be warmer tonight in eastern New York and the interior of New England, and cooler Thursday in the Ohio valley and lower lake region.

On the New England and middle Atlantic coast the winds will be fresh to brisk southerly, shifting to westerly Thursday, and on the south Atlantic coast they will be fresh and mostly northerly.

Storm signals are displayed on Lake Pepin, Lake Superior, except at Sault Sainte Marie, northern Lake Michigan and northern Lake Huron.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: Jupiter, 2.18; Macon, 1.26; Griffin, Ga., 1.60.

Records for Twenty-Four Hours.

The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:

Thermometer—May 1, 4 p.m., 77; 8 p.m., 67; 12 midnight, 61.

May 2, 4 a.m., 51; 8 a.m., 58; 12 noon, 74; 2 p.m., 76.

Maximum, 77, at 4 p.m., May 1; minimum, 48, at 6 a.m., May 2.

Barometer—May 1, 4 p.m., 29.88; 8 p.m., 29.99; 12 midnight, 29.92.

May 2, 4 a.m., 29.92; 8 a.m., 29.93; noon, 29.99; 2 p.m., 29.85.

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 63; condition, 36; receiving reservoir, temperature, 67; condition at north connection, 33; condition at south connection, 33; distributing reservoir, temperature, 60; condition at influent gate house, 36; effluent gate house, 36.

Tide Table.

Today—Low tide, 4:25 a.m. and 5:05 p.m.; high tide, 10:20 a.m. and 10:50 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 5:19 a.m. and 5:57 p.m.; high tide, 11:06 a.m. and 11:38 p.m.

The Sun and Moon.

Today—Sun rises, 4:59; sun sets, 6:55.
Moon sets, 10:46 p.m.
Tomorrow—Sun rises, 4:58.

The City Lights.

Gas lamps all lighted by 7:32 p.m.; extinguishing begun at 4:07 a.m. The lighting is begun one hour before the time named.

Arc lamps lighted at 7:17 p.m.; extinguished at 4:22 a.m.

BOARD OF TRADE'S GUESTS.

Distinguished Gentlemen Who Will Attend Shad Bake Saturday.

A distinguished company will go on the annual outing of the board of trade Saturday next. The board will leave at 1:30 p.m. for Marshall Hall, and the arrangements have been so planned that everybody may thoroughly enjoy the occasion.

Among the guests on this occasion will be the following: Mr. Frank W. Hackett, Senator Shoup, Senator Hawley, Senator Tillman, Gen. John F. Weston, Ellis H. Roberts, United States treasurer; Representative Marriott Brosius, Senator Burrows, Representative Grosvenor, Senator George F. Hoar, Representative James W. Babcock, Representative A. C. Latimer, Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister; Representative Charles Dick, Senator J. H. Gallinger, Representative Charles E. Littlefield, Representative F. E. Wilson, Representative Frederick H. Gillett, Representative Joseph E. Thropp, Judge M. F. Morris, Representative J. A. T. Hull, Representative June W. Gayle, Representative Samuel J. Pugh, Representative George B. McClellan, Representative Robert W. Tayler, Representative Nicholas N. Cox, Representative N. D. Sperry, Representative George W. Taylor, Representative John S. Rhea, Gen. J. B. Morton, Mr. J. H. Bingham, Representative Joseph R. Lane, Representative W. E. Williams, Representative Francis W. Cushman, Representative John C. Bell, Representative John J. Esch, Representative John B. Corliss, Representative Peter J. Otey, Representative H. C. Van Voorhis, Representative Chester I. Long, Representative Farish C. Tate, Col. Thomas H. Barry, Representatives Willard D. Vandiver, L. F. Livingston, Rudolph Kleberg, W. L. Terry, Bois Penrose, Melville Bull, Joseph Showalter, S. W. Smith, William G. Brantley, S. W. McCall, George B. Cromer, Archibald Lybrand, John R. Thayer, C. D. Sheldon, Theodore Otjen, Edward Robb, G. G. Gilbert, W. J. Bailey, Robert W. Davis, James A. Norton, Athelston Gaston.

THE COURTS.

Court of Appeals—Present: The chief justice, Mr. Justice Morris and Mr. Justice Shepard.

Patent appeal No. 152, Fefel agt. Stocker, passed.

9841—Funk agt. United States; argument commenced by Mr. D. W. Baker for appellant, and continued by Mr. Thos. H. Anderson for appellee.

Equity Court No. 1—Justice Hagner.

Woodbury agt. Sheriff; reference to auditor ordered. Adams agt. Adams; appearance of absent defendant ordered. Weacks agt. Weacks; testimony before Albert Harper, examiner, ordered taken. Ridgeway agt. Ridgeway; time to file answer and cross bill extended till May 8. Douglass agt. Fletcher; sale ratified nisi and reference to auditor ordered.

Bankruptcy Court—Justice Hagner.

In re Alfred Uhler; auditor's report ratified. In re Benjamin Garfinkle; adjudication and reference to E. S. McCalmont ordered.

Equity Court No. 2—Justice Barnard.

Brandenburg agt. Kaiser; decree pursuant to mandate. Young agt. McIntosh; time to take defendant's testimony limited. Herrell agt. Herrell; order allowing certain exhibits to be removed. Kliner agt. Kliner; testimony before J. W. Anderson, examiner, ordered taken. Lee agt. Lee; Bernard T. Janney appointed guardian ad litem. Clampitt agt. Goodridge; pro confesso granted. Stipe agt. Stipe; testimony before W. H. Baden, examiner, ordered taken. Ogden agt. Ogden; time to file transcript extended. Colbert agt. Riordan; sale decreed, with M. J. Colbert trustee to sell. Smith agt. Smith; order for appearance. Hooke agt. Hazard; sale decreed, with John Sherman and Thos. E. Waggaman trustees to sell. Hume agt. Drescher; do., with S. T. Thomas and J. H. Ralston trustees. Heurich Brewing Company agt. Knight; restraining order, returnable May 9. Burnett agt. District of Columbia; pro confesso granted. Smith agt. Sommerville; order confirming auditor's report. Clarke agt. Clarke; order for appearance. Ohl et al. agt. Ohl et al.; testimony before D. T. Hassan, examiner, ordered taken. Munson et al. agt. Greene et al.; order appointing John J. Hamilton special auditor, etc. A. B. Dick Company agt. Newman et al.; decree making pro confesso final, etc., and reference to auditor. McKay agt. Girvan; reference to auditor. Johnson et al. agt. Danenhower et al.; order granting defendants' cross bill ten days additional to answer.

Circuit Court No. 1—Chief Justice Bingham.

Oliver agt. Richards; on trial. Clagett agt. Jarboe et al.; verdict for plaintiff for $1,004.57. Schultze agt. Auth; verdict for defendant. Fersinger agt. Donoghue; certified to Criminal Court No. 2 for trial.

Circuit Court No. 2—Justice Bradley.

Henry agt. Klimmel; remittitur of $200 filed and judgment for plaintiff on verdict for possession and costs, with stay of execution for ten days.

Criminal Court No. 2—Justice Cole.

In re Wm. Sewall, contempt of court; sentenced to jail for four days. Estate of Marcellina Jarboe; verdict sustaining will.

Probate Court—Justice Cole.

Estate of Areanne Wood; answer of Wm. N. Wood filed. Estate of Martha Caney; order granting letters of administration to James B. Wilson; bond, $10,000. In re Mary F. Harrison, guardian; order directing investment of funds. Estate of Braxton B. Johnston; proof of publication filed and order appointing guardian ad litem. Estate of Elizabeth Barber; account passed. Estate of Geo. A. Ridgeway; order granting letters of administration to J. C. Ridgeway; bond, $700. In re John Taylor (minor); order appointing Diana Fountain guardian; bond, $300. Estate of John Miller; order granting letters of administration to Wm. W. Douglas; bond, $9,000. Estate of Oren W. Weaver; petition for letters of administration filed. In re Robt. H. Harris, guardian; petition for release as guardian filed. Estate of Charles Fischer; will, dated June 7, 1887, filed. Estate of Henry D. Clarke; will fully proved. Estate of Thos. M. Steel; will partly proved. Estate of Ann Stacy Owens; commission issued. Estate of Chas. Fischer; will, dated August 10, 1878, filed. Estate of Anna M. Ehrmantraut; petition for letters of administration filed. Estate of Cleland Lindsley; proof of publication filed. Estate of Henry R. Cohill; petition for probate of will filed. Estate of Wm. C. Hazel; inventory filed. Estate of Peregrine W. Browning; rule returned served. Estate of Henry Jost; summons returned not served. Estate of Nathan A. Poole; notice of trial of issues served. Estate of Elizabeth Lee Washington; order admitting will to probate and granting letters of administration c. t. a. to Fannie W. Reading; bond, $500. Estate of Mary D. Fessenden; will, dated March 8, 1884, filed.

Minnie Grant, colored, two years old, living at 2030 L street northwest, was knocked down by a delivery wagon yesterday afternoon and slightly injured. The affair happened near 1st and L streets northwest. The child was taken home by friends.

HAPPY LITTLE GIRL.

HER FATHER LEARNED HOW TO TREAT HER.

"While drinking coffee, I visited a celebrated physician, who told me that my severe headaches, languid feelings and inability to work were caused by the blood being very thick and sluggish, from the use of coffee. Since leaving off coffee and using Postum Cereal Food Coffee, I have recovered my energy, am able to work hard and feel brighter and happier in every way.

"My wife also uses Postum Food Coffee, without any disagreeable after effect. She feels strengthened and invigorated with the Postum, while, on the contrary, coffee made her weak and nervous. We also give it to the little girl every morning, and it would be a hard matter to find another child as bright and healthy and happy as she is. We are great believers in Postum." H. A. Beckwith, E. Pembroke, N. Y.

FINANCIAL.

He Noticed It
A Yankee, who had traveled in Switzerland, was asked if he crossed the Alps. "Wal," he drawled, "now you call my attention to it I guess I did pass over some rising ground." He must have been some relation to the other Yankee that asked an English acquaintance if he wasn't afraid to go out after dark in England. "Why so?" said the Englishman. "Well," said the American, "I should think you'd be afraid of falling overboard if there isn't any railing round your bloomin' little island."

Did You Notice
the recent "break" in steel and iron stocks? Now we are not going to tell you what we said they were going to do, or call your attention to our advertisement of the steenty steenth in the N. Y. Daily Howler; we didn't advise you to sell them or to buy them, but if you like to trade in "Hair Raisers" we can execute your orders in them (or in anything) on a margin of from three to five per cent. We have private wires to all the leading markets and offices in all the principal cities. Try our service through our local correspondent, or send for our free book.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
Of the
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF WASHINGTON
CITY,
At Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business, April 26, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$833,901 24
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	309 65
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	200,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	211,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	20,550 00
Stocks, securities, &c	70,287 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	139,000 00
Other real estate owned	711 30
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	62,434 91
Due from state banks and bankers	1,277 20
Due from approved reserve agents	270,659 60
Internal revenue stamps	824 41
Checks and other cash items	9,549 78
Exchanges for clearing house	35,447 30
Notes of other national banks	1,255 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	304 78
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie $218,884 00	
Legal tender notes 150,000 00	368,884 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5% of circulation)	10,000 00
Total	$2,296,396 67

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	600,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	39,103 48
National bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other national banks $19,281 09	
Due to state banks and bankers 6,307 23	
Individual deposits subject to check 1,528,858 74	
Demand certificates of deposit 29,902 55	
Certified checks 7,318 85	
United States deposits 139,962 58	
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers 65,602 15	
	1,797,293 19
Total	$2,296,396 67

City of Washington, District of Columbia, ss:
I, A. B. RUFF, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
A. B. RUFF, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of May, 1900.
FRANKLIN P. MENDENHALL, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
CLARENCE F. NORMENT,
F. P. MAY,
DAN'L FRASER,
EDWARD GRAVES,
W. K. MENDENHALL,
JAS. S. EDWARDS,
E. B. EVANS,
J. W. SCHAEFER,
1t Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
Of the
RIGGS NATIONAL BANK
Of Washington, D. C., at the close of business April 26, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$3,254,162 90
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,331 28
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
U. S. bonds on hand	34,940 00
Stocks, securities, etc	225,044 28
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	141,422 67
Revenue stamps	3,079 79
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	443,786 80
Due from state banks and bankers	98,063 78
Due from approved reserve agents	1,500,861 94
Checks and other cash items	59,915 07
Exchanges for clearing house	36,964 08
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	309 53
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie $641,482 00	
Legal tender notes 47,000 00	
U. S. certificates of deposit for legal tenders 180,000 00	868,482 00
Total	$6,712,304 12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$500,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	269,938 96
Due to other national banks	30,796 61
Due to state banks and bankers	16,414 12
Dividends unpaid	100 00
Individual deposits subject to check	5,814,214 29
Demand certificates of deposit	35,472 29
Certified checks	5,367 85
Total	$6,712,304 12

District of Columbia, ss:
I, ARTHUR T. BRICE, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
ARTHUR T. BRICE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of May, 1900.
(Seal.) DAVID RITTENHOUSE, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
CHAS. C. GLOVER,
THOS. HYDE,
JAS. M. JOHNSTON,
WM. J. FLATHER,
R. ROSS PERRY,
1t Directors.

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FINANCIAL.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
Of the
NATIONAL CAPITAL BANK OF WASHINGTON
At Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business April 26, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$708,341 30
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	702 62
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	71,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc	115,156 54
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	50,000 00
Other real estate owned	6,235 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	40,232 48
Due from state banks and bankers	708 50
Due from approved reserve agents	93,832 48
Internal revenue stamps	1,000 00
Checks and other cash items	1,546 52
Exchanges for clearing house	6,152 25
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	15 43
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie $122,492 50	
Legal tender notes 10,000 00	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer 5 per cent of circulation	3,550 00
	132,492 50
Total	$1,230,965 59

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	70,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	36,330 85
National bank notes outstanding	70,700 00
Due to other national banks $11,747 62	
Due to state banks and bankers 15,261 86	
Due to trust companies and savings banks 44,475 97	
Dividends unpaid 120 00	
Individual deposits subject to check 781,838 49	
Demand certificates of deposit 250 00	
Certified checks 240 80	
	853,934 74
Total	$1,230,965 59

District of Columbia, County of Washington, ss.:
I, H. H. McKEE, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
H. H. McKEE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of May, 1900.
HENRY K. SIMPSON, Notary Public, D. C.
Correct—Attest:
JOHN E. HERRELL,
PHILO J. LOCKWOOD,
GEO. F. HARBIN,
1t Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
Of the
HOME SAVINGS BANK,
At Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business April 26, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$144,229 09
Revenue stamps	337 22
Furniture and fixtures, salaries and expenses (paid)	4,661 64
Cash in banks and in vault	51,129 35
Total	$199,787 30

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock (paid in full)	$50,000 00
Interest and exchange	1,745 44
Individual commercial deposits 91,597 65	
Individual savings deposits 56,419 81	
Certified checks 25 00	
	148,041 86
Total	$199,787 30

I, FRANCIS MILLER, Treasurer of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. FRANCIS MILLER, Treasurer.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, A.D. 1900. HOWARD MORAN, Notary Public, D. C.
Correct—Attest:
B. FRANCIS SAUL, JOHN SHUGHRUE,
ANTHONY GAEGLER, C. AUERBACH,
HENRY MURRAY, ALEX. S. CLARKE,
MICHAEL J. COLBERT, S. DANA LINCOLN,
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