A LABORER'S FATAL FALL

Joseph Stanton Plunges to His Death in the River.

While at Work on a Coal Chute He Loses His Balance, Strikes a Pile, and Sinks Beneath the Water—His Body Recovered Shortly After the Accident by the Harbor Patrol.

Joseph Stanton, colored, a laborer at Johnson's coal wharf, on Water Street, was killed by a fall about 10 o'clock this morning.

Stanton, with a force of fellow-workmen, was engaged in discharging a barge of coal. He stood on a trestle twenty feet high and dumped the hoppers of coal as they were sent aloft from the barge. In reaching out for the hopper he lost his balance and fell, striking his right shoulder on one of the wharf piles, and dropped into the river. He sank immediately. The harbor patrol steamer Vigilant was passing in the channel, and being hailed, swung in immediately to the scene of the accident. The grappling apparatus was cast, and Stanton's body was brought to the surface within ten minutes after the fatal fall.

Efforts at resuscitation were promptly made by Harbormaster Sutton and the men of the Vigilant, the new salt method being tried, but without avail. Stanton's right arm and shoulder were broken, one rib on the right side was broken, and there was a lacerated wound under the chin.

When the man had been pronounced dead the body was removed the morgue and the Coroner notified.

ROCKVILLE'S DOUBLE HANGING.

Preparations for the Execution Have All Been Completed.

Rockville, Md., Aug. 16.—Sheriff Horton G. Thompson says everything is in readiness for the execution of Armstead Taylor and John Alfred Brown, the murderers of Louis Rosenstein and wife, which will take place in Rockville on Friday of this week. The scaffold is completed, thoroughly tested, and found to work satisfactorily.

The exact hour the drop will fall, is not known, but it will probably be between 10 and 11 o'clock. The trap will be sprung by Sheriff Thompson himself. He will be assisted by Deputies Gaither, Howes, Embrey, Jones, Wheatley, and Selby in the preparations. Rev. Father Coleman, who has been Brown's spiritual adviser in Frederick, will come to Rockville and remain with him until the last.

The indications are that a large crowd will gather in Rockville from the surrounding country and from Washington city, but they will be doomed to disappointment, as all passes allowed to be issued have already been distributed, and guards will be on duty at the jail to prevent the entrance of anyone without a ticket. The execution will be conducted as privately as possible in compliance with the law of the State.

Governor Lowndes, who is in Annapolis, telegraphed to Frederick in regard to the Belt agitation for the reprieve of Brown. It is understood he received unfavorable replies to telegrams sent to Judge McSherry and State's Attorney Hinks, and it is not believed he will interfere with the hanging in any way. Telegrams to this effect have been received.

POISON IN A RIVAL'S CUP.

A Sensation in the Austrian Colony at Mount Carmel.

Mount Carmel, Pa., Aug. 16.—Charged with attempting to murder Adam Stesney because he robbed him of his sweetheart, Stanislas Ozlowski was arrested Monday night. Stesney is dying at his home in this place of poison.

Two years ago Miss Kofelia Detz, a comely orphan girl, arrived in Mount Carmel from Austria. When she alighted from the train Ozlowski, a native of the same country, noticed the girl's bewilderment, and spoke to her. She said she was looking for relatives. He aided her in finding them and also made love to her. One day they quarreled.

In the meantime Adam Stesney had met Miss Detz. They were married, and four months ago a daughter was born. On Sunday friends assembled to celebrate the christening with feasting. Among those present was Ozlowski.

He, it is charged, tapped a cup of beer for Stesney, and offered it to him, at the same time drinking to the happiness of the offspring. Then Stesney lifted the cup to his lips and drank. He noticed a strange taste. He placed the half-emptied glass upon the table without drinking any more, and remarked that some one had put red pepper in it. He grew deathly ill. Yesterday the beer was taken to Dr. Goodman for an analysis, and the result was the discovery of sufficient poison to kill several men. Ozlowski would not talk after being arrested.

Fish From Foreign Waters.

New York, Aug. 16.—The third and last consignment of fish from southern waters for the New York aquarium this season has arrived here from Bermuda on the steamship Trinidad. The fish, which are presented by the Biological Department of the New York University, came in six tanks. Altogether there were sixty specimens, comprising fifteen varieties, and the collection is said to be the most valuable that has so far reached here. The fish were in charge of F. F. Harriott and Capt. John Lescour, both of Hamilton, Bermuda. Included in the consignment were eleven spotted snappers, eight squirrel fish, nine Mollie Millers, one file fish, three surgeon fish, two awber fish, five four-eyed fish, five red conegs, one grey snapper, one yellow grunt, a Spanish lady fish, a sergeant major fish, and a queen turbot, a large specimen three feet long, of greyish color, with spots of blue.

Similar, But Different.

First Assistant Postmaster General Heath has directed the attention of postmasters to the difference between Charleston, Kanawha county, W. Va., and Charlestown, Jefferson county, W. Va. Many errors are made in the drawing of money orders on these two places, and great confusion has resulted. The postmasters are instructed to ask remitters desiring to send money to either place whether they mean Charleston, the capital of the State, located in Kanawha county, or Charlestown, the county seat of Jefferson county.

The Glass Industry's Future Bright.

Millville, N. J., Aug. 16.—There is a brighter outlook for the glass industry of south Jersey than for many years. Most of the firms have enough orders on hand to run their plants full until January, 1900. Whitall, Tatum & Co., and T. C. Wheaton & Co. will start several of their factories early in September.

ALABAMA FOR BRYAN.

Representative Bankhead Predicts the Nebraska Man's Nomination.

"Unless Mr. Reed has changed his mind and wants to worry somebody, I hardly think he will remain in Congress," said Representative Bankhead, of Alabama, to a Times reporter this afternoon. "It may be, however, that the gentleman from Maine has decided to reconsider the matter and retain his seat in the House. Of course if he does he could not hope to be elected Speaker again, because the various State delegations have in caucuses pledged themselves to General Henderson. Mr. Reed could make it very interesting should he conclude to remain in Congress. He has a strong personality and would prove a thorn in somebody's flesh."

Representative Bankhead said he was surprised to read in the Washington papers several weeks ago that he had attended an anti-Bryan meeting in Saratoga, N. Y. "I haven't been in Saratoga," said he, "and it is well known that Alabama is a Bryan State. We will send an instructed Bryan delegation to the next national convention. Bryan is the logical candidate and he will be unanimously nominated, and will be elected, too."

MUST REMAIN IN JAIL.

The Petition of Charles B. Hale for Release Is Denied.

Justice Cole today denied the petition of Charles B. Hale, asking that he be released from jail. It will be remembered that Hale was committed to jail on June 15 last for contempt of court in refusing to comply with an order requiring him to make an accounting of his stewardship in the case of Caroline M. Cooper, for whom he was appointed guardian in September, 1897. When the matter was investigated it was developed that Hale was over $1,300 short in his accounts. He was last week called before Justice Cole and examined as to what disposition he had made of the funds of his ward. He admitted having spent the money in drink.

After considering the evidence adduced Justice Cole postponed further consideration of the matter until the October term of the Supreme Court of the District.

MORTALITY OF THE DISTRICT.

A Slight Decrease in the Number of Deaths.

The report of the Health Officer for the week ending August 12 was given out for publication today. There were 166 deaths in the District during the past week, as against 164 in the week before. Of those who died 54 were white and 52 colored. The annual death rate was 19.17 for each 1,000 of the total population, for the whites being 14.15 and for the colored 30.37. Of the zymotic class there were 2 fatal cases of diphtheria, 17 of diarrheal diseases, and 7 of typhoid fever. Deaths from diseases of the brain and nervous system declined from 15 to 9, and those from affections of the kidneys from 7 to 4.

At the close of the last report there were 13 cases of diphtheria under treatment. During the week 11 new cases occurred and 5 were discharged, leaving 19 cases in isolation in seventeen premises.

There were 23 cases of scarlet fever in quarantine at the close of last report. During the week 7 new cases were reported and 9 were discharged, leaving 21 cases, with warning cards in sixteen premises.

The mean weather conditions prevalent during the week were: Temperature of the air, 75 degrees; barometer, 29.86; relative humidity, 72. The rainfall was .87 of an inch, with winds averaging 4 miles per hour. The thermometer registered 59 degrees on the 8th inst., rising to 90 degrees on the 11th.

SUIT AGAINST A FORMER WIFE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Smiley Ordered to Sign Certain Papers.

The case of Charles W. Smiley against his former wife, Elizabeth L. Smiley, for specific performance, was finally disposed of today by Justice Clabaugh, sitting in Equity Court No. 1.

It appeared from the testimony offered in the proceedings for divorce which were instituted by Mrs. Smiley that prior to their marriage they had entered into an agreement as to their rights in the individual estates of each. After the divorce was granted it appears that Mrs. Smiley refused to sign necessary papers to the transfer of property by her former husband.

After hearing testimony and argument in the case Justice Clabaugh today signed an order requiring Mrs. Smiley to sign such papers as it becomes necessary in order to complete the title of lot No. 53, in square No. 544, and any other paper to which her signature is necessary.

AN INJUNCTION DENIED.

Further Proceedings Ordered in the O'Leary Saloon Case.

The petition of Dennis Fitzgerald, asking that Maurice O'Leary be enjoined from selling up a saloon at 14 G Street northwest, was today denied by Justice Cole. The application for injunction was based on the grounds that O'Leary's petition for a liquor license was not properly obtained and also that the location of the proposed barroom is within 400 feet of the Gales School building.

In overruling the motion for injunction, the court did so without prejudice to the petitioner and referred the matter to Charles Stetson, examiner in chancery, to take testimony as to the distance of the Gales School building from the entrance to the saloon referred to.

A RELIC OF THE PAST.

The Cornerstone of the Fourth Presbyterian Church Unearthed.

Workmen employed in demolishing the foundations of the old Fourth Presbyterian Church, on Ninth Street, this afternoon unearthed a granite slab underneath which is supposed to be the cornerstone of the church. The search for the old cornerstone has been going on for two weeks, and as it was laid in 1849 much interest surrounds it.

The stone will not be unsealed when found, but will be taken to the new church at Thirteenth and Yale streets and placed in the building. The stone contains, besides Masonic and church records a copy of the "National Intelligencer" and a sermon by the late Dr. Smith, who was pastor of the church in 1849.

Novices of the Order of Jesus.

Frederick City, Md., Aug. 16.—Fifteen young men have entered the Jesuit novitiate at Frederick to study for the priesthood. For the want of room a number of young men who had applied to enter had to be refused. The names of the novices are Richard R. Rouker, John E. Powers, Joseph A. Donahue, F. B. Daly, Joseph V. O'Dreer, F. X. Enwright, Edward P. Tynan, Hugh Dalton, Fred O'Brien, Joseph Corcoran, John Cannon, John T. Viteck, John D. Regan, Henry Weashing, and John H. Merritt.

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INDIANS MAY BUY ARMS

The Alaska Trading Companies Authorized to Sell Guns.

The Secretary of the Interior, by a Recent Decision, Nullifies a Section of the Act of Congress Providing a Criminal Code for the Northernmost Territory of This Country.

The Secretary of the Interior has rendered a decision, which, it is said, nullifies one of the sections of the law enacted at the last session of Congress for the government of the Territory of Alaska.

Article 142 of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1899, entitled, "An act to define and punish crime in Alaska, and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district," provides:

That if any person shall, without the authority of the United States, or any duly authorized officer thereof sell, barter, or give to any Indian or half-breed who lives or associates with Indians, any firearm or ammunition therefor whatever, any spirituous, malt, or vinous liquor, such person, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment for a period of not less than two nor more than six months, and by a fine of not less than $500.

H. Liebe & Co., and the Cape Smythe Whaling and Trading Company, both of San Francisco, on April 11, asked permission to sell firearms and ammunition to the Indians at the companies' stations in Alaska. They stated in their application to the Secretary of the Interior that the companies dealt in furs, etc.; that the firearms are necessary to the Indians as a means of obtaining subsistence, and that the companies have hitherto supplied firearms to such persons without objection from the Government.

The Secretary of the Interior replied as follows: "I have to state that by executive order dated December 1, 1896, all restrictions and prohibitions placed upon the importation into the Territory of Alaska of breech-loading rifles and ammunition therefor, and the sale thereof within that district, were revoked, and permission was given to introduce such rifles and ammunition into the district for sale, excepting, however, from the effect of such proclamation, the restrictions regarding the introduction of firearms and ammunition upon the islands of St. George and St. Paul. The Secretary of the Treasury states that he perceives no objection to granting this permission. Therefore, in consideration of the facts, the said companies are accordingly authorized to sell, barter, or give to any Indian or half-breed who lives or associates with Indians in Point Hope district, etc., firearms, ammunition, etc."

This decision, it is said, is most important, and will have the effect of practically rendering null and void one of the most obnoxious laws recently enacted for Alaska.

CLEWS TO SHAW'S MURDER.

He May Have Met Death on a Pleasure Yacht.

Narragansett Pier, R. I., Aug. 16.—Circumstances have been discovered which, it is thought, may have a bearing on the death of Frank H. Shaw, of Brooklyn, whose body, bound hand and foot, was cast ashore last Friday by the tide on Scarborough Beach.

Off the Casino last Wednesday a small sail yacht came to anchor, and three men put out from her in a small boat and came ashore. The description of one of these men resembles in many respects that of Shaw. This man was attired in a blue suit and wore an outing shirt, high collar, dark tie, and straw hat. His complexion was light, and he was smooth shaven, this latter being the only point in which the description differs from that of Shaw.

This man's companions called him Frank. He was of athletic figure. His companions were of large build and athletic appearance. One was of light complexion, and wore a light summer suit. He had a sandy mustache. The third man was dark and had a black mustache. He wore a blue suit and a straw hat of the season's style.

All the men had been drinking, and they visited drinking places here and then went to a barber shop. There they told that they had come from Newport, were out for a good time, and intended to sail to Providence. The party sailed out into the bay, and has not been seen since around Narragansett.

Another incident which may have some connection with the Scarborough Beach tragedy is furnished by a steam launch which appeared off the South Pier, near Tucker's dock, on Thursday night. From this launch in the early evening three men, all big and athletic, came ashore. Evidently they were strangers at Narragansett. Two wore blue sweaters, while the third was dressed in a blue suit and wore a straw hat.

They visited dance halls, and after midnight Chief of Police Champlin saw them wandering about the pier, showing the effects of liquor.

A mysterious telegram came to the Mathewson last Wednesday or Thursday addressed to a man at the house. Whom this telegram was for nobody seems to know, but it was redirected and sent to the steam launch off the South Pier, and delivered on board the craft, which early on Friday morning put to sea.

That Shaw was not murdered on a Sound steamer is a growing belief, as nearly all of the boats report no passengers missing. The theory that Shaw was murdered on a yacht or launch is regarded as not unreasonable. A private inquest may be conducted here on Wednesday by Coroner Burns. The inquest has been ordered by the attorney general of the State. Two detectives from Brooklyn are here at work on the mystery.

Texans Will Greet Dewey.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 16.—Ten companies of Texas militiamen, all volunteer veterans of the war with Spain, have voted to go to New York by special train to greet Admiral Dewey, on October 1. Other companies also may conclude to go. The organizations will form a regiment to represent Texas. Adjutant General Scurry has accepted an invitation to go as the guest of the companies. He was colonel of the First Texas Volunteer Infantry during part of the Spanish war and commanded the regiment during its garrison service in Havana.

An American Firm Gets a Contract.

Glasgow, Aug. 16.—The city corporation has accepted the tender of Allies & Co., an American concern, for furnishing the engines to supply power for the electric tramways.

STOCKS OPEN UNSETTLED

American and Continental Tobaccos Show Notable Strength.

Industrial Securities Less Active. High-Priced Shares, Including Pennsylvania and New York Central, Depressed on Light Trading. The Dealings Generally Heavy.

New York, Aug. 16.—The stock market opened with a somewhat unsettled tone and with the trading active and well distributed throughout the list. Brooklyn Rapid Transit was the centre of interest on account of its sharp and unexplained break of yesterday.

The dealings in the stock were exceedingly heavy at the opening of business and while they were marked by a renewed feverish tone, the stock seemed to be better supported than it was yesterday afternoon.

American Tobacco and Continental Tobacco again showed notable strength, but nothing new attended the rise in this quarter. Sugar refining was active and rather feverish also. Trading in the other industrials was less active and no other very extensive movements developed in that quarter. The dealings in the railway list were moderately active and generally resulted in fractional declines. High priced stocks including Pennsylvania and New York Central, were depressed on light dealings. Southern Pacific, Mexican Central, Chicago and Great Western, and Louisville and Nashville, were comparatively steady. Tennessee Coal and Iron was actively dealt in, but moved within universally narrow limits for that stock.

New York Stock Market.

Corrected daily by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of the New York Exchange, 1419 F Street.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:15
American Cotton Oil	41½	41½	41½	41½
A. S. Wire	9	9	8	8⅝
A. S. W. pfd.	98¾	99	98¾	99
American Sugar	161¼	163¾	160	161¼
American Tobacco	123	126	121	124¾
Atchison	20¾	21¼	20⅝	21¼
Atchison pf	63¾	64¾	63⅝	64¾
Atchison Adjustments	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	49	49¼	49	49
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	109¾	110¼	108¾	111
Central Pacific	15	15⅛	15	15¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	28	28⅝	28	28⅝
Chicago, B. & Q.	136¾	136¾	136	136¾
C., C., C. & St. L.	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞
C., R. I. & P.	126⅝	127	126¼	126¾
Chicago & Northwestern	160⅛	160⅛	160⅛	160⅛
Chicago Gas	120⅛	121⅛	120⅛	121
C., M. & St. Paul	143⅛	143⅛	141⅞	142⅝
C., T. & Pacific	118	118⅝	117⅞	118⅝
Chicago & Great West'n	15⅛	15⅛	15¼	15¼
Consolidated Gas	173	176	176	176
Del., Lack. & West	166¼	166¼	166	166
Delaware & Hudson	123¾	125¾	123½	125½
Del. & Rio Grande pfd	36¼	36¼	36	36
Federal Steel	59⅛	61⅛	59⅛	60⅛
Federal Steel pfd	82¼	82¼	82	82
Illinois Central	114¼	114¾	114⅛	114⅝
Louisville & Nashville	76⅛	77⅛	76	76
Metropolitan Traction	205⅛	205⅛	204⅛	204
Manhattan Elevated	116	116⅛	115⅞	115⅞
Missouri Pacific	48	48⅝	47⅞	48
N. Y. C. & H. R.	40¼	40⅛	40	40
National Lead Co.	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛
New York Central	128⅛	128⅝	128	128⅛
Northern Pacific	42⅝	43	42⅝	42⅞
Northern Pacific pfd	76⅛	77	76⅛	77
Pacific Mail	46⅝	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛
Pullman Palace	156⅞	156	155¼	155⅝
Phila. & Reading	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Southern Pacific	33⅝	33	32⅝	32⅞
Southern Railway	12⅝	12¾	12⅛	12⅛
Southern Railway pfd	53⅛	53⅛	52⅞	53⅛
Texas Pacific	21	21	20⅛	20⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron	90⅝	90⅝	89	89
Union Pacific	44⅛	44⅛	44	44
Union Pacific pfd	75⅛	75⅛	77	77
U. S. Leather pfd	74⅛	75⅛	74⅛	75
U. S. Rubber	50	50	50	50
Western Union Tel.	89	89	88	88⅝
Con. Tobacco	40⅛	50⅝	49⅞	49⅞
Con. Tobacco pfd	98⅝	99	98	98

The general list this morning was somewhat weak at first, but later developed considerable strength which many believed might be the forerunner of a good recovery, especially in the railways. Speculation in the industrials and specialties continued active and erratic with little apparent reason for the different movements. The New York Traction issues were all weak, especially Metropolitan. The Tobacco issues were even more buoyant than yesterday during the first half hour or more, all making new high price records, and the steel stocks were active with small net changes in price. It is such a market as may develop into almost anything, but careful observers are of the opinion that the railway securities have been bought steadily by important interests during the past two days, and that this weakness in the traction securities may have been a ruse to allow both shorts and longs to purchase stocks. If this is the right analysis of the market an important recovery may be looked for at any time. The long side is undoubtedly the more attractive at this level.

The spurt in the Tobacco issues has attained to such proportion as to be a matter of much interest, if not importance. American Tobacco sold this morning at 126, which is equal to 252 on the basis of three months ago, before the stock dividend of 100 was made. Continental Tobacco common sold above 50, also a new high price, and the preferred was very strong. The "news" regarding the Tobacco Trust is mostly hearsay, and may not have any foundation in facts. One statement is that the Continental preferred stock is to receive a dividend, perhaps 1 3-4 per cent for the past quarter, and perhaps 3 1-2 for the first half year of its existence. Much skepticism is expressed over the report of the latter figure, and there are not wanting people who believe that no dividend whatever will be declared. Naturally the larger dividend would be an inducement for the purchase of American Tobacco stock as well as Continental, as the two companies are so close together as to be one for all practical purposes, such as manipulation of stocks. Another story in the Street is that the Continental has purchased the Buchanan & Lyall Company, which was incorporated a short time ago, ostensibly to fight the trust.

Metropolitan Traction, which sold off yesterday from 208 to 206 and a fraction, continues to decline this morning, the low price reached in the first hour being 201 1-4. The stock recovered from this price later. Manhattan and Brooklyn Rapid Transit both sold off to the lowest prices of yesterday but did not seem inclined to go lower immediately. It was the opinion of many that a rally would occur in Brooklyn during the remainder of the week.

The buying of Northern Pacific common this morning was called good, and it is believed to be probable that the stock will have a good advance in the near future. Mr. Harriman, of the Union Pacific directory, has returned to New York from his long trip West and to Alaska. He stated to the newspaper men yesterday that a truce has been continued between the Northern Pacific and the Oregon Navigation Company over the clearwater difficulties for another six months. The opinion is generally expressed by people familiar with the situation that a better chance of harmony now exists than at any time heretofore. Reports from inside sources are to the effect that the showing of the Northern Pacific for the year will be entirely remarkable. It is said that the system has been operated for the hitherto unheard of percentage of 45 per cent of gross earnings. It will be remembered that last year's operating ratio was about 47 and that the entire railway world marveled at it.

The National Biscuit Company, which yesterday declared a dividend of 1 3-4 per cent on the preferred stock and 1 per cent on the common is doing an immense business. One of the officers of the company yesterday made the statement that its foreign trade is now pushing that of the great English biscuit companies and likely soon to surpass it.

It is said that a dividend of 1 per cent on Chesapeake and Ohio is almost certain to be declared today.

Atchison preferred made a steady advance this morning while the railway list in general was inactive at lower prices. It was selling at 64 early in the day with an apparently heavy demand at that price.

Louisville and Nashville was strong.

The Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales—Mergenthaler Linotype, 20@204 3-4, 10@204 7-8; Lanston Monotype, 20@17 3-4, 100@17 7-8. After call—Capital Traction, 50@94 1-4; Mergenthaler Linotype, 40@205.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
US 4's 1907 Q J	112⅝	113
US 4's C 1907 Q J	113¾	113⅞
US 4's R 1925	130	131
US 4's C 1925	130	131
US 2's C 1930 Q F	111	112½
US 2's R 1930 Q F	109¼	109½
US 5's R 1904 Q C F	109¼	109½

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BONDS.

6's 1902 "30-year funding" gold	106	.....
7's 1901, "Water stock" currency	107½	.....
7's 1901, "Water stock" currency	.....	.....
Funding currency 5's	111½	.....
Anacostia and Potomac 5's	.....	.....

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

Met R R 5's, 1925	125	.....
Met R R Cert Indebtedness, A	117½	.....
Met R R Cert Indebtedness, B	117½	.....
Columbia R R 6's, 1914	132	.....
Columbia R R 2d mort 5s	114	.....
City and Suburban R R	110	.....
Wash Gas Co, ser A, 6's, 1058-27	108	.....
Wash Gas Co, ser B, 6's, 1901-27	108	.....
U S Electric Light, Deb Imp, 1907	6½	.....
U S Electric Light, Cert Indebt	1.0	120
Ches and Pot Tel, 1896-1911	107	.....
Am Sec and Tr 5's, 1905	110	.....
Wash Market Co 1st 6's, 1892-1911, $7,000 retired annually	112	.....
Wash Market Co, Imp 6's, 1915-27	112	.....
Wash Market Co, ext 6's, 1914-27	112	.....
Masonic Hall Ass'n 5's, C 1908	.....	.....
Amer. Graphophone Deb. 5s	.....	.....
Anacostia & Potomac 5's	99⅝	.....

NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

Bank of Washington	350	.....
Metropolitan	485	.....
Central	170	.....
Farmers and Mechanics'	240	.....
Second	150	.....
Citizen's	175	.....
Columbia	151	.....
Capital	130	.....
West End	121	.....
Traders	110	.....
Lincoln	110	125

SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANIES.

National Safe Deposit and Trust	132	143
Wash Loan and Trust	160	170
Amer Security and Trust	.....	.....
Wash Safe Deposit	65	.....

INSURANCE STOCKS.

Firemen's	75	.....
Franklin	47	.....
Metropolitan	80	.....
Corcoran	60	75
Potomac	49	55
Arlington	153	165
German American	240	.....
National Union	13	16
Columbia	4	.....
Riggs	5	.....
People's	2½	3½
Lincoln	1¼	.....
Commercial	4	.....

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.

Real Estate Title	.....	.....
Columbia Title	5½	6
Washington Title	.....	.....
District Title	1¾	.....

RAILROAD STOCKS.

Capital Traction	94	95
City and Suburban	30	.....
Georgetown and Tenallytown	48	.....

GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT STOCKS

Washington Gas	56	57
Georgetown Gas	50	52
U S Electric Light	.....	.....

TELEPHONE STOCKS.

Chesapeake & Potomac	76½	78
Pennsylvania	48	50

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Mergenthaler Linotype	204¾	2.5
Lanston Monotype	17⅞	17¾
American Graphophone	15	15½
American Graphophone, pfd	14⅞	15¼
Pneumatic Gun Carriage	30	35
Washington Market	12	14
Norfolk & Washington	115	.....
Lincoln Hall	.....	.....

*ex. Rights.
*Ex. Dividend.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market

Corrected daily by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of the New York Exchange, 1419 F Street.

	Open	High	Low	2:15
WHEAT.				
Sept	70½	71⅛	70¼-⅜	70⅝
Dec	72⅞	73⅛	72⅝	73¼
CORN.				
Sept	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
Dec	28¼	28¼	28⅛	28¼
OATS.				
Sept	19⅝	19¾-⅞	19½-⅝	19⅝
Dec	19⅝	19¾-⅞	19⅝	19⅝
PORK.				
Sept	8.25	8.25	8.12	8.20
Oct	8.32	8.32	8.20	8.27
LARD.				
Sept	5.15	5.17	5.10	5.17
Oct	5.22	5.22	5.17	5.22
RIBS.				
Sept	5.00	5.00	4.95	5.00
Oct	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00

New York Cotton Market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:15.
September	5.49	5.49	5.51	5.51
October	5.51	5.51	5.50	5.49
December	5.55	5.55	5.49	5.50
January	5.61	5.62	5.54	5.54

Death of a Famous Scout.

Winchester, Va., Aug. 16.—Daniel Moss, one of Sheridan's most famous scouts during the civil war, died near Winchester Monday night after a long illness. During the valley campaign, which resulted in General Early's defeat, Moss' services were invaluable, as he was familiar with every foot of the ground around. Dressed in the uniform of a Confederate soldier, he gained the confidence of Southern sympathizers, and the information gained from them of the Confederates' movements were invaluable to Sheridan, and largely determined his success. He expected large remuneration from the Government for his services, but was ignored, and died in poverty.

The New Orleans Sails for San Juan.

The Navy Department received word this morning that the cruiser New Orleans had sailed from Santo Domingo for San Juan, Porto Rico, to take coal. It is understood that despite the extensive damage from the storm at the Porto Rican capital, the facilities for coaling naval vessels remain intact. As soon as she has performed her errand the New Orleans will return to Santo Domingo in order to protect American interests there against possible danger from the rebel uprising in the islands.

The Schoolship Saratoga's Cruise.

Havre, Aug. 16.—The Saratoga, the Pennsylvania nautical schoolship, has sailed for Gibraltar.

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ARRIVE ATLANTIC CITY, - - - - - 9:20 P. M.

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The name of the proposed corporation is the National Bonding Company of Washington, D. C.

It is to be a security, guaranty, and indemnity company; and its object is to carry on, under the provisions of the act above referred to, a security, guaranty, and indemnity business, with its principal office at Washington, D. C.

The names of the proposed corporators are Charles J. Bell, John Joy Edson, William S. Thompson, Hilary A. Herbert, James E. Fitch, George Truesdell, Charles C. Duncanson, John B. Larner, James M. Johnston, John F. Wilkins, Theodore W. Noyes, George W. Brown, Thomas R. Jones, Edward J. Stellwagen, Aldis B. Browne, Alexander Britton, E. S. Johnson, John Cassels, James L. Norris, S. H. Kauffmann, Myron M. Parker, Samuel Bieber, Lemon G. Hine, James G. Fayne, John E. Herrell, Henry F. Blount, Clarence F. Norment, Joseph E. Willard, Albert A. Wilson, John Cammack, George T. Dunlop, H. Hurt, Henry K. Willard, George W. Moss.

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Washington, D. C., August 16, 1899.

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