THE ARMY AND NAVY.

MOVEMENTS OF THE OFFICERS.

Latest from the Camp, Garrison, and Field—News from the Navy-Yards and Quarter-Deck—Gossip Among the Men who Wear Epaulettes.

Major Edward B. Grimes is at the Ebbitt.

Mrs. George Crook, wife of General Crook, is living at No. 1312 N street.

Assistant Engineer George W. McElroy, U. S. N., arrived at the Ebbitt House Sunday.

Lieutenant James D. Mann, Seventh Cavalry, arrived at the Ebbitt House Sunday.

There are now 450 convicts confined in the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Lieutenant Charles P. Stivers, Ninth Infantry, has been granted two months' extension of leave.

Major Simon C. Vedder, lieutenant Nineteenth Infantry, is granted one month extension of sick leave.

Lieutenant-Commander Abraham H. Yail was ordered Saturday as executive officer of the Washington.

Captain Edward T. Comegys, assistant surgeon, U. S. A., is ordered to New York for examination for promotion.

Major David H. Brotherton, Seventh Infantry, arrived at the Ebbitt House Monday evening, on leave from Dakota.

Two of the old soldiers who are inmates of the Soldiers' Home are veterans of the War of 1812. One is over ninety years of age.

Major William M. Maynadier, paymaster, U. S. A., will change station February 1 from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to St. Louis, Mo.

The repairs to the sloop-of-war Alliance, Commander George H. Wadleigh, will be completed at the Boston Navy-Yard next week.

Major Horace Jewett, captain Fifteenth Infantry, is at the Ebbitt. He has been recently visiting relatives at Harrisburg, Pa.

The MS. of the Navy Register for 1882 is all in the hands of the Public Printer, and will probably be issued before the last of January.

The naval general court-martial which tried Lieutenant-Commander George H. Durand at the Norfolk Navy-Yard has been dissolved.

Lieutenant Robert E. Carmody and Master George T. Emmons are ordered to the receiving-ship Colorado at the Brooklyn Navy-Yard.

Captain William H. Gardner, assistant surgeon, U. S. A., who is now on sick leave at St. Augustine, Fla., has been ordered to Texas for duty.

Major Isaac D. De Russy, Fourth Infantry, arrived here Thursday on leave, and will remain until the end of the month. He is at Wormley's Hotel.

General Cuvier Grover, colonel First Cavalry, was made happy New Year's Eve at Fort Walla-Walla, Washington Territory, by the birth of a daughter.

The Navy Department is examining into the merits of Admiral Porter's newly-invented movable bowsprit, with a view to its adoption in the United States navy.

Captain Eugene B. Gibbs, assistant quartermaster, and Lieutenant William I. Reed, Seventh Infantry, have each been granted two months' extension of leave.

The *Army and Navy Journal* of last week has the full report of the board of which Commodore John C. Fehiger was president, and has the names of 1,300 naval officers.

Lieutenant William B. Gordon, who was recently transferred to the Ordnance Corps, U. S. A., has resigned his commission of second lieutenant Fourth Artillery.

The crew of the receiving-ship Franklin, at the Norfolk Navy-Yard, has been quarantined against visiting the town of Portsmouth on account of the smallpox prevailing there.

Senator Bayard has offered a bill in the Senate appropriating $10,000 for a base and pedestal of a monument to the late Rear-Admiral Dupont, U. S. N., at Massachusetts and Connecticut avenues.

Major Wyllis Lyman, captain Fifth Infantry, a brother-in-law of Senator Edmunds, of Vermont, is still stretched to the post of Fort Snelling, Minn., and has just been detailed for court-martial duty.

Captain Charles W. Williams, assistant quartermaster, has been assigned by General Augur to duty as depot and post quartermaster at Fort Brown, Texas, to relieve Captain Alonzo E. Mitchmore.

Colonel Aaron S. Daggett, captain Second Infantry, arrived at his post, Fort Colville, Washington Territory, New Year's Eve, from Philadelphia, where he was for nearly two years, on recruiting detail.

A board, consisting of Chief Engineers Henderson, Brooks, and Lackey, inspected the improved steam capstan just erected on the steamer Enterprise last Friday. It was found to work admirably.

The repairs to the flagship Tennessee, which were made necessary by the collision of the steamer Western Texas, off Ellis Island, New York Harbor, were completed Thursday at the Brooklyn Navy-Yard.

A bill has been introduced in the House to pay Lieutenant Quincy O'M. Gillmon, Eighth Cavalry, $380, for personal property lost by the sinking of a boat on the Rio Grande, while he was changing station from Texas to West Point.

Nine military convicts escaped from the guardhouse at Fort Snelling, Minn., January 16, and were not recaptured. A reward of $30 was offered for the capture of each, and the whole of the guard detail is to be tried by court-martial.

Colonel R. H. Alexander, major and surgeon, U. S. A.; Captain W. Fitzhugh Carter, assistant surgeon, U. S. A., and Passed Assistant Surgeons William R. Du Bose and John H. Hall, U. S. N., were registered at the Ebbitt House Tuesday.

Commodore Samuel R. Franklin will be detached from special duty under the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting as inspector of coal, February 10, and report as a member of the board for examination for promotion and retirement.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert S. Williamson, Corps of Engineers U. S. A., on account of his continued ill-health, is ordered to be relieved by Lieutenant-Colonel Charles S. Stewart, Corps of Engineers, as light-house engineer of the San Francisco district.

The House Naval Committee has agreed to report back with amendments the bill of Mr. Harris, of Massachusetts, the chairman, to sell old naval material and devote the proceeds of sales to building new ships. Admiral Porter has been invited to address the committee on his plan to rebuild.

Lieutenant George B. Livingston, U. S. N., who is now second for promotion to lieutenant-commander, arrived at the Ebbitt House Thursday evening from his home in New York city. During all the time he has been in the service—nearly twenty-one years—he has never been on shore duty.

Lieutenant Robert Hanna, Sixth Cavalry, arrived at the Ebbitt House Friday morning on leave, from Arizona. He is the officer who, some years since, with a small command of his regiment, attacked, defeated, and killed more than twice as many hostile Indians than his own command numbered.

The House Committee on Appropriations reduced the Ordnance Corps estimates for the fortification bill from $1,220,000 to $675,000, and struck out the whole estimate of $500,000 for conversion and manufacture of breech-loading heavy ordnance. That's the kind of idiocy that attends legislation for our defenses.

Secretary Hunt has telegraphed to San Francisco for the sloop-of-war Wachusett to ship a new crew and return to Sitka, where she is to remain and protect the interests of the United States until relieved by the Adams, which is now off the coast of Peru, but which will proceed northward as soon as it is practicable for her to leave her present duties.

A correspondent of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* tells how he rode seven years ago with Custer and the Seventh Cavalry across Dakota to the Black Hills. The route was over a pathless prairie, and the march was guided by the compass and Indian scouts. In August last he went over the same country in a parlor car and saw a line of thriving little villages.

General Sherman Tuesday received the following telegram from General Sheridan: "I forward this morning history of the arrest of Lieutenant McDonald, Fourth Cavalry, in Mexico. He was on an Indian trail and went to a Mexican town for forage. He, with his party of scouts, were arrested, and afterwards released by higher authority, and have returned home."

The late General Silas Casey, U. S. A., left three sons and two daughters. The sons are Colonel Thomas Lincoln Casey, lieutenant-colonel Corps of Engineers, U. S. A. (who has a son of his name in the same corps); Commander Silas Casey, jr., U. S. N., and Lieutenant Edward W. Casey, Twenty-second Infantry. One of the daughters is the wife of Colonel Robert N. Scott, major Third Artillery, who is on duty here.

Secretary Hunt has issued the following general order: "Commandants of navy-yards, commanders of stations and of vessels acting singly will report direct to the chief of the Bureau of Navigation and Office of Detail whenever any officer under their respective commands is transferred to a naval hospital and when such officer returns to duty. If a medical survey should be ordered a copy of the order for the survey and a copy of the report of the medical officers in the case will also be forwarded to that bureau. This order is not intended to dispense with the report required in such cases by regulation to be sent to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery."

The House Committee on Naval Affairs heard further argument Thursday from Captain M. C. Sicard, chief of ordnance, U. S. N., on the subject of new guns for the navy. He advocated the appropriation of money so that material might be purchased for constructing guns, in order that tests may be made until the most desirable gun is decided upon, after which, he thought, contracts might properly be made for its construction by private parties. He referred to the fact that appropriations made for cannon are always construed by the Treasury Department to mean finished cannon; hence the material necessary for experimenting cannot be obtained unless the language of the appropriations is altered. Lieutenant Very, U. S. N., will be heard by the committee Friday.

A Dog-Star Mail Route.

Under the late Postmaster-General the reduction of mail facilities has gone quite far enough. A gentleman from Texas informed us a few days ago that the mail lately passed through a town in that State in a stocking carried on the back of a Newfoundland dog.—*Washington World.*

THE TEA STORE.

A Talk With the Manager—The Business Done—The Presents Given.

"I see you are still kept busy," said a REPUBLICAN representative, after he had elbowed his way through the crowd that thronged the store of the Importers' Tea Company, on Market Space, and reached the rear counter, where the gentlemanly manager was busy giving orders and looking over the list of outside buyers whom he had to supply.

"Yes; they continue to buy," was the reply.

"Is this a new business with you?" asked the man with the note-book.

"Oh, no. We have been engaged in the tea business for years, and have had local agencies in various cities, where we used to sell on four months' time. After thinking the matter over and estimating our gains and our losses, we came to the conclusion that if we could sell for cash entirely we could afford to offer presents and even then make more money. This is no more than dealers in other wares have done; tobacco men have inclosed money in packages of fine cut, and soap men have done the same thing. So we made a specialty of chop tea and plantation Java coffee, and registered them so that we could control the sales. We decided to sell a good article at fair prices and to give a present with every can of tea and coffee sold. As a result we have made immense sales wherever we have gone."

"What cities have you visited?"

"Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo, New Orleans, Savannah, and others, and where we have established agencies. We know that our teas and coffees are what they are represented, for in the different cities we have had them tested by the chemists, and here are their certificates," and he turned over the leaves of a scrap-book. The eye of the reporter fell upon the name of Professor Sturrz, of the Cincinnati Medical College, and chairman of the board of health of Porkopolis, who stated that in twenty samples that he had examined he found no foreign substances in the tea, which was above the average of pure teas, and that tests of both tea and coffee demonstrated that they contained no properties injurious to health. "Professor De Schmidt," continued the manager, "has now samples for analysis, and I have no fear as to the result."

"Have you any objection to stating what have been your average daily sales since you have been here?" asked the reporter.

"Well, I don't care to tell exactly, but I have averaged about four and a half tons of tea and coffee daily. It has not all been sold here, but I ship to nearly every State in the Union, both to dealers and clubs," and he exhibited his order-book, which fully verified the assertion, for there were orders from Massachusetts and Texas, from Maryland and Dakota, and lots of other States.

The reporter waited for some time and saw poor colored men get fine watches and ladies in sealskin sacques get plated jewelry. Every one got something, and the value depended entirely upon the whim of Dame Fortune, who directed their choice of cans.

PROBATE COURT.

Large Number of Wills Filed—Administrators Qualified and Accounts Passed.

JUSTICE JAMES PRESENTED—In the estate of Henry A. Jackson. On petition of R. J. Douglass, a creditor; order of publication issued returnable February 24, 1882.

The last will and testament of Ann M. Washington, filed January 26, 1882.

Additional inventory of the estate of Annie E. Steele returned by administrator and first and final account and vouchers filed.

List of debts due Franklin Steele, deceased, returned by administrator.

First account and vouchers in the estate of Franklin Steele filed.

Petition of administrator of John Staley to turn over bonds in kind.

Petition of executor of Ann E. Humphrey for order to pay over to legatees.

Citation against executor of Stephen Just returned and served.

Citation against administrator of Richard Crutt, jr., returned and served.

Tiny Smith qualified and gave bond of $500 as administratrix of the estate of George Smith.

Annie E. Steele and Franklin Steele, deceased; order granting thirty days within which to file exceptions to administrator's accounts.

Sarah McCullough, deceased; first and final account of Warren C. Stone, administrator, approved and passed.

In the estate of Daniel M. Lightfoot; commission issued to Samuel B. Oren, of Clinton, Henry County, Indiana, to take testimony of the subscribing witnesses to the will.

Final notice to administratrix of Peter G. Meem issued, appointing February 24 for settlement.

William H. Maury and William H. Morrison appointed appraisers of the estate of Matt. H. Carpenter.

Petition and order of Caroline C. Denham appointing her guardian to Elizabeth and Charlotte Denham on bond of $500.

In the estate of Thomas L. Hume; petition and order of sale.

Several accounts were passed and approved.

The Christiancy Case.

Yesterday, on motion of Messrs. Cuppy and Ingersoll, Justice Wylie appointed E. S. Chapin a commissioner to take the testimony of the following witnesses at Lansing in the divorce suit of ex-Senator Christiancy against his wife in behalf of the plaintiff: Ira H. Bartholomew, Halbert B. Shank, Kitty Sharkey, Lucy Myers, Orlando M. Barnes, Merritt S. Coleman, E. H. Davis, Rush J. Shank, Stephen D. Bingham, Samuel L. Kilbourn, Harley Ingersoll, Frank Wells, Eugene F. Cooley, Manley Mills, Martin V. Montgomery, Schuyler S. Olds, and Mrs. Allen. The effect of this testimony will be to contradict that of Mrs. Christiancy and Mrs. Lugenbeel regarding the conduct of the plaintiff while residing at Lansing, and to refute the charges of intoxication. The time to take testimony in behalf of the plaintiff was limited to thirty days. The motion of Mrs. Christiancy's counsel to appoint a commission to take the testimony of Dora Davis, of Lansing was refused, Judge Wylie holding that the time for taking testimony had expired.

An Injunction Asked For.

Diana E. Danforth, by her solicitor, Benjamin Darneille, brings suit in equity against John Belt and others, and prays for an injunction and a disclosure. The plaintiff is a married woman, the owner of certain real estate, and her husband is made one of the defendants. She purchased a house and lot on Q street and conveyed it to trustees to secure the payment of a promissory note for $500. She then contracted to board with a Mrs. Belt, but she, after a short time, failed to fulfill her part of the contract, so that Mrs. Danforth was obliged to board with a Mrs. Smith, and in consideration therefor conveyed to the latter certain property. Her property was, as she claims, unjustly sold, and she therefore prays the court that the defendants be restrained from selling her property, and that they be made to disclose certain facts in court.

A Deserved Shot at Beecher.

To the Editor of THE REPUBLICAN:

In the name of the American people, I do protest against Henry Ward Beecher's criticisms of the Guiteau trial. It would be very much more becoming in him to keep silent in consideration of the part he played in a trial far more injurious to the morals and religious well-being of this Nation than the trial he presumes to criticise with such severity. For months the "nasty" details of the Beecher trial permeated every American home—homes where such details could never have entered except for the position occupied by the "great American preacher." There may be those who have discovered sorrow in Mr. Beecher that the cause of Christ in America received its greatest hurt through him, let us hope.

JUSTICE.

A Diminutive Conflagration.

Considerable excitement was created at the Senate end of the Capitol yesterday morning by the breaking out of fire in the Marble Room. It appears that the gas-pipes underneath the Senate floor had corroded, and there was no way for the gas to escape through the tiling, and it burst out along what is known as the base-boards round the walls of the Marble Room and became ignited. The blaze reached up to the distance of two or three feet. It was extinguished with but little damage and quiet was again restored.

Just Punishment.

John (alias James) McGill was arraigned before Judge Snell yesterday on the charges of assaulting Miss Ladd and of robbing her house of silverware and jewelry, &c. Miss Ladd told her story in a way that aroused the admiration of all her hearers. Judge Snell said that McGill was a desperate and dangerous criminal, and he would sentence him to the full extent of the law—viz., six months in jail for the larceny and restoration of property, as well as one year's imprisonment for the assault.

A Smooth Complexion

Can be had by every lady who will use Parker's Ginger Tonic. Regulating the internal organs and purifying the blood, it quickly removes pimples and gives a healthy bloom to the cheek. Read about it in other column.

OUT OF THE DEPTHS.

As to the streets, we'll build no airy roads,
Nor iron rails in earthly caverns bury,
But, since our ways like those of Venice are,
The best thing to get up would be a ferry.

The pride of size, that for a long time back
Had filled old Egypt's Pyramids with cheer
Has quite died out on hearing of the news
Of piles of ash and mud much larger here.

In virtue's paths it's worth half life to walk
And thrust aside sin's overflowing brim;
But, as 'long our city streets we stalk,
It's worth all life to well know how to swim.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Gordonsville needs a good dentist—says the *Gazette* of that place.

The active demand for laborers on the railroads will considerably enhance the price of farm labor next spring.

The Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias of Virginia will meet in annual session in Portsmouth next month.

Within the past few days over two hundred seamen have been vaccinated at the office of the United States surgeon at Norfolk.

A well-to-do farmer of Lynchburg, named James McKenney, has been arrested and committed to jail on the charge of gaining possession of a deed to property belonging to Peter J. Strine, valued at $1,600, on false pretenses.

The following named postmasters have been commissioned: Joseph F. Soles, James Store; Samuel L. Williams, Capon Road Depot; John M. Johnson, Deep Creek; Samuel B. Drewry, Boykin's Depot; Maggie E. C. Waddill, Windsor Station; John H. Holland, Carrsville.

Robert Ingraham, an old and respected citizen of Surry County, died suddenly in his buggy while returning home from the court-house a day or two ago. He left the court-house with his son, in perfect health, and died before going two miles. The cause of his death is unknown.

A harbor association has been formed in Petersburg, the object of which is to co-operate with the Federal Government in placing the city harbor in proper navigable condition, and to keep the same abreast with the improved navigable condition of the river below the city limits.

There is a suit pending in the Circuit Court of Rockingham County to recover some of the most valuable property in the town of Harrisonburg. The property formerly belonged to Colonel Janies Hall, who, dying childless, bequeathed it to his widow during her life, and at her death to go to certain nieces and nephews of Colonel Hall. The widow of Colonel Hall died some twelve months ago, and the relations of Colonel Hall have instituted suit to recover the property.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS.

The Society of Old Students of St. John's Academy met last night.

William Boston, colored, has been granted a permit to enter the almshouse.

The city of Alexandria has to-day not one cent of floating debt except the recent judgment in the Delahay suretics case.

The city officers and teachers of public schools will all be paid promptly their monthly salaries for January next Monday.

The County Court, Judge James Sangster, opened its adjourned session at the court-house yesterday morning, and was engaged all day with the trial of criminal cases.

Major Duffey, commissioner of the revenue, is busy taking the assessment of the real estate of the city for the present year. There will be little change in the assessment.

The finance committee and the commissioners of the sinking fund have just disposed of one hundred shares ($10,000) Virginia Midland Railroad stock under the new organization at ninety-five cents.

The withdrawal of some real estate from auction, the diminution of the city revenue from rents, and some additional needs of expenditure, render it absolutely certain there will be no decrease of taxation this year, and there is a considerable likelihood of an increase.

Mayor Beckham, at the mayor's court, heard the case of John Wood, a tramp, said to be from Washington, for stealing a pocket-book from the cook of Mr. W. A. Smoot, at the kitchen of that gentleman yesterday. He was escorted outside the limits of the city by a policeman.

EX-LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR NORMAN J. COLEMAN, of the St. Louis (Mo.) *Rural World*, says: "I have never used the St. Jacobs Oil myself, but my wife has found it of exceeding great benefit in rheumatism, with which she suffered much until she used this remedy. In my neighborhood, at Cabanne Station, there has been considerable rheumatism and complaints of a similar nature, owing to the severe changes of the weather. Many of my neighbors have tried St. Jacobs Oil and speak of it in terms of the highest praise. A special instance you can note is that of a young man employed in my office."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

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

The following report of the financial market yesterday, together with the 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.

Governments.	*Bid.*	*Asked.*
United States 6s extended 3's	100¼	.....
United States 5s extended 3's	102⅛	102⅞
United States 4½s 1891, coupon	114⅝	.....
United States 4½s 1891, registered	114⅝	.....
United States 4s 1907, coupon	118	.....
United States 4s 1907, registered	118	.....
District of Columbia Bonds.		
Permanent improvements 6s, 1891, coupon		115½
Permanent improvements 6s, 1891, cur'y	119	120
Market stock 7s, 1892, currency	119	120
Fifty years' funding 5-65s, 1924, currency		108½
Twenty years' funding 5s, 1900, currency		113¼
Thirty years' funding 6s, 1902, cum	121	123
Fire Insurance and Gaslight Companies.		
Washington City Gaslight Company		140
Washington City Gaslight Co. scrip	51½	.....
Firemen's Fire Insurance Company	38	.....
National Union		21
Columbia (less unpaid assessment)	6.20	.....
Railroad Stocks.		
Washington and Georgetown bonds		105½
Columbia	28	.....
North Capitol and O Street		40
Free Libs.		
Board of Public Works, green 8s		90
Washington Market Company stock		10
Ivanhoe Mining Company stock	.62½	.75
National Bank of the Republic	150	.....
Farmers' and Mechanics' Nat. Bank	135	.....

† Ex dividend.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Name of stock.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Alton and Terre Haute	36	38	37	37
Alton and T. H. preferred	85	85	85	85
Chesapeake and Ohio	23⅛	23⅞	23⅛	23⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio 1st	34½	34¾	34½	34½
Chesapeake and Ohio 2d s	25⅝	25¾	25⅝	25¾
C. C. C. & I.	80½	80½	80½	80½
Canada Southern	53⅞	54	53⅞	54⅛
Chicago, Burlington and Q.	139½	138	135½	137
C. C. & I. C.	19½	19½	19½	19½
Chicago, St. Paul, M. & O.	35⅝	36½	35⅝	36½
C., St. P., M. & O. preferred	101	101½	101	101½
Central Pacific	89	89⅞	88¾	89
Chicago, St. Louis & N. O.	80	80	80	80
Del., Lack. and Western	124	124	123	123⅞
Delaware and Hudson	107	107¼	107	107
Denver and Rio Grande	71⅝	72⅞	70⅞	72⅛
Erie	40⅞	40⅞	40⅛	40⅛
Erie 2ds	99½	99½	99½	99½
Hannibal and St. Jo.	94⅞	95½	94⅞	95⅛
Hannibal and St. Jo. pref.	107⅞	109⅛	107⅞	109⅛
Houston and Texas	34	34	34	34⅛
Illinois Central	134⅞	135½	134⅞	135½
Lake Shore	112	112⅞	111⅞	112⅞
Louisville and Nashville	94⅞	96¼	94⅞	96¼
Lake Erie and Western	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Michigan Central	86½	87⅛	86½	87⅛
Missouri Pacific	102½	104⅞	102½	104
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	26⅞	27⅛	26½	27⅛
Mil., Lake Shore & West'n	48	48	48	48
Mobile and Ohio	33½	33½	33	33
Memphis and Charleston	79½	81	79½	79½
Manhattan Elevated	54⅞	55¼	54⅞	55
Metropolitan Elevated	87	88	87	87
New York Elevated	109½	109½	108	108
New York Elevated 1st s				
New York Central	130⅞	131⅞	130⅞	131⅞
Northwestern	127½	131½	127½	130⅞
Northwestern preferred	139½	141½	139⅞	141
New Jersey Central	95	96	95	95⅞
Nashville and Chattanooga	84⅞	84¼	84	84⅞
Northern Pacific	34⅞	36½	34⅞	35½
Northern Pacific preferred	73	74⅞	72⅞	73⅞
Norfolk and Western pref	57	57⅞	56½	56½
Ohio and Mississippi	34⅞	34⅞	34	34
Ontario and Western	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Oregon Navigation	94⅞	95	94⅞	94⅞
Pacific Mail	42	42	42	42⅛
Pennsylvania Railroad	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛
Rock Island	132⅞	133⅞	131	133
Reading	43⅞	44⅞	43⅞	44⅞
Richmond and Allegheny	24⅞	25½	24⅞	25
Richmond and Danville	209	212	209	211½
St. Paul	107⅞	109⅛	107⅞	109⅛
St. Paul preferred	127⅞	128½	127⅞	128½
St. Paul, M. & N	110⅞	111⅛	109⅞	111⅛
San Francisco	43⅞	45	43⅞	44⅞
San Francisco preferred	64⅞	64⅞	63½	63⅞
Sar Francisco 1st s	109½	109½	109½	109½
Texas and Rio Grande	89	89⅞	88	88⅞
Texas Pacific	46⅞	46⅞	45	45½
Union Pacific	117⅞	118⅞	117⅞	118⅞
Western Union	80⅞	82⅛	80⅞	82
Wabash	36	36⅞	36	36⅞
Wabash preferred	67⅞	68⅞	67½	68⅞
Colorado Coal	42⅞	42⅞	41⅞	41⅞
Consolidated Coal	31	31	31	31
Maryland Coal	20	20	20	20

MINING STOCKS.

Homestake	16	Quicksilver pref	60⅞
Little Pitts	1⅞	Standard	165
Ontario Silver	34⅞	Robinson Mining	3⅞
Quicksilver	12⅞		

GOVERNMENT BONDS—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

United States 6 per cent. extended	101	101⅛
United States 5 per cent. extended	102⅞	102⅞
United States 4½ per cent. registered	114⅞	115
United States 4½ per cent. coupon	114⅞	115
United States 4 per cent. registered	118⅞	118¼
United States 4 per cent. coupon	118⅞	118¼
United States 4 per cent. O. L.	118⅞	118⅞
District of Columbia 3.65s	108	.....

BANKERS' EXCHANGE.

Three-day bills	469	Sixty-day bills 465

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The dry goods imports for the week were valued at $3,134,466, and the amount marketed at $1,306,627. Money loaned between 4 and 5 per cent, and closed at 3@4 per cent. Exchange was steady at 484@484¼ for long and 486@486¼ for short sight. Governments were fairly firm and ¼ per cent. higher for extended 5s and 4½s coupon, and unchanged for extended 4s, 4½s registered, and 4s. State bonds were moderately active. Railroad bonds were strong. The share speculation opened at an advance of ½@2 per cent. from the closing quotations of yesterday.

STATE BONDS.

Georgia 6s	103	N. Carolina, sp'l tax	7
Georgia 7s, mort	108	Mo., St. Joseph	108½
Georgia 7s, gold	116	Tennessee 6s	73⅞
Louisiana consols	65	Tennessee, new	74
Missouri 6s	111½	Virginia 6s	35
N. Carolina, old	30	Virginia 6s, consol'd.	
N. Carolina, new	20	ex. unstamped coup.	63
N. Carolina, fund'g	11	Virginia 6s, def'd	16¾

SUB-TREASURY BALANCES.

Coin	$75,697,166 79
Currency	$4,602,909 39

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Atlantic and Great Western fives, 46½; do seconds, 16½; New York, Ontario and Western, 26½; Erie, 41½; do seconds, 30½; New York Central, 136; Illinois Central, 137½; Pennsylvania, 62½. The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day is £122,000.

Baltimore Stock Board.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 27.—Virginia 6s, deferred, 15½; do consolidated, 62; do second series, 26½; past due coupons, 65; new 10-40s, 40 bid to-day.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Yesterday's Chicago grain and provision market, furnished by Cooke & Co., Pa. ave. and Fifteenth st.:

	Opening.			Closing.		
	Feb.	Mar.	April.	Feb.	Mar.	April.
Wheat	$1 34½	$1 36⅝	$1 37	$1 34⅛	$1 35⅞	$1 36⅞
Corn	61⅛	62¼	.....	61⅛	61⅞	.....
Oats	43⅞	43⅞	43¼	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
Pork	18 25	18 50	18 05	18 15	18 40	18 60
Lard	11 25	11 45	11 60	11 22½	11 40	11 52½
May corn	.....	67⅛	.....	.....	67	.....
May oats	.....	46	.....	.....	45⅞	.....

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Flour—Southern quiet; common to fair extra, $5 00@7 00; good to choice, $7 10@8 00. Corn—Cash lots very strongly held, closing dull and weak; light export inquiry, moderate business in futures; ungraded, 67½@72c; No. 3, 69½c; No. 2, 70⅞@72c; Southern yellow, 71c; No. 2, January, 70½@70¾c; February, 70½@71c. Oats about ¼c lower; more doing in options; No. 3, 47½c. Coffee very quiet and prices nominally unchanged; Rio in cargoes quoted at 9¼@10½c; in job lots, 9½@11½c. Sugar moderately active and raws centrifugal, 7⅞@8c; fair to good refining quoted at 7⅛@7¼c; refined steady and quiet; yellow C, 7¼@7½c; white extra C, 8⅛@8½c; yellow D, 7⅛@8c; yellow, 6⅞@7¼c; off A, 8⅛@8⅝c; mould A, 9½c; standard A, 9⅝c; confectioners' A, 9c; cut loaf, 10½c; crushed, 10½c; powdered, 9⅞c; granulated, 9⅞@9⅝c; cubes, 9½c. Molasses unchanged and quiet; New Orleans, 55@70c. Rice firmly held and in fair inquiry. Pork dull, unsettled, and rather easier; sales old mess, nom., $17 25; new do, $18 00@18 25; options wholly nominal. Middles dull and unsettled; prices nominally unchanged; long clear, 9½c; short clear, 10c; long and short clear, half and half, 9⅞c. Lard opened stronger, afterward became weak and declined about 10c per 100 pounds, closing heavy; sales prime steam, spot, $11 35@11 40; January, $11 4½; February, $11 40@11 42½.

Baltimore General Market.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 27.—Flour a shade easier; Howard street and Western superfine, $4 12½@5 00; do extra, $5 25@5 62; do family, $6 00@7 00; City Mills superfine, $4 25@5 25; do extra, $5 50@6 25; do family, $7 50@7 75; Rio brands, $7 00; Patapsco family, $8 25. Corn—Southern quiet and steady; Western steady; Southern white, 80c; do yellow, 71c; Western mixed, spot, 69@69½c; February, 69⅝@69⅞c; March, 71¼@71½c; May, 74½c asked; steamer, 67c bid. Oats easier; Southern, 55@55c; Western white, 51@52c; do mixed, 50@51c; Pennsylvania, 51@52c. Hay quiet; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $18 00@19 00. Provisions firm; mess pork, $18 75; bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides, packed, 7¾@8c; bacon—shoulders, 8½c; clear rib sides, 10c; hams, 13@18½c; lard, refined, 12½c. Butter firm; Western packed, 16@18c; roll, 20@25c. Eggs higher, 28@29c; fresh laid, 30c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 9¾@10c. Sugar steady; A soft, 9½c. Whisky quiet at $1 08@1 09. Recapts—Flour, 1,562 barrels; corn, 2,865 bushels; oats, 2,828 bushels. Shipments—Corn, 3,500 bushels. Sales—Corn, 86,875 bushels.

Alexandria Grain Market.

ALEXANDRIA, Jan. 27.—The market closed firm with an upward tendency in prices. Flour unchanged. Wheat—Small sales were made at $1 42 for Fultz and $1 46 for Lancaster. Corn considerably higher and small lots of white brought 80c. Rye and oats—None reported. Country produce firm. Bacon has an upward tendency. Other articles unchanged.

REAL ESTATE.

The Official Transactions as Recorded Yesterday.

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

On Tenth street west, between S street north and Seventh street, sublot 49 (14 feet 8 inches by 124 feet), square 377, William B. Hooper, trustee, to L. J. Sweet, trustee, $2,203.

Same property as above, E. J. Sweet, trustee, to William R. Hooper, $2,200.

On Tenth street west, between O and P streets north, lot 17 (30 feet 7½ inches by depth), square 238, Henrietta Sweet to Joseph S. Conchard, $2,025.

On E street north, corner of Second street east, sublot 27 (16.67 by 90.22 feet), square 722, George W. Ballock, executor, to Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, $1,800.

On Laurel south, near corner of Ninth street east, part of —— (34 feet by depth), square 929, Antonio Lavizzi to Sarah L. Downs, $540.

GEORGETOWN.

On Gay street, between Washington and Greene streets, part of lot 146 (15 by 30 feet), block 61 of Beall's addition, William D. Cassin et al., trustees, to Mary Crutt, $1,500.

The Governor of North Carolina said to the Governor of South Carolina: "Sir, the best remedy in the world is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup," and the latter seconded the assertion.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is a list of advertised letters remaining in the post-offices in the city of Washington, January 28, 1882:

D. B. AINGER, P. M.

LADIES' LIST.

Ayers, Ella
Ashton, Maria
Benton, Annie
Bagget, Dr Mrs
Brasslon, Ellna
Braidwood, Mary
Bowen, Mary
Barbarn, M
Burgess, M C Mrs
Bell, Melinda
Berry, R F Mrs
Cotton, Kate
Campbell, K L Mrs
Clark, Frances Mrs
Coles, Josephine
De Villiers, Annie
Davis, Ella
Dobson, Eliza
Demare, Eliza B
Dabney, M A
Durkin, Sarah
Eaton, G G
Faulk, Louisa
Gahagan, Agnes
Griffin, Dr Mrs
Gill, Emma
Green, L L
Gould, Wm Mrs
Hawkins, Georgie
Harper, Lizzie
Hobart, Mollie
Harrison, Nancy
Johnson, Emma
Jones, Fanny L
Jackson, Henrietta
Jones, Katy
Johnson, M Mrs
Jackson, Mary J
Jones, Mary Mrs
Johnson, Susan
Kendell, Annie
Kent, Belle (2)
Kendel, Jennie
Kresmer, Maggie
Keany, S Miss
Knight, Mary E
Lewis, Mary Mrs
Lawson, Sallie
Lanman, Susan H
Mothall, Ada M
Morris, E R Mrs
Moten, Helen
Mason, Lucy
Mason, Lidey
Mayo, Mattie
Montgomery, Maunie
McCrum, Annie
Pratt, Annie Mrs
Powell, Fannie
Perkins, Lelie
Phillips, M A Mrs
Porter, Wm Mrs
Parker, Mary
Peters, Susanna
Pumpurey, Sallie
Robinson, Eliza
Russell, Flora
Reed, Frances