## THE REVISED EDITION.

In the late revision the American element did not have an opportunity to display the learning which is rapidly being acknowledged by all except our English cousins. To show that we are fully equal to the brains of the noblest Briton we publish a revision of a verse belonging to English history, and dedicate it to the committee with thanks:

KASA.
BY ANKA.

I.

The budding adolescent* maintained a position per pendicular† to the horizon upon the planking of the excavated portion of one of Her Majesty's concave untenuls navigating the boundless main, with elongations gaily decked and clad with a lurid and scintillating combustion,
Whence the concrete total of subtunary‡ humanity surrounding him and incontinently, save and with the exception of his solitary self, made themselves scarce :‖
The lurid emanations‖ that illuminated the powerless section of the foregoing battalian concavity exclusive of rigging ¶
Emitted a luminous essence** in the region directly contiguous and forming an immediate horizon to the vision of the aforesaid adolescentious creature†† and over the determinate portion of subsance lying‡‡ around loose‖‖ in a condition of permanent cessation of vital function.

II.

But the consuming element, fluctuating tumultuously with erratic undulations of destructive violence, failed to coerce the *immobile adolescent*. ‖‖¶¶
In the absence of the mandatory brief emanating from paternal authority.
The paternal authority, * * * however, owing to a conglomeration of inconsiderate circumstances coincidentally attacking him in his capacity of being the aforesaid peripatetic warrior
Rendered his articulatory process incapable of transmitting the necessary vibrations to the surrounding elements occupying the heavenly space. ††‡

III.

By stentorian use of the cartilaginous portion of the tracheal glands the youth concussed ‡‡‡ the atmospheric molecules with "Say, father! say!‡‡‖.
The peculiarities of the situation are such that I should be pleased to adjourn *sine die*."‖‖
Ebeu, alas! The perceptive faculties of his hallucinated brain failed to convince him of the unexpected demise of his venerated ancestor,
And the total annihilation of necessary will-power or faculty to aid in the somewhat singular ¶¶¶ emergency.

IV.

The vibratory and reverberatory processes resultant from detonating **** influences accompanying the inflammation of certain combustible bodies burst on the startled organ auricular!—
The aforesaid boy, *puer, adolescens*(?) The question naturally presents itself as to his whereabouts on this interesting occasion ‖†† when he was suddenly wanted, and the answer comes
Interrogate the winds, artificially disturbed by the somewhat sudden occasion to render an account with proper vouchers and explanatory notes and references regarding his movements, ‖‡‡‡
As well as their performances in scattering in a broad whirlwind of alleged passion the various disintegrated sections of the battalian concavity hereinbefore described.

Finis. ‖‖‖

*Sometimes called "boy." H. & W. give *Boye*. A lad servant, a male child, a verdant young man, a masher.

† As opposed to horizontal longitudinalism, or directly antagonistic to the relations of zenith and nadir. Sic Transit Horace Onus.

‡ English committee not consulted.

‡‡ The resultant of absquatulatory forces as applied to personal locomotion. Temp. Us. Fug. Italso. Ovid. Hes. Tom.

‖ That which emanates. By elision and substitution is easily rendered "the man-apes," but the reading is doubtful.

¶ Not found anywhere else. Mar. Eba. Dal. It. Elam. ¶ I Caud. at end. M. Guse.

** Another reading, "shone."

†† See note * c. f.; also "downy." Smithson. Rep. Nal. "Mustash."

‡‡ Has various meanings and was undoubtedly applied to Athenian editors. ¶ †(0).

‖‖ Not in use since the 10th cent., and unlike any other cent. Sic Gettibus, the poet. Nat. Rep. 19th cent. Nov. 19.

¶¶ Utahic. Thaf Lham srolled on Hade Knet Gho. Koran foot-note.

¶ ¶ The original is used, the two committees failing to agree, and the English refusing to take the American idea of "a kid that would fly out, or bodge."

*** Sire or Guynor. Pekul. Yar. To. Yank. Dom., A. D. 19th cent. In the original "father."

††† Space sometimes rendered "extended extension." A large area in which abandoned politicians are sometimes lost. U. S. Cong., art. McVes.

‡‡‡ A pure classicism. It will be well to notice the intimate relation which exists between the American word "cuss" has in science. c. f., Web. Dict. Sub verb.

‖‖‖ Go west vocab. "Hello pop." Not found in Gallic editions.

¶¶¶ After the manner of the Stoic philosophy. L Van. To. Git. Emend.

¶¶¶ Used collectively, as indicating complexity. Ang. et Am.

**** From *de* and *tonare*, to thunder; akin to "tony," as a "tony" wedding, to wit, a thundering spread.

††† A reference to * will aid in clearing up difficulties cf.; also "kid." Far West.

‡‡‡ Rinc Tum Fum A Didhul Bodhul. Et to Brute. ‖(0)‖

‖‖‖ The end. A Latin word meaning conclusion. Web. Dict. et al. op.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

Alexander Baxter, one of the oldest citizens of Manchester, is dead.

Dr. William H. Miller, the leading physician of Page County, is dead.

The Pennsylvania Editorial Association will make an excursion to Richmond on the 27th instant.

Hon. Wyatt S. Beazley, judge of the county court of Greene and Madison Counties, died at his residence in Greene County last week.

There is considerable opposition manifested by the Virginia planters to the tobacco inspector, an officer recently created by the Richmond Tobacco Association. It is supposed that the new scheme will work against the growers of dark tobacco.

Rev. Dr. Power, pastor of the Vermont Avenue Christian Church, will deliver his lecture on "The Christian Life and Character of President Garfield" in the Seventh Street Christian Church, Richmond, on the evening of the 29th instant.

While the wife of Ensign Gilmore, of the United States navy, was out horseback riding Wednesday, near Warrenton, her horse fell and broke its neck. Mrs. Gilmore, who is the daughter of Colonel M. D. Ball, recently collector of customs at Sitka, Alaska, escaped unhurt.

Some of our gentlemen just recovering from politics and being able to take in other amusements, went birding yesterday and shot a great many. One tells us there will be many birds this season; that the woods are filled with berries, which this gentleman, accustomed to notice such things, says is the sign of a hard winter and plenty of birds.—*Suffolk letter.*

A good deal of interest has been excited in Lynchburg by the preaching of a lady from North Carolina, by name Miss Painter. She is a Quakeress, and preaches with great animation and zeal. She has heretofore occupied only the pulpit of Dr. Bates' church, the Methodist Protestant Church, but people of all denominations have flocked to hear her.

## ALEXANDRIA NEWS.

Fires will be lighted again at the works of the Potomac Manufacturing Company, in this city, Monday next.

Mr. H. D. Alexander, of the Pacific squadron, United States navy, brother of Mr. James E. Alexander, is visiting in this city.

The Telephone Exchange is a success in this city. Already twenty-three instruments are up, and ten more will be put up as soon as possible.

At the next meeting of the city council Contractor Clifford will ask a change in the scavenger law to suit the new odorless method just put into use here.

It appears that until the mayor, a few days ago, compelled all green grocers selling meat to take out a special license only two out of some twenty such dealers had special meat licenses.

William Madella, colored, was brought before the mayor during yesterday for disorderly conduct and drawing a pistol upon Mr. Munster at the Washington Street Colored Methodist Church last Sunday night.

A few nights ago a thief entered the room, on King street, of the Mechanics' Club, an organization of young men, and carried off nearly all the furniture. The matter has been reported to police headquarters, and Officer James Smith is looking for the guilty party.

The vote for the several articles named at the close of the fair Thursday night stood: For cane—J. T. Beckham, 17; Henry Strauss, 13; F. P. Marbury, 4; M. J. Waterman, 5. For bracelets—Miss Gertrude Stansbury, 14; Miss Carrie Atwell, 12; Miss Clara Travers, 1; Miss ——, 4. For set of jewelry—Miss Effie Crump, 19. A full brass band will be at the fair to-night.

The finance committee of the city council—Messrs. John B. Smoot, Henry Strauss, W. W. Herbert, and Isaac Eichberg—met Wednesday night at the auditor's office and destroyed, after investigation, $10,000 of the $25,000 of coupons paid and canceled since the 1st of July last. The committee met again Thurday night for the purpose of destroying the remaining $15,000.

"Come," said one of a couple of lawyers sauntering through the new law courts in Melbourne the other day, "let's take a look at what is to be the new court." "Yes," returned the other, "let's view the ground where we shall shortly lie."

## NEW PUBLICATIONS.

FROM CANAL-BOY TO PRESIDENT. By HORATIO ALGER, Jr. New York: John R. Anderson & Co. Washington: William Ballantyne.

This sketch of the boyhood and manhood of the late President Garfield has been evidently written with a view to interest the young and to acquaint them with the main facts in his biography. As a book presenting the best side of the early history of the boy Garfield in the most attractive form, so that the young who read it shall be urged to imitate the lessons of perseverance and high aspirations taught, the author has succeeded most admirably. Of course it is of no value, nor is it so intended, as a record of his life which will enable one of mature judgment to form a just and proper estimate of his later character.

THE UNITY OF FAITH. By WILLIAM R. HART. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott & Co.

This essay is a contribution to the symposium contained in Professor J. H. Pettingell's comprehensive work (now in press) entitled "Life Everlasting." It is now printed in pamphlet form in the hope that it may induce investigation of the subject by Bible students who have not yet given it special attention.

OUR FAMILIAR SONGS AND THOSE WHO MADE THEM. By HELEN KENDRICK JOHNSON. New York: Henry Holt & Co. Washington: Robert Beall.

This large volume contains three hundred songs, all of which are more or less familiar to every household. The music and words are given and they are preceded by a sketch of the composers both of words and music and of the times in which they were written. In this one book, therefore, is to be found a collection of ballads that could only be obtained if sought for singly by great care and diligent research, some of them being now out of print. The songs are arranged under appropriate heads, and the book will prove of extreme value as an aid to entertain and make attractive the home circle.

### The Magazines.

*Littell's Living Age* for October 29 and November 5 contain, "Worry," *Nineteenth Century*; "The Future of Islam," *Fortnightly*; "The Letters of Goethe's Mother," "Life in Medieval Venice," and the conclusion of "Mary Shonewald: A Study in Prophesy," *Fraser*; "Carlo Goldoni," *Blackwood*; "Inaugural Address at the Jubilee Meeting of the British Association," by Sir John Lubbock, *Nature*; "My Troubles in Russia," *Chambers' Journal*; "Silk Growing in Burma," *St. James' Gazette*; "Verses by Scott," *Athenæum*; "Electricity in the Therapeutics of the Ancients," *Medical Press and Circular*; with an instalment of "The Freres," the conclusion of "In Trust," and the usual amount of poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year), the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4 monthlies or weeklies with the *Living Age* for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The first number of *The Wyoming Literary Monthly*, published by C. Wells Moulton, of Buffalo, N. Y., comes to hand filled with interesting matter. The subjects chosen are such as will prove attractive to those of literary tastes, while their presentation is happy and well arranged. The criticisms are keenly analytical and are given with a discrimination and judgment that shows careful thought and a true estimate of the proper duty of the one who attempts to weigh another's abilities or productions and give them their correct place in the field of literature. If the subsequent numbers shall prove as interesting as the initial one the magazine will be a complete success.

*The Musical Critic and Trade Review* for November 20 contains an interesting sketch of the career of Mrs. Aline Osgood, whose reputation as an oratorio singer is attested by her success in England and the indorsement of the most eminent musicians of London. Mrs. Osgood will concertize in this country under the management of Mr. George Colby, and will no doubt repeat her European triumphs. Besides this biography the *Review* is filled with a large amount of interesting reading matter, and is a most attractive number.

*The Journal of the American Agricultural Association* for July and October comes to hand filled with extremely interesting reading for those engaged in agricultural pursuits. Not only is there extensive statistical information as to the different products, but the various improvements in the methods of farming whereby labor is saved and the crops are increased are fully set forth. The editor, Mr. Joseph H. Reall, the secretary of the association, has ably and conscientiously performed his duty.

G. A. Whittaker sends the American republication of the *Edinburgh Review* for October, the table of contents containing articles on "Dean Stanley's Christian Institutions," "The Koran," "The Pontificate of Leo XIII.," "Memoir of M. de Circourt," "Colonel Gordon in Central Africa," "The Fallacies of Fair Trade," besides others equally interesting.

### Literary Notes.

With its next number *Harper's Young People* begins its third volume. The two years of this periodical's growth have lifted it from a vigorous infancy to a robust youth. The aim of its publishers has been to make *Harper's Young People* attractive without being sensational, and to this end they have secured the services of a high class of writers and artists. This fact has been recognized by the Chautauqua "Young People's Union," which has included this illustrated weekly among the works which the members of the union are required to read. The author of "Toby Tyler" will contribute to the new volume of *Harper's Young People* a story called "Mr. Stubbs' Brother." The boys and girls who have read "Toby Tyler" need not be told who "Mr. Stubbs" is, and they are sure to welcome his brother with open arms.

Mr. Elihu Vedder, the well-known American artist, lately returned from Rome, has been working since last summer upon a permanent cover for *The Century Magazine*. The new cover, which is just completed, is to consist, not of one design, but really of five—four of them for the different seasons of the year. Surrounding each are appropriate emblems for every month in the year, and in each will appear an emblematical female figure of great dignity. The midwinter cover will, perhaps, be the most striking of all, as in the background is seen the *aurora borealis*. The general color of the paper of the present cover will be preserved, while the ink will be of a somewhat deeper tint, and the general massing of the letters will also be retained; otherwise, the design is entirely fresh and original.

"The Iowa City Republican Manual of Iowa Politics" lies upon our table, probably sent by the editor, Mr. Herbert S. Fairall. It is filled with valuable statistical information as to the political growth of the parties that have governed the State of Iowa since it entered the sisterhood of States, besides a historical sketch of the material growth of the State from the first French settlement in 1673. The extent of information given shows how great must have been the research of the author, and the concise arrangement proves how ably he has performed his duties as editor. To those interested in politics this little book will prove of great value.

A. D. F. Randolph & Co. will publish in November an autobiographical sketch entitled "Life in Hawaii," by Rev. Titus Coan. Besides the story of the veteran's labors for forty-five years (1835-1880) in his own field, chapters 13 and 14 describe his visits to the cannibal Marquesans, and other chapters contain graphic descriptions of the Hawaiian volcanoes and of their great eruptions. The book is a record of an unusually varied and successful life-work.

### Commissioner McCammon's Report.

An addition to Secretary Kirkwood's annual report to the President was finished yesterday, comprising an abstract of the annual report of the Bureau of Railroads, submitted by Commissioner McCammon. The Secretary states that during the last fiscal year about sixty-nine hundred miles of subsidized and land-grant railroads, subject to the supervision of the bureau, have been examined and their books (especially of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific roads) have been carefully compared with the reports rendered by the companies. The report shows a marked increase of business.

### An Elopement.

Not long ago a curious elopement case occurred in Bath, Me. A woman fell in love with a man who was not her husband. The husband, taking the matter coolly, said: "Wife, we've saved up this winter $100; stay, and we'll spend it together; go, and here's $10. She took the money and went.—*New York Tribune.* Something similar to this occurred in Chicago. A man fell in love with a woman who was not his wife. The wife, taking the matter coolly, said: "Husband, we've saved up this winter $100; stay, and I'll invite my mother to come and stay a month with us; go, and I'll have you locked up in jail." He went.—*Inter-Ocean.*

### Mr. Screws' Salvation.

A man with the euphonious name of "Screws," a former agent of the Associated Press in Montgomery, publishes a bitter Bourbon paper in that city. Brother Screws bewails the Mahone movement in Virginia and says: "Let us not become confused, and in our confusion go beating about for some 'anti-Democratic' new party movement for help. Our salvation is still, as it all along has been, in the Jeffersonian Democracy. We are still face to face with the Stalwart Republican party, and that party is the devil developed into a political organization."

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

### Stock and Bond Quotations—Baltimore and New York Produce Markets.

The following observations on the transactions in the financial market yesterday, together with opening, highest, lowest, and closing quotations, are furnished by the banking house of H. D. Cooke, jr., & Co., 1429 F street, Washington, D. C:

WASHINGTON STOCK EXCHANGE.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| *Governments.* | | |
| United States 6s extended 3¾ | 101½ | 101¾ |
| United States 5s extended 3¾ | 102½ | 102¾ |
| United States 4½s 1891, coupon | ..... | ..... |
| United States 4½s 1891, registered | ..... | ..... |
| United States 4s 1907, coupon | 116¾ | 117¼ |
| United States 4s 1907, registered | 116¾ | 117¼ |
| *District of Columbia Bonds.* | | |
| Permanent improvements 6s, 1891, coin. | 116½ | ..... |
| Permanent improvements 7s 1891, cur'y. | 122 | 125 |
| Market stock 7s, 1892, currency | 122 | ..... |
| Water stock 7s, 1901, currency | 128½ | ..... |
| Water stock 7s, 1903, currency | 130 | ..... |
| Fifty years' funding 3-65s, 1924, currency. | 107¾ | 108¼ |
| Twenty years' funding 5s, 1899, currency. | 112¾ | ..... |
| Twenty years' funding 6s, 1892, coin | ..... | 117 |
| Thirty years' funding 6s, 1902, coin | 122 | ..... |
| *Miscellaneous Stocks.* | | |
| Washington and Georgetown stock | 112½ | ..... |
| Washington and Georget'n bonds | 104 | ..... |
| Metropolitan | ..... | 80¼ |
| Columbia | ..... | 23 |
| North Capitol and O Street | ..... | 39½ |
| Anacostia | ..... | ..... |
| *Fire Insurance and Gaslight Companies.* | | |
| Washington City Gaslight Company | 88½ | 89¼ |
| Washington City Gaslight Co. scrip | ..... | ..... |
| Georgetown Gaslight Company | 31½ | ..... |
| Firemen's Fire Insurance Company | ..... | ..... |
| Franklin | ..... | ..... |
| Metropolitan | ..... | ..... |
| National Union | ..... | ..... |
| Arlington | 13¾ | ..... |
| Corcoran | 127 | ..... |
| Columbia (less unpaid assessment) | 6.15 | ..... |
| Citizens' (less unpaid assessment) | ..... | 100½ |
| German American | ..... | ..... |
| Potomac | ..... | ..... |
| *Free List.* | | |
| Board of Public Works, green 6s | ..... | 96½ |
| Masonic Hall bonds | 100 | 102 |
| National Theatre bonds | ..... | ..... |
| Washington Market Company stock | 7.50 | 8.50 |
| Washington Market Company bonds | ..... | ..... |
| Inland and Sea Coast Company stock | ..... | ..... |
| Inland and Sea Coast Company bonds | ..... | ..... |
| Ivanhoe Mining Company stock | ..... | 4.00 |
| Washington Brick Machine Co. stock | .40 | ..... |

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18, 3:30 p. m.—The market early in the day was dull and featureless. Shortly before noon it was reported that two banks in Boston were in trouble, and it was afterward stated positively that one had closed its doors. The cause was said to be advances on railroad securities for prominent Boston speculators. These reports had a tendency to demoralize a market that was waiting to move up or down, according to any news, and the close working of the money market at 6 per cent. to 1-64 and interest assisted the decline. The continued absorption by the Treasury Department is of course the cause of the higher rate for money, and the fact that the new Secretary of the Treasury has made no call for bonds, notwithstanding so few have been offered him at par and interest for the past two weeks, is a disappointment. The closing prices were about the lowest of the day, and are ¼ to 1¼ below yesterday's for the general list.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

| Name of stock. | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alton and Terre Haute | 54 | 54 | 54 | 54 |
| Alton and T. H. preferred | 94 | 94 | 94 | 94 |
| Chesapeake and Ohio | 28½ | 28½ | 28¼ | 28¼ |
| Chesapeake and Ohio 1sts | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ |
| Chesapeake and Ohio 2ds | 29½ | 29½ | 29½ | 29½ |
| C. C. C. & I. | 91½ | 92¼ | 91½ | 92¼ |
| Canada Southern | 63½ | 63½ | 63 | 63 |
| Chicago, Burlington and Q. | 142¼ | 142¼ | 139 | 139¼ |
| C. C. & I. C. | 20½ | 21 | 20¼ | 20½ |
| C. & I. C. Boonds | 74 | 74 | 74 | 74 |
| Chicago, St. Paul, M. & O. | 40¼ | 40¼ | 40 | 40 |
| C., R. I. P., M. & O. preferred | 102 | 102¼ | 102 | 102 |
| Central Pacific | 93½ | 93½ | 94 | 94½ |
| Chicago, St. Louis & N. O. | 81 | 81 | 81 | 81 |
| Del., Lack. and Western | 126½ | 127 | 125¾ | 125¾ |
| Delaware and Hudson | 110 | 110 | 109 | 109 |
| Denver and Rio Grande | 84½ | 85 | 83½ | 83½ |
| Erie | 46½ | 46¾ | 46½ | 46½ |
| Erie preferred | 91½ | 91½ | 90 | 90 |
| Erie 2ds | 101½ | 101½ | 101½ | 101½ |
| Hannibal and St. Jo. | 95½ | 95½ | 94½ | 94½ |
| Hannibal and St. Jo. pref. | 112½ | 112½ | 110½ | 110½ |
| Houston and Texas | 90 | 90 | 88½ | 88½ |
| Illinois Central | 133 | 133 | 133 | 133 |
| Lake Shore | 121¾ | 122¼ | 121¼ | 121¼ |
| L. Nisville and Nashville | 93½ | 93¾ | 94¼ | 94½ |
| Lake Erie and Western | 43 | 43 | 44 | 44 |
| Michigan Central | 93½ | 94½ | 93 | 93 |
| Missouri Pacific | 106¼ | 106¼ | 104¾ | 105¼ |
| Missouri, Kansas & Texas | 42¼ | 42¼ | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| Mil., Lake Shore & West'n. | 55½ | 55½ | 55 | 55 |
| Mobile and Ohio | 38½ | 38½ | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| Memphis and Charleston | 75 | 75 | 70 | 70 |
| Manhattan Elevated | 57½ | 59¼ | 57¼ | 58¼ |
| Metropolitan Elevated | 99 | 99 | 95 | 95 |
| Metropolitan Elevated 1sts | 103½ | 103½ | 103½ | 103½ |
| New York Elevated | 108 | 108 | 108 | 108 |
| New York Central | 139¼ | 139¼ | 138 | 138¼ |
| Northwestern | 126¼ | 126½ | 126¼ | 126¼ |
| Northwestern preferred | 141¼ | 141¼ | 140 | 140 |
| New Jersey Central | 96½ | 96½ | 94½ | 94½ |
| Nashville and Chattanooga | 81 | 81 | 82 | 82 |
| Northern Pacific | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40¼ | 40¼ |
| Northern Pacific preferred | 83½ | 83½ | 81¼ | 82 |
| Northern Pacific 1sts | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| Norfolk and Western | 25½ | 25½ | 25½ | 25½ |
| Ohio and Mississippi | 41¾ | 41¾ | 41¼ | 41¼ |
| Ohio and Mississippi pref. | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 |
| Ontario and Western | 32½ | 32 | 31¾ | 32 |
| Ohio Central | 27 | 27 | 26¾ | 26¾ |
| Ohio Southern | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| Pacific Mail | 45 | 45 | 44¼ | 44½ |
| Pennsylvania Railroad | 63½ | 63½ | 63¼ | 63¼ |
| Rock Island | 136½ | 136½ | 135 | 135¼ |
| Reading | 66½ | 66½ | 64½ | 64½ |
| St. Paul | 108¼ | 108¼ | 106 | 106 |
| St. Paul preferred | 122¾ | 122¾ | 121¼ | 121¼ |
| St. Paul, M. & N | 114¼ | 114¼ | 112 | 112 |
| San Francisco | 45 | 45 | 44½ | 44½ |
| San Francisco preferred | 68½ | 68½ | 68 | 68 |
| San Francisco 1sts | 106½ | 106½ | 106½ | 106½ |
| Texas and Rio Grande | 91½ | 91½ | 91½ | 91½ |
| Texas Pacific | 56½ | 57 | 55½ | 55½ |
| Union Pacific | 120½ | 120¾ | 119¼ | 119¼ |
| Western Union | 86½ | 87 | 85½ | 85½ |
| Wabash | 48½ | 48½ | 47½ | 47¾ |
| Wabash preferred | 89 | 89½ | 88¼ | 88¼ |
| Colorado Coal | 51¾ | 51¾ | 50 | 50 |
| Consolidated Coal | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Maryland Coal | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 |

MINING STOCKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Arizona | 1¼ | Quicksilver | 14½ |
| Caribou | 2 | Quicksilver pref | 61½ |
| Homestake | 17 | Standard | 2 |
| Little Pittsburg | 2 | Sutro Tunnel | 1¼ |
| Ontario Silver | 35½ | Robinson Mining | 3¾ |

GOVERNMENT BONDS—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| United States 6 per cent. extended | 101½@101¾ |
| United States 5 per cent. extended | 102 @102¼ |
| United States 4½ per cent. registered | 112¾@112¾ |
| United States 4½ per cent. coupon | 112¾@112¾ |
| United States 4 per cent. registered | 116¾@117 |
| United States 4 per cent. coupon | 116¾@117 |
| United States 4 per cent. C. L. | 116¾ Sales |
| District of Columbia 3.65s | 107 |

BANKERS' EXCHANGE.

Three-day bills ..... 485¼ | Sixty-day bills ..... 481¾

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18, 10:10 a. m.—The bulls in the stock market last night were generally anticipating another upward turn in Lake Shore to-day, but there was little said about anything else. The operations of the Vanderbilt people was regarded as past finding out, but if funds become easier the tendency would probably be upward again. Mr. Gould and Connor were talking bullish at the Windsor last night, especially on Western Union and Missouri Pacific, but it was the average impression that Gould would not attempt to promulgate much of an upward turn again until Keene had liquidated. Cammack and Hutchings say that the present movement is merely a Keene market, but Keene's friends say that he denies being the large buyer of Lake Shore yesterday. Hutchings says he personally is out of the market, but he thinks it is going down, especially the Vanderbilts. George Chase and W. M. L. Scott are likewise out of the market, and are merely lookers-on. The Windsor Hotel bear party, including Park, Cammack, Smith, and Mills, still predict a lower market, and believe that money will continue to work closely until the end of the year. Sages also still talks the market down. It is said that the Importers and Traders' Bank called in loans largely. A private Washington dispatch was received at the Union League Club last night stating that while Secretary Folger was very reticent regarding the new plans for relieving the money market, the fact had leaked out, however, that a draft of his new policy had been made and submitted to the President. The Northern Pacific directors at their meeting last night came to a conclusion, but it was subsequently stated that no action regarding dividends was taken, and this caused the slump in the market later in the day. Park & Mills declare that there is no hope for the Pacific Mail, as the railroads will not allow it living rates, but there is more than a suspicion that this story is all a decoy, and if the steamship company sell the road its China steamers harmony will again prevail, and the South American business will be declared sufficiently remunerative to permit dividends upon the Pacific Mail stock. The new Hannibal and St. Joe say that this company has $300,000 in cash on hand, and that the concern is in excellent financial condition. The run on the Newark Bank continues, and about $40,000 in cash was sent over from here yesterday for depositors. The bank is sound. It is announced this morning that the Northern Pacific directors left the dividend question to a finance committee to decide upon. Joe Mills says the ten thousand shares bought yesterday by Hollins were for Henry N. Smith, who is now covered up. Cammack also covered up his shorts through Coombs.

12 m.—The market has sold off on reports of bank failures in Boston. Private dispatches from there state that the Central and Pacific banks are in trouble, and that they have been carrying large amounts of new securities for a prominent speculator there. They are small concerns, with a capital of $500,000 each.

1:30 p. m.—A Boston telegram says there are many rumors in circulation there respecting the standing of two or three small city banks, but the only one which appears actually embarrassed is the National Pacific, a small concern of $250,000 capital. The Elliott Bank of Boston, which closes for the latter, threw them out this morning. The correspondents here were the Continental National, but President Randolph, of the latter, denies that they are now acting as such. It was reported that the Citizens' and also the Central Banks of Boston were likewise in trouble, but the reports were unfounded, and the Boston people attach no importance to the Pacific Bank matter.

2:30 p. m.—Money loaning at 5 1-64 cents interest.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Money loaned between 5 and 6 per cent. on call during the morning and was marked up to 6 per cent. per annum and 1-32 per diem during the afternoon, and closed at 6 per cent. Exchange was steady at 480¾@480¾ for long and 484¼@484¾ for short sight. Governments were unchanged, except for extended 6s and coupon 4s, which declined ½ per cent. State bonds were moderately active. Railroad bonds were irregular, but in the main weak and lower. The share speculation was again to-day rather inactive and the market was characterized by a feverish tone. At the opening prices were irregular, although in the main a fraction higher than yesterday's closing figures, but before long a decline of ¼@2 per cent. took place, the latter in Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western. This was followed by an advance of ¼@2¼ per cent., which was most marked in Manhattan Elevated, Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western, and Houston and Texas. Toward midday the speculation again became heavy and prices fell off ½@2 per cent., Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and Northern Pacific preferred leading the downward movement. Subsequently there was a recovery of ½@1½ per cent., but during the afternoon the news from Boston regarding the bank troubles there caused a pressure to sell which resulted in a steady decline until near the close, prices selling off ½@6½ per cent., the latter for Boston Air Line preferred. Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Reading, Metropolitan Elevated, Missouri Pacific, Western Union, and Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western being also notably weak. In the final sales some shares recovered a fraction, but the market closed feverish. The sales aggregated 345,000 shares, including Central Pacific, 10,100; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 16,300; Denver and Rio Grande, 25,150; Erie, 20,000; Kansas and Pacific, 68,500; Lake Shore, 45,400; Louisville and Nashville, 2,800; Michigan Central, 13,250; Manhattan Elevated, 13,000; Memphis and Charleston, 800; Northwestern, 11,000; New Jersey Central, 8,500; New York Central, 14,050; Northern Pacific, 12,100; Ontario and Western, 5,000; Pacific Mail, 7,000; Reading, 9,200; St. Paul, 14,825; Texas Pacific, 14,550; Union Pacific, 11,025; Wabash Pacific, 1,250; Western Union, 14,875; East Tennessee, 3,100.

STATE BONDS.

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| Georgia 6s | 107 | N. Carolina, sp'l tax | 9 |
| Georgia 7s, mort | 111¾ | St. Joseph | 109¼ |
| Georgia 7s, gold | 117 | Tennessee 6s | 73½ |
| Louisiana consols | 66¾ | Tennessee, new | 72¾ |
| Missouri 6s | 110¼ | Virginia 6s | 36 |
| N. Carolina, old | 24 | Virginia 6s, consol'd, ex. matured coup | 76¼ |
| N. Carolina, new | 23 | Virginia 6s, def'd | 18¾ |
| N. Carolina, fund'g | 15 | | |

SECRETARY'S BALANCES.

Coin ..... $62,857,989 00 | Currency ..... $4,405,778 00

### Baltimore Stock Board.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 18.—Virginia 6s, consolidated, 40; do second series, 41½; new 10-40s, 47½ bid to-day.

## PRODUCE MARKETS.

### Baltimore General Market.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 18.—Cotton firm; middling, 11¼c. Flour in fair demand and firm: Howard street and Western superfine, $4 75@5 50; do extra, $5 75@6 50; do family, $6 75@7 50; City Mills superfine, $5 00@5 75; do extra, $6 00@6 50; Rio brands, $7 50@7 62; Patapsco family, $8 25. Wheat—Southern dull and lower; Western dull; Southern red, $1 30@1 38; do amber, $1 42@1 51; No. 1 Maryland red, $1 40@1 48½; No. 2 Western winter red, spot and November, $1 36¾@1 38; December, $1 40@1 40¼; January, $1 40¼@1 44¼; February, $1 47¼@1 47½. Corn—Southern easy and lower; Western dull; Southern white, 65@66c; do yellow, 65@66c; Western mixed, spot and November, 67@67¼c; December, 67½@67¾c; January, 70@70¼c; February, 72@72½c. Oats fairly active and steady; Southern, 36@38c; Western white, 35@36c; do mixed, 34@35c; Pennsylvania, 40@42c. Rye firm and quiet at $1 05@1 08. Hay firmer; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $20 00@20 00. Provisions quiet and steady; mess pork, $16 25; bulk meats—loose shoulders and clear rib sides nominal; do packed, 8¼@10c; bacon—shoulders, 9¾c; clear rib sides, 11c; hams, 13½@14½c; lard, 12¼c. Butter firmer for choice; fresh Western, 26@28c. Eggs scarce and firm at 30c for fresh. Petroleum dull and nominal; refined, 7½c. Coffee dull and easy; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 9@10c. Sugar quiet; A soft, 9c. Whisky firmer at $1 16. Freights to Liverpool per steamer quiet; cotton, 3-16@¼d; flour, 2s per barrel; grain, 5@6½d. Receipts—Flour, 2,501 barrels; wheat, 20,000 bushels; corn, 6,500 bushels; oats, 1,200 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 27,000 bushels; corn, 500 bushels. Sales—Wheat, 300,000 bushels; corn, 180,000 bushels.

### New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Cotton steady; sales, 1,520 bales; uplands, 11 15-16c; Orleans, 12 3-16c; weekly net receipts, 4,743 bales; gross, 43,636 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4,256 bales; to France, 901 bales; sales, 13,278 bales; in stock, 142,824 bales. Flour—Southern dull; common to fair extra, $5 00@6 75; good to choice do, $6 80@8 00. Wheat opened ¼@¾c lower, afterward recovered, and advanced 1@1¼c, closing weaker; ungraded red, $1 23@1 40; ungraded white, $1 26@1 42; No. 2 red, November, $1 40@1 40½; December, $1 40¾@1 41¾c; January, $1 43¾@1 44¾c. Corn opened rather easier, afterward became firm and advanced ½@¾c, closing strong, with fairly active trade; ungraded, 62@70c; low mixed, 70½c; yellow, 73c; No. 2, November, 66¼c; December, 68¼@68½c; January, 70¼@71¼c. Oats ¼@¾c higher and moderately active; No. 2, 47@47½c. Hops steady and quiet; yearlings, 12@22c. Coffee, 5c lower and dull; Rio cargoes, 8¾@11¼c. Sugar dull; Molasses sugar, 6½c fair to good refining, 8¼@8½c; refined dull; standard A, 9¾c. Molasses quiet; new crop New Orleans, 65@70c. Rice steady and fairly active; Carolina and Louisiana, 5¼@7½c. Rosin quiet at $2 22½@2 27½. Turpentine firm at 54¼@55c. Wool unchanged; demand light; domestic fleece, 34@48c; Texas, 16@35c. Pork more active and firm; mess, for for export, $17 50@17 75; do January, $18 15@18 25. Middles quiet and steady; long clear, 9½c; short clear, 9¾c. Lard unsettled, opening a shade lower, afterward recovered and advanced 5@7½c, closing weaker at $11 45@11 50; November, $11 42½@11 57½; December, $11 42½@11 55; year, $11 40@11 55. Freights dull and lower; cotton, per steamer, 5-32@¼d; wheat, per steamer, 4d.

### Alexandria Grain Market.

ALEXANDRIA, Nov. 18.—Flour quiet and lower for inferior grades. Wheat—The receipts have somewhat increased; 3,000 bushels were offered and sold to-day at $1 35@1 40 for Fultz; $1 40 for mixed; $1 46 for good Lancaster. Corn—But little coming in; small lots of white sold at 70c, but choice would bring 76. Rye—None offered. Oats—One lot sold at 35c. Bacon lower. Country produce continues in light receipt and sells readily at quotations.

## REAL ESTATE.

### The Official Transfers as Recorded Yesterday.

Mr. J. F. Olmstead presents the following transactions in real estate in the District yesterday, as reported to him by the Recorder of Deeds:

CITY PROPERTY.

On Massachusetts avenue, corner of Seventeenth street west, sublot 140 (25 feet by depth), square 181, H. M. Hutchinson to Almon F. Rockwell, $6,000.

On M street north, near corner of Twelfth street west, part of lots 30, 31, 32, and 33 (18 by 80 feet), square 99, Guy H. Thompson, trustee, to James Henning, nominal.

On Boundary street, between Seventh and Eighth streets west, sublot 3 (13 feet 8 inches by depth), square 416, John Straining to August W. Heck, $1,000.

On Fifth street west, between O and P streets north, sublot 79 (21 feet 8 inches by 109 feet), square 511, A. M. Smith et al., trustees, to Wilbur F. Nash, $3,600.

On B street south, between Third and Four-and-a-half streets west, part of original lot 22 (16 feet 2½ inches by 113 feet), square 454, Allen Clark to John F. Kelly, $600.

William Callow to Western Union Telegraph Company, all property, telegraph line, &c., formerly belonging to Bankers and Brokers' Telegraph Company, $125,000.

GEORGETOWN.

On Third street, between High and Market streets, part of lot 160 (25 by 100 feet), block 85, of Beatty & Hawkins' addition to Georgetown, Albert Miller et al., trustees, to M. B. and Lydia