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THE RUMORED judicial proceeding, by ex-Congressman Brady and his coadjutors, against General Mahone, chairman of the republican State committee, charging improper appropriation of a large election fund, and invoking the aid of a court of equity in compelling a discovery as to the disbursement of such funds and the amount, if any, remaining in Mahone's hands for present or future use, would, if brought and tried, prove a veritable *causa celebre* in the political world. The result would be watched with a keen interest the country over, and, if decided favorably to the complainants, work a revolution in that part of the machinery of politics propelled by the "sinews of war." The theory of the movers, it is presumed, would be that the money coming into the chairman's hands as the mere organ of the committee should not only have been disbursed by him through the regular channels, but its expenditure conducted on the line of legitimate party usage, and in accordance with the understanding had with the subscribers and donors of the fund. In a word, such moneys given from proper motives become, in the hands of a disburser, a thing not to be appropriated to personal benefit, but to be administered honestly, and also conjointly with those who are of right entitled to an interest and a voice in the matter. The next step of Col. Brady will be awaited with much anxiety by the managers of both parties.

WHY MR. OBERLY should be denounced as he is by real democrats for the civil service rules is not easy to tell. To be sure Mr. Oberly is the chief of the civil service commission which makes the objectionable rules; but the law creating that commission provides that its members shall be appointed by the President, and be removed at his pleasure, and shall aid him in the preparation of only just such rules as he may think proper. The civil service law is undemocratic and unAmerican enough in all conscience, but the civil service rules are abominable. The President, however, is responsible for those rules, and not Mr. Oberly. It is under those rules that Postmaster Corse of Boston retains all the republican employees in his office, and says he will continue to do so until the President shall intimate to him that their removal will be advissable. Every tub should stand on its own bottom.

SOME OF the anarchical and socialistic element of London's population entered Westminster Abbey last Sunday and jeered and hooted the preacher during his sermon, and defaced the walls, pillars, and floors of that edifice. The fear of the Lord is the beginning of all knowledge, and in His temple all should stand in awe. Disrespect of God is always conjoined sooner or later with disregard of men. The bloody work of the Scottish and French revolutionists commenced with the murder of the priests and the defacement and destruction of the churches. It is only the certainty of the penalty of human laws that deters an outrageous defyer of the laws of God from defying the laws of men. Those who would hoot and jeer a preacher during his sermon would murder him if it were not for the fear of hanging.

MR. FRYE, one of Maine's republican Senators, says: "It is time that the American people woke up to the fact that unless a market be soon found for American manufactures outside of the country there will be an overproduction." Nothing could be truer. But it is equally as true that the best, easiest, speediest, and most practicable way to find a market for American manufactures outside of the country is to remove the tax on raw material, so that American manufacturers can be put on an equal footing with their foreign competitors, and the tariff on foreign manufactures be so reduced that foreign orders for American goods can be paid for with foreign products, instead of gold coin, as has to be done under the existing protective tariff.

IN BALTIMORE on Sunday last many of the pastors in the colored churches, according to the *American* of that city, advised their congregations to vote for Mr. Bartlett and all the men nominated by the republicans. Yes, and that advice will be followed to the letter. And, what's of vastly more importance to the people of this State, similar advice will be given to and taken by the colored people of this State. The colored preachers have rendered General Mahone valuable assistance in his former campaigns, and there is nothing to induce the belief that it is otherwise now.

THE EXPENSES of Mr. Henry George, who is conducting a campaign in New York the avowed object of which is to confiscate private land without compensation to the owners, are paid from the fund of the republican committee of that State. And yet the republican party professes to represent the law and order, the business interests, and the thrift and industry of the country. But the New York republicans agree with General Mahone's candidate for the Presidency, Mr. Sherman, that any and everything is justifiable in law and morals that will beat down the democratic party.

WHILE Secretary Bayard is by no means the most satisfactory Secretary of State the democrats have ever had, there is no doubt the fact that in the matter of the Canadian differences his conduct has been eminently wise, and has entitled him to the well-merited praise of all the right thinking people among his countrymen. Mr. Blaine, in his place, would probably have sundered all commercial relations between the two countries, and not improbably have involved this country in a war with Great Britain.

WE ARE requested to state that the State democratic committee will not furnish election tickets to the cities and counties for local candidates. This course has been determined upon to prevent confusion.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexa. GAZETTE]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25, 1887.

Col. James D. Brady, of Petersburg, late Mahone's congressman, collector of internal revenue, delegate to Chicago, and confidential aid de camp, declares over his signature to-day that fully one hundred thousand dollars have been given to General Mahone for use in the elections of the past few years. Brady, it will be recollected, was, during this period, one of the trusted and active solicitors for the collection of this very fund, and has probably more information about it than any other man in the State except the General himself. While Mahone was chairman of the readjuster State committee Brady was chairman of the co-operating republican committee. When the organizations merged into one he was retained by Mahone as only second to himself in rank and importance. In fact, all of committee authority and party power not usurped by Mahone was handed over to the faithful Brady. It was Brady who went North, and in one campaign raised by individual effort a sum exceeding ten thousand dollars. For instance, the new Senator-elect of New York, Hiscock, though not a rich man, handed him a cool five hundred dollars; the owner of the New York *Times*, Geo. Jones, esq., now a distinguished mugwump, gave him a thousand, and many other notables followed suit in smaller sums. But there is no news in Col. Brady's statement that Gen. Mahone has never rendered an account of his disbursements or shown to his committee or any one else to whom or in what way this money was applied or expended. Murmurings have been heard for a year or two from complainants, chiefly candidates, to the effect that their share of the campaign fund had been denied them in contests for Congress, the Legislature, etc. Long ago it was charged that Mahone removed his bank account from the State that all trace of his election disbursements might be lost. But Brady has in no direct sense charged that Mahone took any of this money to his own personal use, only that he so bossed the job of distributing it as to leave everything relating to its use in profound darkness. Said a lawyer and politician of Virginia, who is here to-day, Brady may be a little clumsy in shape as well as a little slow of speed, but he is dreadfully earnest when he starts in a fight, and may yet give Mahone much trouble. Indeed it is already rumored that Brady, aided by the republicans in league with him, intends to file a bill in equity against chairman Mahone, calling for a discovery of the amount, manner, &c., of his disbursements of this large sum of money which they claim was the subject of a joint and not an individual control. Such a suit if brought in good faith and earnestly pressed would be not only productive of interesting developments, but have a salutary influence in the way of reforming election abuses and keeping in check their corrupt authors and managers. There is certainly no political tribunal he added before which Brady and friends can have an accounting now. At the next State convention, however, if they are strong enough, a showing might be demanded of Mahone. Objection on his part would of course be damaging in the extreme, as both his political and personal enemies would draw all sorts of injurious inferences therefrom.

Chairman Barbour of the Virginia State democratic committee left here this morning for Richmond to attend a called meeting of that committee to-day. He will return Wednesday night. Mr. Barbour says ex Congressman E. John Ellis of Louisiana, known as the "silver tongued" orator, has promised him to make a series of campaign speeches in Virginia next week, winding up at Fredericksburg on the evening of the 7th of November, the eve of the election.

Mr. J. A. Settle, as chairman of the committee appointed by the Virginia democratic association of this city to present to the civil service commission resolutions asking that commission if it endorses Mr. Oberly's recent order prohibiting federal officeholders from joining political associations, executed that duty yesterday afternoon, and was requested to file the resolutions with the secretary. Action will probably be taken on them to day.

At the last meeting of the Virginia democratic association of this city, arrangements were made not only for sending to Virginia all the sojourners here who will vote the democratic sicket at the coming election, but to prevent the colonization of colored men from this city in Alexandria and Fairfax on election day, which custom, it is said, has been practiced by the Mahoneites for several years past.

The lobby of the National Hotel here was crowded this morning by strangers, attracted here by the races which commenced to-day. Among them were several colored men who are professional betters, and who make a living, and a good one too, by following the races and betting on the winners. It was announced to-day that the races would be run at this meeting rain or no rain.

Mr. Waggaman, a real estate agent of this city, and a member of the committee appointed to select the site for the proposed Catholic University here, when asked by the GAZETTE's correspondent to day if there was any probability of the acceptance of Mr. Frank Hume's offer of a site on Arlington Heights, replied that he thought not, as the Bishops had decided that the site should be within the District of Columbia. He said, however, that the committee had not yet met, and that when they did meet he would lay Mr. Hume's offer before them.

A meeting of ex Confederates was held at the Metropolitan Hotel here last night to make arrangments for attending the laying of the corner stone of the Lee monument at Richmond next Thursday. Several ladies were present and also some of the Confederate Monument Association of this city. It was determined to hire a Pulman car for the accommodation of those who would go, and that all who do go shall wear badges.

TERRORISM IN TEXAS.—A dispatch from Rio Grande City, Texas, says: "Starr county, along the border of Mexico, is in a state of terror. Mexican bandits ride in gangs through the streets at night, and officers of the law dare not show themselves. Saturday a party of bandits came to town and mailed two letters at the postoffice, one to Manuel Guerro, of Rome, and the other to Senor Donscino Garcia, notifying them that unless they immediately raised $15,000 and $8,000 respectively, for the bandits their stores would be blown to atoms with dynamite. Gov. Ross has been appealed to for protection.

We reckon the Baltimore papers are sorry the election will be over to morrow and hope that elections would come every day, as they make by it no matter who loses.

Brady on Mahone.

PETERSBURG, Va., Oct. 10, 1887.

Mr. H. C. Brightwell, Prospect, Va:

My dear sir: Accept my hearty congratulations over the manly stand you have taken for the overthrow of the "one man power," which has done so much to disrupt the republican party in this State. When the old republicans of Virginia coalesced with the readjuster party none of us supposed that one man would, or could, usurp the entire organization in his own interest, and that the power conferred upon him would be so manipulated as to make that one man supreme dictator of everybody and everything connected with the party.

We loyally supported Mahone as our leader, because we believed that it would benefit our party in this State and the country at large, but in the hard school of experience we have been convinced of our great mistake, and now, in order to save the party from utter destruction, we have determined to overthrow his selfish, tyrannical and unrepublican leadership. Every republican, no matter how long, how actively and faithfully he may have served the party, is completely ignored, and every effort is made to drive him out of the party, unless he is willing to sacrifice his self respect and manhood and quietly submit to this one man's imperious will in all party matters.

I could fill a large volume with the record of his deeds, showing how he has used the party's power and influence to advance his own personal and political fortunes. Last year he issued his famous self interest-treaty of peace edict, signed as chairman, declaring that Mr. Gaines was the regular nominee for Congress in this district. A prominent republican of this city openly opposed Mr. Gaines's candidacy, and he did not vote for him on election day. Thereby, according to Mahone's ruling, he became a bolter and party disorganizer. Not long thereafter the State committee was called to meet at Mahone's private residence, and at his suggestion this identical person was elected a member of the State executive committee, the highest and most responsible position in the party councils, although not so regarded under the present autocratic leadership.

Mr. C. C. Clarke for many years was the faithful and efficient secretary of the State committee. At all the State conventions of the readjuster and republican parties held during the past eight years he has been recognized as the State committee's secretary, and a more polite, industrious, attentive and competent officer, or worthy party member could not be found. It appears, however, that the chairman became displeased with him for some private reason, and thereupon he was summarily dismissed and another appointed to the place.

Mahone acts upon the idea that he is the party, and all that is required in order to receive the party's favor is at all times, and under all circumstances, to agree with him in everything, and to be submissive to his arrogant will.

What has been done with the large campaign fund placed in Mahone's hand? Since 1880 he has collected in this State from office holders, and received in contributions from Northern republicans, at the lowest estimate, $100,000. In the disbursement of this money he has unblushingly usurped not only the offices of secretary and treasurer of the State committee, but also the right and power vested in the State executive committee to handle the same, and he has never rendered an account to the committee, or any one, showing what disposition he has made of it. Being the sole custodian and disburser of the party's fund he has always placed it where, in his immaculate judgment, it would do the most good for the "Mahone party."

How has he disposed of the federal patronage? Arrogantly assuming that it belonged exclusively to himself, that every office under the Government, from the highest collectorship to the dollar post office, was his private property, he doled out places with an unction most gleeful to himself, because "solid Mahone" political workers were being located in every section of the State. An examination of the record discloses the fact that, with but a very few exceptions, only his special advocates and favorites were provided for, in willful disregard of the just claims of faithful, worthy, and intelligent republicans, and indorsements as to character, fitness and worth from the leading republicans of the State counted for naught against his own perverted determination for his personal preferences. Maimed soldiers, honest and capable, and sadly in need of employment, were treated with haughty indifference, while the son and coachman of this wealthy autocrat drew thousands of dollars from the Senate's appropriation, both having been provided with lucrative places.

The demands made in the party's name upon the office-holders for contributions to his campaign fund, by his plan of assessments, were cruel and exacting, and to illustrate to what an extent this power was exercised, I need only mention the fact that a certain postmaster in this State was required, and he did add to the campaign fund $1,000 before he got the office.

He has attempted to make political capital under cover of the Blair Educational bill, and it is now in order to tear off this mask. When this measure was first put upon its passage in the Senate he deliberately absented himself and refused to vote upon the question. Efforts have been made to excuse him for this gross neglect of duty, and it has been alleged that at the time the vote was being recorded in the Senate he was unexpectedly called to the department on important public business. This is not true. The facts are, during the calling of the ayes and nays upon the passage of the bill he was sulking in a committee room of the Senate, and just before the said vote was taken he sent for a republican western Senator, to whom he gave his reasons for being opposed to the bill and why he would not vote for it. Under pressure he voted for the bill during the Forty-ninth Congress. It is, however, well known to the republican opponents of the measure that he was really opposed to its passage.

I have never knowingly given republicans bad advice, and if I were not satisfied that this "one man" is conducting the campaign for his own advancement and against the best interests of the republican party, I would not have written you this letter. He has forced himself to the front as the sole issue in this canvass, and his success means the defeat of every old Virginia republican. Victory for him means six more years of odious party management, and as a fellow soldier, who has fought hard in many bitter struggles for the maintenance of republican principles, I do most earnestly urge you to diligently labor for the defeat of the most arrogant and selfish bossism that ever afflicted a party or a people. It is indeed a fight for political freedom. Very truly yours,

JAS. D. BRADY.

THE PIGEON FANCY.—The Waverly Homing Pigeon Club of Baltimore, sent yesterday to Warrenton Junction, (84 miles air line to Baltimore,) 22 birds to be liberated to-day. After the jump is flown they will fly from Charlottesville, 127 miles, and a final jump of 205 miles for a medal. J. H. Leonhardt has purchased the sister of Alexander the Great, the young bird which flew 510 miles in one day. Mr. John H. Heid has purchased eight new birds, one out of Duke of Kent and Keyport Lass, and others from 300 mile parents.—*Balto. Sun.*

NEWS OF THE DAY

Senator Gorman expresses himself as confident of democratic success at the election in Baltimore to-morrow.

A dispatch from Balmoral Castle announces that Princess Beatrice, wife of Prince Henry of Battenberg, has been delivered of a daughter.

Gov. Gordon, of Georgia, has accepted the invitation of the Ohio democratic committee to make four speeches in that State, commencing Oct. 28.

The police detectives were busy all day arresting colored men who, they claimed, had come to Baltimore from Philadelphia to vote on Wednesday.

Henry Berhayon, brother-in-law of Dr. J. Milton Bowers, now under sentence of death for poisoning his wife two years ago, committed suicide in San Francisco Sunday. He left a letter confessing that he poisoned his sister for the purpose of obtaining the insurance on her life.

Mr. Jefferson Davis and Mrs. Davis and his daughters, Mrs. Hayes and Miss Winnie, arrived at Macon, Ga., yesterday and were enthusiastically greeted. To day Mrs. Davis and her daughters will have a public reception at the fair grounds, and to-morrow there will be a final review of Confederate veterans by Mr. Davis.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

A fire occurred last Saturday night on board the British steamship Brookfield, at West Point, but the damage was slight, principally from water.

The name of Gen. Alfred Pleasanton has been by his friends laid before the President as suitable for selection for governor of the Soldier's Home at Hampton.

There was a joint discussion at Luray yesterday between the Hon. Thos. Whitehead, of Amherst, democrat, and Senator Riddleberger, republican. The Senator was not at his best, and was roughly handled by Mr. Whitehead.

Mr. William G. Neeson son of Hon. James Neeson, died in Richmond early Sunday morning after a long illness. Deceased for a time lived in Paris, and while Governor Cameron was in office was a colonel on his staff.

A large number of persons have already arrived in Richmond, to be present at the laying of the Lee monument corner-stone Thursday. The military officers say that ample accomodations have been secured for all the military organizations expected.

FIGHT WITH A HORSE THIEF.—Messrs. Jas. K. Mander and Dr. A. C. Doggett exploited last Saturday night in a way to deserve recordation by the "art preservative" that future generations may realize the truth of the adage that "there's many a slip between the cup and the lip." As is his custom, Dr. Doggett left his horse and buggy standing in front of his office last Saturday evening. Some person of evil intent stole the aforesaid horse and buggy and proceeded to drive towards Richmond. Ascertaining the route the thief had taken the Doctor engaged the services of Mr. Jas. K. Mender, and after arming themselves with deadly weapons, pursued the fleeing thief. Several miles this side of Bowling Green the thief had alighted, unharnessed the horse and was warming himself by a fire hastily built on the roadside when the pursuers hove in sight. They approached cautiously, and surrounding the rogue demanded an unconditional surrender at the mouth of a formidable looking pistol, leaded to the muzzle and aimed by the Doctor, rendered desperate by the bold theft. The thief, appreciating the delicate position he was in, asked appealingly what he was expected to do. The Doctor ordered him to lie face downward on the ground and put his hands behind him. The command was obeyed, and to prevent escape, the Doctor, kneeling upon the prostrate form of his victim, requested Mander to tie the man, at the same time handing Mander his pistol with directions to shoot in case the thief attempted to escape. While Mander went for the strap, the thief arose from the ground, and with Dr. Doggett on his back, trotted a few steps, humped his back, Broncho pony style, and threw his rider over his head in to the mud, and then escaped into the woods. The Doctor yelled to Mander to shoot. M. fired several shots, and reported that he heard a yell of pain; but no blood was found, nor was the man pursued. The horse and buggy were recovered, the horse slightly tired, and Messrs. Doggett and Mander returned at a late hour covered all over with glory and mud. They will be a terror hereafter to all horse thieves, and persons losing horses will do well to engage them to run down those who steal them.—*Fredericksburg Free Lance.*

OLD TOMES.—The State of Virginia is the possessor of two of, perhaps, the oldest printed volumes in the world. They are in the State Library, and were printed when the art of printing was but a few years old, and Wm. Caxton only a few months dead. One of these musty volumes is a book on natural history, and the illuminated letters would do credit to much modern printing. The other is an illustrated dissertation on the creation of the world and the human race.

The following is the last fish story of the season: "A Virginia gentleman relates that while fishing for chub the other day he saw a terrapin crawl into a chub's bed, where the female had deposited her spawn. When the male chub sighted the intruder he caught it by the tail, backed out about six feet and threw it about twenty feet clear of the water. This fact is vouched for by several, all Virginia gentlemen of repute, who witnessed the summary bouncing of the terrapin.

For a severe and aggravated tickling cough, I have used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It cured me in a few hours, and I certainly commend it to public favor.

CHRIS QUINCEY, Petersburg, Va.

GOOD GUNPOWDER, OOLONG, JAPAN and Extra Mixed Teas, for sale at 50c. per lb. by
jan20 J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE FLORIDA ORANGES and FANCY MESSINA LEMONS just received by
mh14 J. C. MILBURN.

THURBER'S SHREDDED OATS—A fresh lot just received.
je9 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

A FULL STOCK OF FLOWER POTS and SAUCERS for same for sale by
sep23 J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH BUTTER and EGGS constantly received and for sale by
my31 J. C. MILBURN.

LARGE CANS TOMATOES, Nanticoke brand, for sale at 10c each by
mh25 J. C. MILBURN.

THE BEST ROASTED and GROUND COFFEES for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S,
je7 17 north Royal st.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY DR. MITCHELL'S Celebrated Rheumatism Plaster, for sale by
ap11 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

PEERLESS ICE CREAM FREEZERS, for sale at reduced prices, at 88 King street, corner of Royal. [je9] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

NEW BEANS and HOMINY just received by
oct4 J. C. MILBURN.

TRY THE QUAKER STARCH. For sale by
aug5 J. C. MILBURN.

POSTSCRIPT.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Killed Three Negroes.

APALACHICOLA, Fla., Oct. 25.—News has reached here that a white man named Parrish shot and killed three negro men in Calhoun county a few days since. Four negroes were using Parrish's boat to gather up logs broken loose from a raft when Parrish came along. It is said that the negroes told Parrish they had no intention of stealing the boat, but Parrish would not receive explanations. He raised his Winchester and shot one down in the boat, killed another on the raft, and another who was attempting to run away. The fourth dived overboard and escaped.

Wrecked.

COLLINGWOOD, Ont., Oct. 25.—The steamer City of Owen Sound, of the Collingwood Transit Company's line, was wrecked half a mile east of Clapperton Island lighthouse during a heavy gale Monday morning. The crew left the steamer in life boats and had a narrow escape from being drowned. The steamer Canpana arrived here this morning having on board all the crew of the wrecked steamer. The City of Owen Sound was owned by Smith & Keighley, of Toronto, and was valued at $29,000. She was classed as A 1½.

Failures.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 25.—Burgunder & Greenbaum, wholesale clothiers, have made a deed of trust for the benefit of creditors to Martin Mayor. Their liabilities are estimated at $10,000 and their assets at $1,800.

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Perkins Dupee & Co., bankers, 49 State street, successors to Charles A. Sweet & Co., have failed. The firm have been long of the market. They make no statement as yet.

Another Reported Alliance.

PARIS, Oct. 25.—The *Figaro* states that the Czar visited Copenhagen with the view of taking decisive action in regard to Bulgarian affairs, and that he has formed an anti German alliance between Russia, Belgium, Holland, Sweden and Denmark. Other powers are expected to join the alliance.

Sentenced.

DUBLIN, Oct. 25.—Mr. Walsh, the editor of the Wexford *People*, who was sentenced yesterday to a month's imprisonment for publishing reports of meetings of suppressed branches of the national league, was condemned to-day to two months' imprisonment at hard labor on another charge. Four of the summonses against him were dismissed.

Steamer Burned.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The French steamer Hindoustan, which arrived at Marseilles yesterday from New York, took fire last night and was entirely burned. She had 3,000 tons of merchandise aboard, all of which was destroyed.

French Army and Navy.

PARIS, Oct. 25.—The Legislative Chambers reassembled to day. In the Chamber of Deputies the Minister of Finance introduced a bill providing for an extraordinary army and navy credit of 100,000,000 francs.

Appointment.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—E. H. Cummings, of Virginia, has been appointed a special examiner in the Pension office under civil service rules.

Officials of the U. S. Treasury Dept. the Heads of the Baltimore Custom House and Postoffice all indorse Salvation Oil. Price twenty-five cents.

DIED.

In Washington, October 21, 1887, FRANCES, relict of the late Peter Campbell, in the 74th year of her age.

We miss you in the morning dawn;
We miss you in the night's return.
We miss you here, we miss you there;
Dear mother, we miss you everywhere.
Gone, but not forgotten.

Funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A Tribute.

In this old county tender anxiety has stood with mournful eagerness since first we heard "DR. FAIRFAX is alarmingly ill." Memory took up the glass of time and turning back its sands recalled the time of his sojourn in our midst. How clearly stood forth his many endearing traits! Ministering to our bodily ills, how tenderly solicitous, hopefully cheering the saddened heart, and in our social life embellishing every occasion. A well-rounded noble life has passed into that unknown country, behind the veil of which we may not penetrate until the icy finger of the pale messenger has touched us and we stand with all life's mysteries and perplexities swept away. How fugitive and vanishing the daily round of this little life that we should ever give a moment's thought to the passing strife, the toil and care, when we see our noble ones borne on the inexorable wings of God's unerring judgment, gathered into the shelter of His love, taken as His own to His more congenial presence, despite all loving human effort to save. Faithful to all life's duties, unobtrusive, kind to every human soul who held out to him the hand of want, or the heart throb for sympathy. Death sat upon him with a calmly smiling grace as he lay "as one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lays him down to pleasant dreams," with an unfaltering trust begotten of that knowledge, "I know in whom I have believed."

"Brother, in what realms afar,
In what planet, in what star,
In what vast aerial space,
Shines the light upon thy face?

"In what garden of delight
Rest thy weary feet to-night?
Let the lifeless body rest;
He has gone who was its guest." L. M. J.

Fairfax Court House.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Friday last, a ROLL OF NOTES, amounting to FORTY-FIVE DOLLARS. A suitable reward will be paid if left at my residence, No. 415 south Fairfax street.
1t T. N. SCOTT.

CORN KNIVES and HOOKS, best quality, just received at 328 King street, corner of Royal; wholesale and retail.
sep8 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

MALAGA GRAPES and CAPE COD CRANBERRIES just received.
oct20 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

MIXED PICKLE and CHOW CHOW for sale by the gallon or pint by
oct4 J. C. MILBURN.

NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT and NEW PEARL HOMINY just received.
sep30 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

SWEET CIDER received to-day by
jan8 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The stock market was moderately active, but about steady at the opening this morning, first prices being either unchanged or but small fractions different from last evening's closing figures. Eight or nine stocks monopolized the business done and the market soon became quiet. Small fractions were gained in the early trading, but the list soon gave way and declines ranging up to ¾ per cent. were established. These losses were in most cases afterwrad made up, a firmer tone existing in the latter part of the hour. The market then became very dull and at 11 o'clock it was steady to firm at about opening figures. Money easy at 3@4

BALTIMORE, Oct. 25.—Virginia 6s consolidated 47½; past-due coupons 62; 10-40s 35; new 3s 62½ bid to-day.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, October 25.—The receipts of Flour are liberal and sales better than usual at this season, due in a great measure to the long-continued drought which prevents grinding by many country mills. The Wheat markets are stronger for prime samples, with very small offerings of that class, but few lots being better than No. 2; sales consequently still show a long range, from 68 to 73 for damaged and common to 77 and 80 for good to choice. Corn is quiet at 46 to 48 for new white, and 52 to 53 for old; no yellow has been offered for a week past. Rye and Oats are active. Eggs, Apples and other produce are wanted at full prices.

BALTIMORE, Oct 25.—Cotton quiet and steady, middling 9½. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat—Southern quiet and steady; red 77a81; amber 79a82; Western quiet, but firm and higher; No 2 winter red spot 80a80¼; Nov 80⅛a80¾; Dec 82¾a83⅛; Jan 84¼a84¾. Corn—Southern quiet and firm; white 45a49; yellow 45a48; Western quiet and steady; mixed spot 50a50¼; Oct 50 bid; Nov 49¾a50¼; year 48⅝a49¼. Oats quiet and steady; Southern and Penna 30a35; Western white 35a36; do mixed 33a34. Rye firm at 59a60. Provisions dull, but steady and unchanged. Coffee dull and easy; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 18¾a19. Whiskey steady at $1 14 a1 15.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25, 11 a. m.—Dec Wheat opened ¼c higher at 73⅜, sold to 73½ and reacted to 73⅜. May Corn started at 45 and is now quoted at 44⅞a45. Provisions were stronger. Jan Pork is selling at $12 25. Jan Lard $6 27½a6 30. Jan short ribs $6 17½.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Cotton dull and easy; uplands 9⅝; Orleans 9¾; futures steady. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat better. Corn stronger. Pork steady at $14 50; old mess steady at $13 75. Lard firm at $6 70.

BALTIMORE HOG MARKET, Oct. 24.—There was quite a heavy run of Hogs this week, over 4000 in excess of last week's numbers, and their quality is quite good, equal to the receipts for some time back. Trade is fairly active in all the yards, but at prices ⅛a¼c off from the figures of last week. We quote at 6a7½c per lb net, with a few selections a shade higher, most sales being at 6½c. Receipts 10,525 head.

GEORGETOWN CATTLE MARKET, Oct. 24.—352 Cattle offered and 307 sold as follows: Best 3¾a4c; good 3⅝a3¾c; medium 3a3⅜c, and common 2⅝a3c. 300 Sheep and Lambs were offered, which sold at 2½a4½c for the former, and at 5½a6¼c for the latter. Calves 5½a6½c. 15 Cows and Calves brought $25a45. Market brisk.

GEORGE DUFFEY would respectfully inform his friends and customers that he has REMOVED TO 324 KING STREET, and is now opening a fine stock of GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, JEWELRY and FANCY ARTICLES, such as Chains, Seals, Rings, Broches and Earrings, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Bracelets, Sleeve and Collar Buttons, Bisque Figures, Vases, Dolls, Waiters, Mirrors, Fancy Dogs, Clocks, &c., all of which will be sold at the lowest figures. Repairing as usual. oct21 eo6t

BASKETS—A full line of covered and open Baskets for sale by
mh21 J. C. MILBURN.

JELLIES, PRESERVES and FRUIT BUTTER for sale by
ap6 J. C. MILBURN.

NEW BUCKWHEAT FLOUR received to day and for sale low by
oct19 J. C. MILBURN.

NEW RAISINS and BRAZIL NUTS received to day by
oct13 J. C. MILBURN.

SMOKED BLOATERS and SCOTCH HERRING, new, just received by
oct13 J. C. MILBURN.

SARATOGA POTATO CHIPS, pound and half pound boxes, just arrived at
oct13 McBURNEY'S.

SMALL HAMS, Missouri brand, 7 to 10 pounds each. For sale by
aug5 J. C. MILBURN.

CAMELS' HAIR SHIRTS and DRAWERS from 75c to the best grade in the market at
oct8 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

DOMESTIC DRY GOODS as cheap as the cheapest at
oct7 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

A NICE LINE OF FEATHER DUSTERS at reasonable prices just opened at
oct13 McBURNEY'S.

POTTED MEATS—Ham, Beef, Tongue, Turkey Chicken, Duck and Game.
aug10 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

RED WARRIOR CHOPPING AXES, wholesale and retail, at 88 King, corner of Royal st.
dec8 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

FRESH CRACKED WHEAT and GRAHAM FLOUR for sale by
oct13 J. C. MILBURN.

PINEAPPLE, EDAM and SAPSAGO CHEESE just arrived.
oct14 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

SATISFACTION TOBACCO received to-day direct from the factory, and for sale low by
jy23 J. C. MILBURN.

BORAX SOAP, white, just received and for sale at 5c per cake by
je7 J. C. MILBURN.

LUNCH and MARKET BASKETS, a full line just received by
sep19 J. C. MILBURN.

KITCHEN, CRYSTAL AND PEERLESS Scouring Soaps, for sale by
au24 J. C. MILBURN.

WHITE CLOVER HONEY, in 1-lb frames, received to-day by
sep27 J. C. MILBURN.

ANOTHER INVOICE OF PAPER BUCKETS 25c each, just received by
sep19 J. C. MILBURN.

MALAGA GRAPES, large clusters, just received at
sep30 McBURNEY'S.

HONEY DROP, RED CROSS and QUEEN ANNE CANNED CORN for sale by
ap4 J. C. MILBURN.

WE MAKE HOSIERY A SPECIALTY; therefore can give extra values for prices paid.
sep5 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

NO. 2 FAT MACKEREL for sale by
jy14 J. C. MILBURN.

FINE IMPERIAL TEA, only 50c per lb, just received by [sep1] J. C. MILBURN.

FANCY CREAMERY BUTTER at
oct12 McBURNEY'S.

DOVE BRAND DRIED BEEF for sale low by
oct19 J. C. MILBURN.

PRIME WHITE POTATOES for sale by
sep19 J. C. MILBURN.

TRY THE POTOMAC FLOUR, very choice, for sale by [oct19] J. C. MILBURN.

NEW MILD CHEESE just received by
aug9 J. C. MILBURN.

PRIME CREAM CHEESE for sale by
jy21 J. C. MILBURN'S.

STRAINED HONEY for sale by
sep27 J. C. MILBURN.

NEW NO. 2 FAT MACKEREL just received by
sep14 J. C. MILBURN.