A SWELL IN A SHELL.

A swell walked into a boat-house gay,
And all around was a vast array
Of boats and barges and tubs and canoes,
And all sort of craft, from which he might choose;
But this esthetic swell
Chose a neat-looking shell,
A beautiful, elaborated, symmetrically fabricated,
Utterly too-too shell;
A very much cranky, built by a Yankee,
Darling, sweet, little shell.

In blue knee-pants and a fancy shirt,
He soon was afloat and tried to spurt;
But, alas for the fate of the beautiful swell!
He crawled right under that cute little shell;
For the innocent shell
Could float very well,
While the suddenly precipitated, ere he had deliberated,
Very inconsiderate swell—
The darling dandy couldn't swim very handy,
And he went right down to—Halifax.

—For the Republican, by J. R. L.

THE COMMISSIONERS.

Current Transactions at the Various District Offices.

Building permits were issued yesterday to J. P. Andrews, to make repairs at 2116 Sixteenth street northwest, $25; J. D. Baltimore, to make repairs a 224 D street southwest, $275; Henry Grindell, to make repairs at 1612 I street northwest, $150; H. Burkhardt, to make repairs at 618 M street northwest, $200; G. L. Keady, to make repairs at 516 C street northeast, $100; F. Kahlert, to make repairs, Gale's Woods, county, $50; Ralph Wormley, to make repairs at Howard Town, county, $65; Henry Wex, to build one brick stable in rear of Seventh street, between D and E southwest, $400; Gustav Friebus, to build one brick dwelling on De Sales street northwest, $6,000; M. S. Hopkins, to make repairs at 1105 K street northwest, $50; A. M. Copeland, to make repairs at 2035 G street northwest, $200; D. J. Daly, to build one brick store on Seventh, between N and O streets, $2,000; Frank Baldwin, to make repairs at 809 A street northeast, $100.

Several samples of asbestos felting, made in New York, and designed for use as drop curtains at theatres in case of fires have been received by Building Inspector Entwisle.

The total collections in the office of District Collector John F. Cook for the month of February from all sources, including water rents and taxes, were $57,574.78.

Mr. Pierce, of the subcommittee of the House on the District of Columbia, yesterday sent to the District Commissioners for their consideration copy of House bill for the incorporation of the Sixth Street and Bladensburg (horse) Railroad Company.

Health Officer Townshend has sent a communication to Dr. Thomas J. Turner, secretary National Board of Health, stating that during the two weeks ending February 27 seven new cases of smallpox occurred in this city—four males and three females, one white and six colored. Two of the seven persons afflicted had never been vaccinated, and four others only after exposure to the contagion. Two of the persons vaccinated had only variololid in mild form, while the other five suffered from variola. All the cases were removed to the hospital. About 8,712 vaccinations were reported up to February 27.

There have been eight persons admitted to the Insane Hospital through the orders of the District Commissioners during the month of February, and ten discharges of inmates for the District of Columbia.

A petition has been received from the Government printers requesting the District Commissioners to see that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company abate the nuisance it maintains on the east side of North Capitol street, between G and E streets northwest, in the form of mud on the sidewalk; also, in allowing heavy wagons to drive along the sidewalk in said square.

The Building Inspector has, at the request of the District Commissioners, submitted a statement of the sanitary contents of the several school buildings erected by the present District Commissioners, which statement is to go to the District Committee in Congress for their information.

The new, complete maps of the county, recently completed by Mr. D. B. Carpenter, have just been received by the Commissioners in photo-lithograph, and are offered for sale in sets.

The House bill to incorporate the Sixth Street and Bladensburg Street Railroad Company has been referred to the Commissioners for their opinion.

Saturday morning, at ten o'clock, has been set as the time for the inspection of the Pension Office by Inspector Entwisle et al.

The Special Assessment Division clerks are busy making up old indexes, &c., and no lien certificates or revisions will be issued for several days.

Forty-eight dollars was collected for building permits yesterday, an unusually large amount. Twelve permits were issued.

The Commissioners have prepared an elaborate statement for the congressional committee of the expenditures made on school buildings in the last three years, their present condition, and other data concerning them.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

Special Meeting of the Trustees—Children Must Be Vaccinated.

A special meeting of the School Board was held yesterday afternoon to consider a communication from the Health Officer in regard to the vaccination of the pupils of the public schools. The communication was as follows: "On the 15th instant I addressed the superintendents of the white and colored schools, stating that arrangements had been made to proceed at once upon vaccination of the pupils in the various buildings, and requesting the assistance of teachers in pushing the work forward. The co-operation asked was granted by the authorities of the colored schools and our corps of physicians went promptly to work. In the case of the white schools, however, I was halted by the superintendent, who informed me that he had no authority to allow the work to proceed without first having the consent of the board of trustees. I ask that such action be taken as will avoid longer delay." Mr. Dodge then offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

That the supervising superintendents be instructed to direct the teachers of each school to inform their pupils that they must furnish satisfactory evidence of having been vaccinated or be excluded from the schools, and also inform them that the Health Officer will vaccinate them gratuitously.

A communication was received from J. S. Billings, on behalf of the commission, consisting of Mr. Billings, Hon John Eaton, and Mr. Edward Clark, who were appointed by the House to inquire into the condition of the public schools in this District. They ask for certain information in regard to the number of buildings, the attendance of pupils, &c. The following report of

THE CONDITION OF THE APPROPRIATION

for the public schools up to March 1, 1882, was received from the Auditor of the District:

	Amount appropriated.	Expenditures.
Compensation of employees public schools	$340,980 00	$210,081 44
Rent of school buildings	25,000 00	12,209 08
Fuel for public schools	11,000 00	10,999 85
Repairs to school buildings	10,000 00	9,962 47
Contingent expenses	15,000 00	14,911 54
Purchase of site and erection of building (Second Division)	96,000 00	56,555 26
Purchase of site and erection of building (county)	8,000 00	6,494 70
Erection and completion of high school building	70,930 47	52,297 64

Property Settled.

The case of Patch against White, which has been before the Court in Banc for the last two days, was terminated yesterday. This was a suit to recover lot 3, in square 406, on an alleged devise to plaintiff's grantor under a bequest in the will of the late James Walker, devising "to my brother Henry lot 6, square 408." In the court below it was claimed that lot 3 was the property meant to be conveyed. The case was appealed on exceptions on the ground that there was no such ambiguity as to justify extrinsic evidence. Several able illustrations were used by the counsel to show what was meant, the similc being cited that if a man was the possessor of one horse—a white stallion—and willed it away as his black horse, would the adjective wrongfully used nullify the bequest? The case was submitted and judgment reserved.

The first stables and stock farms of the whole country, such as those of Mr. Calvin M. Priest, of New York; Mr. Mike Goodin, of Belmont Park, Pa.; Aristides Welsh, esq., of Erdenheim, near Philadelphia, and others we could name, are always provided with St. Jacobs Oil, the horse's best physician.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

James W. Burgess, of Winchester, and Colonel R. C. Shelton, of Amherst County, are dead.

Many handsome building improvements are contemplated at Charlottesville the coming season.

The ladies of the Hebrew Benevolent Society of Charlottesville realized $1,000 by a fair held last week.

The senate has passed the joint resolution to vacate the offices of board of visitors of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution.

A colored woman in Lynchburg, named Ella Smith, lately gave birth to three children at once, all of whom died shortly after.

At a meeting of the policy-holders of the Virginia Mutual Protection Association the president, Mr. Wilkinson, made a statement attributing the condition of the affairs to the competition which exists.

Mr. Riddleberger's resolution proposing to fund the "black scrip" at eighty cents on the dollar "without distinction" was passed on Wednesday without objection from any quarter, and was sent to the House.

There is a great and increasing difficulty in securing farm hands, many of the colored laborers being engaged in building railroads and working the mines, which are being rapidly opened in various parts of the State.

Mrs. Agnes W. Gordon, mother of Mr. J. Newton Gordon, of Lynchburg, celebrated her ninety-fifth birthday a few days ago. The occasion was observed by a family gathering and a prayer-meeting of appropriate exercises, conducted by Rev. J. M. Rawlings.

Two farms, lying in Fauquier County, were sold on Monday; one of five hundred acres, the estate of the late Lloyd C. Marshall, to James G. Yates, of Rappahannock County, at $32.10 per acre. The other, a tract of four hundred and eighty-six acres, in fine gold belt, to William H. Brown, of Baltimore, at $7.25 per acre.

Mr. C. P. Huntington has gone West to look after more lines, and especially the Chesapeake and Ohio connection between Cincinnati and Huntington, W. Va. He has decided to make Hampton Roads a point opposite Norfolk, the rival port of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, and the Chesapeake and Ohio extension will be put through to that point from Yorktown this summer, and port facilities furnished.

THE finest American inscription upon the obelisk now standing in Central Park, New York, will be, "Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Price, 25 cents."

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.

	Bid.	Asked.
Governments.		
United States 6s extended 3½	100⅝	.....
United States 5s extended 3½	101⅝	102⅝
United States 4½s 1891, coupon	.....	112⅝
United States 4½s 1891, registered	.....	110⅝
United States 4s 1907, coupon	118⅝	118⅞
United States 4s 1907, registered	116⅞	117⅞
District of Columbia Bonds.		
Permanent improvements 6s, 1891, coin	114⅝	115
Permanent improvements 7s, 1891, curr	120	121
Market stock 7s, 1892, currency	120	.....
Water stock 7s, 1901, currency	130	.....
Water stock 7s, 1903, currency	130½	.....
Fifty years' funding 3-65s, 1924, currency	106⅞	107⅞
Twenty years' funding 5s, 1899, currency	.....	114
Thirty years' funding 6s, 1902, coin	120	.....
Fire Insurance and Gaslight Companies.		
Washington City Gaslight Company	39⅝	43
Washington City Gaslight Co. scrip	31⅝	32½
Georgetown Gaslight Company	33	.....
National Union	13	.....
Arlington	130	.....
Railroad Stocks.		
Washington and Georgetown bonds	.....	105½
North Capitol and O Street	33	34
Free List.		
National Theatre bonds	.....	97
Washington Market Company stock	.....	10
Inland and Sea Coast Company stock	.....	59
Inland and Sea Coast Company bonds	.....	90
Ivanhoe Mining Company stock	.....	.95
National Bank of the Republic	150	.....
Farmers' and Mechanics' Nat. Bank	140	.....
Virginia consolidated, July	69	61

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Name of stock.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Alton and Terre Haute	.....	.....	.....	31
Alton and T. H. preferred	.....	.....	.....	80
Chesapeake and Ohio	.....	.....	.....	21
Chesapeake and Ohio 1sts	.....	.....	.....	31⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio 2ds	.....	.....	.....	22⅝
C. C. C. & I.	79	79	78	78
Canada Southern	48⅞	48⅞	48	48⅞
Chicago, Burlington and Q.	131	131⅞	131	131⅞
C. C. & I. C.	11⅛	11⅛	11	11⅛
Chicago, St. Paul, M. & O.	32⅝	33	32⅝	33
C., St. P., M. & O. preferred	100½	101	100½	100⅝
Central Pacific	89	90	89	89⅞
Chicago, St. Louis & N. O.	.....	.....	.....	70
Del., Lack. and Western	124⅞	126⅛	123⅞	124⅞
Delaware and Hudson	106½	107	106½	106⅝
Denver and Rio Grande	62⅝	64⅛	62⅝	64
Erie	37	37⅞	37	37⅞
Erie preferred	75⅞	76	75⅞	76
Illinois Central	97⅞	97⅞	97	97
Hannibal and St. Jo.	.....	.....	.....	90
Hannibal and St. Jo. pref.	80	83	76	82⅝
Houston and Texas	.....	.....	.....	62
Illinois Central	133⅞	134⅛	133⅞	134
Lake Shore	114⅞	115⅛	114⅞	114⅞
Louisville and Nashville	76	80⅞	78	80⅞
Lake Erie and Western	.....	.....	.....	31
Michigan Central	81⅞	82⅛	81⅞	82⅛
Missouri Pacific	93⅞	95⅞	93⅞	95⅞
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30⅛	31⅞	30⅛	31⅞
N. Y., Lake Shore & West'n	45⅞	46	45⅞	46
Mobile and Ohio	.....	.....	.....	28
Memphis and Charleston	63⅞	66	63	64⅞
Manhattan Elevated	55⅞	55⅞	55	55
Manhattan Elevated pref.	.....	.....	.....	93
Metropolitan Elevated	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞
New York Elevated	107	107	105	105
New York Central	131⅞	132⅝	131⅞	131⅞
Northwestern	131	132⅛	131	131⅞
Northwestern preferred	.....	.....	.....	141⅞
New Jersey Central	91⅞	93⅛	90⅞	92⅛
Nashville and Chattanooga	65⅞	69	65⅞	68⅞
Northern Pacific	32	32⅞	32	32
Northern Pacific preferred	70⅞	71⅞	69⅞	70⅞
Northern Pacific late	95⅞	96	95⅞	96
Norfolk and Western pref.	.....	.....	.....	49⅞
Ohio and Mississippi	31	31⅞	31	31⅞
Ontario and Western	24	24⅞	24	24⅞
Ohio Central	20⅞	21⅞	20⅞	20⅞
Ohio Southern	19	19	18	18
Pacific Mail	40⅞	41	40⅞	41
Rock Island	131⅞	131⅞	131	131⅞
Reading	58⅞	59	57⅞	58⅞
Richmond and Alleghany	24⅞	24⅞	24	24
Richmond and Danville	165	166	164⅞	165
St. Paul	108⅞	109⅞	108⅞	109⅞
St. Paul preferred	122⅞	122⅞	120⅞	120⅞
St. Paul, M. & M	110⅞	110⅞	109	110
San Francisco	.....	.....	.....	39
San Francisco preferred	50	50	49	49
St. Francois 1sts	.....	.....	.....	90
Texas and Rio Grande	80	80⅞	80	80⅞
Texas Pacific	41⅞	41⅞	40	41
Union Pacific	113⅞	114⅞	112⅞	114⅞
Western Union	79⅞	79⅞	79	79
Wabash	32⅞	34⅞	32⅞	34⅞
Wabash preferred	57	58⅞	56⅞	58⅞
Colorado Coal	43	44	43	43⅞

MINING STOCKS.

Arizona	1	Quicksilver pref	50
Caribou	2	Standard	185
Homestake	19	Sutro Tunnel	3
Quicksilver	1½	Robinson Mining	3½

GOVERNMENT BONDS—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

United States 6 per cent. extended	100⅝@101
United States 5 per cent. extended	102 @102½
United States 4½ per cent registered	112⅝@113⅞
United States 4½ per cent. coupon	112⅝@113⅞
United States 4 per cent. registered	116 @118
United States 4 per cent. coupon	116 @118
United States 4 per cent. C. I.	118 @118½
District of Columbia 3.65s	107

BANKERS' EXCHANGE.

Three-day bills ..... 486¼ | Sixty-day bills 486½

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Money loaned from 6 per cent. per annum and 1-32 per diem in addition to legal interest to 5 per cent., and closed offered at 5 per cent. Exchange was steady at 485¼@485⅝ for long and 489⅛@490 for short sight. Governments were irregular. State bonds were inactive. Railroad bonds were rather dull and irregular. The transactions aggregated 370,000 shares, including Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 10,100; Denver and Rio Grande, 12,000; Hannibal and St. Jo preferred, 6,300; Kansas and Texas, 11,100; Lake Shore, 30,300; Louisville and Nashville, 30,400; Memphis and Charleston, 7,600; Missouri Pacific, 22,000; New Jersey Central, 27,300; New York Central, 12,000; Northern Pacific, 20,300; Reading, 7,300; St. Paul, 14,500; Texas Pacific, 7,100; Union Pacific, 9,700; Wabash Pacific, 22,900; Western Union, 16,300; Nashville and Chattanooga, 2,000; Eastern Tennessee, 8,900; Erie, 14,500.

STATE BONDS.

Georgia 6s	108	N. Carolina, sp'l tax	6⅝
Georgia 7s, mort	109	St. Joseph	109
Georgia 7s, gold	117⅞	Tennessee 6s	30⅝
Louisiana consols	65	Tennessee, new	30⅝
Missouri 6s	112½	Virginia 6s	42
N. Carolina, old	20	Virginia 6s, consol'd.	60
N. Carolina, new	18	Virginia 6s, def'd	14
N. Carolina, fund'g	19		

SUB-TREASURY BALANCES.

Coin ..... $84,514,778 00 | Currency $4,434,880 00

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, March 2.—United States bonds, 4s, 129. Atlantic and Great Western firsts, 48⅝; do seconds, 37; Erie, 38⅝; do seconds, 29½; New York Central, 134½; Reading, 36; Ontario and Western, 24⅝. Paris advices quote rentes at 83f 62½c; exchange on London, 25f 27½c. The increase of specie in the Bank of France for the week is 6,475,000f gold and 1,075,000f silver.

Baltimore Stock Board.

BALTIMORE, March 2.—Virginia 6s, consolidated, 60⅝; do second series, 35; new 10-40s, 39½ bid to-day.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

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

	Opening.			Closing.		
	Mar.	April.	May.	Mar.	April.	May.
Wheat	$1 27⅞	$1 26⅞	$1 22⅞	$1 26⅞	$1 24	$1 19⅞
Corn	59⅞	62⅞	63⅞	58⅞	63	62⅞
Oats	40⅞	44	42⅞	40⅞	43⅞	42⅞
Pork	17 00	17 25	17 40	16 70	16 92⅞	17 12⅞
Lard	10 50	10 65	10 72½	10 42½	10 57⅞	10 65
Year wheat	.....	102⅞	.....	.....	102⅞	.....

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Flour—Southern dull and declining; common to fair extra, $5 10@5 60; good to choice do, $6 70@8 00. Corn ½@¾c lower, closing with rather more strength; moderate export business; less doing in options; ungraded, 84⅞@89⅞c; No. 3, 85⅞@86c; steamer, 87⅞@88c; No. 2, 88⅞@89½c for new; 89⅞@90⅞c for old; 89c f. o. b. in steamer yellow, 76⅞@77c; steamer white, 71c; No. 2, March, 87⅞@87½c, closing at 87½c April, 89⅞@89⅞c, closing at 89½c; May, 90⅞@91c, closing at 90½c; June, 90c. Oats ¼@⅜c lower and more doing; No. 3, 50c. Coffee in fair demand and stronger; Rio in cargoes, 9⅞@10½c; job lots, 8⅞@12c. Sugar quiet and held very strong; fair to good refining, 7⅞@8⅞c; refined strong and in better demand; yellow C, 7⅞@7⅞c; white extra C, 8⅞@8⅞c; yellow do, 7⅞@8⅞c; yellow, 7⅞@7⅞c; off A, 8⅞@8⅞c; mould A, 9⅞@9⅞c; standard A, 8⅞@8⅞c; confectioners' A, 8⅞c; 1 cut loaf, 9⅞c; crushed, 9⅞c; powdered, 9⅞c; granulated, 9⅞c; cubes, 9⅞c. Molasses quiet and firm. Rice steadily held and in fair demand. Pork offered at 15 62½c per barrel lower, heavy, and very dull; spot mess, $16 50 for old, $17 87⅞@17 50 for new; do March, $17 25 asked; April, $17 30@17 36; May, $17 50@17 55. Middles dull and a shade lower; long clear, 9⅞c; short clear, 9⅞@9⅞c; long and short clear, 9⅞c. Lard 7⅞@10 points lower, closing weak and unsettled; prime steam, spot, $10 37⅞@10 60; March, $10 50@10 55; April, $10 57@10 62½; May, $10 70@10 77½; June, $10 75@10 85; July, $10 80@10 85.

Baltimore General Market.

BALTIMORE, March 2.—Flour unchanged and quiet; Howard street and Western superfine, $3 50@4 50; do extra, $4 75@5 25; do family, $6 00@7 00; City Mills superfine, $3 50@4 50; do extra, $4 75@5 75; Rio brands $6 75; Patapsco family, $7 75. Corn—Southern firmer; Western quiet and steady; Southern white, 79@79½c; do yellow, 68@68c; Western mixed, spot, 67⅞@68c; do March, 67⅞@67½c; April, 68⅞@69c; May, 70⅛@70⅝c; June, 71⅛@71⅝c; steamer, 66c bid. Oats steady and quiet; Southern, 48@55c; Western white, 49@55c; do mixed, 48c; Pennsylvania, 48@55c. Hay dull and unchanged; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $15 00@17 00. Provisions firm, but unchanged; mess pork, $17 75@18 25; bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides, packed, 7⅞@10½c; bacon—shoulders, 8⅞c; clear rib sides, 10c; hams, 13@13½c; lard, refined, 12c. Butter firm; Western packed, 18@26c; roll, 25@32c. Eggs lower and dull at 18@20c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 10⅞@10½c. Sugar quiet; A soft, 9⅞c. Whisky dull at $1 17½. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 barrels; corn, 1,900 bushels. Shipments—Corn, 1,301 bushels. Sales—Corn, 70,210 bushels.

Alexandria Grain Market.

ALEXANDRIA, March 2.—But little grain was offered to-day and prices remain unchanged. The light sales which were offered were $1 30@1 36 for wheat and 78@81 for corn, as to quality. Country produce is a shade lower on account of the milder weather.

DISTRICT COURTS.

COURT IN GENERAL TERM—THE CHIEF-JUSTICE, JUDGES HAGNER AND JAMES.—Patch vs. White; argument resumed by Mr. Merrick and submitted. Hibernia Building Association vs. Gibbons; on trial. Phœnix Life Insurance Company vs. Grant; decree appointing R. H. Wagner receiver on bond of $25,000 and reference to auditor. Adjourned till ten a. m. today. Assignment—Nos. 43, 44, 45, 46, and 47.

CRIMINAL COURT—JUSTICE COX.—Albert Lewis; appeal larceny; verdict not guilty; ordered to restore property. Adjourned till ten a. m. to-day. Assignment—Same as yesterday, and all motions for new trials and in arrest of judgment.

CIRCUIT COURT—JUSTICE MACARTHUR.—Wilson vs. First Methodist Protestant Church; motion for a new trial filed. Darlington & Co. vs. Cake; verdict for defendant. Bashford vs. Dunn, administrator; on trial. Bannegan vs. District of Columbia; defendant moves for leave to file plea of statute of limitations; overruled. Adjourned till ten a. m. to-day. Assignment—Balance of cases from yesterday's assignment.

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ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS.

The many friends of Rev. D. F. Sprigg will be glad to know that his health, which has been seriously impaired for some time, has considerably improved.

District Attorney L. L. Lewis passed through here Thursday on his way to Westmoreland County to examine the title to the land upon which a monument to General Washington is to be erected by the Government.

Mr. H. S. Barker, who left here last week, has returned to the city from Kansas City, much pleased with his trip. While absent he met a number of Alexandrians, among them Messrs. Duxbury and Ed. Mushbach, both of whom are doing well.

The steamer Mattano, Captain William Nowell, on her way down the river Thursday, on her first trip on the lower Potomac route this season, broke down and had to return to this city for repairs. The repairs were completed by one o'clock and the steamer left for the lower river landings.

☞The funeral of Mrs. Robert Brockett, mother of Auditor F. I. Brockett, will take place this morning, at ten o'clock. The funeral was delayed in consequence of the non-arrival of Major W. B. Brockett, of New Orleans, son of the deceased, who was unable to reach here until last night.

While some workmen were engaged in tearing down the old warehouse on the corner of King and Fayette streets yesterday afternoon, a portion of the roof fell in, catching under it a colored man named Rush Stewart. Stewart, on being dug out of the debris, was found to be only slightly injured.

A letter received here yesterday morning stated that the money to pay the $50,000 Washington and Ohio Railroad check would be in the city yesterday. The check had not been paid up to three o'clock, and the time allowed the Baltimore, Cincinnati, and Western Railroad Company in which to pay the check expires to-day.

Mrs. Willie H. Janney, wife of Mahlon H. Janney, esq., died Thursday, about one o'clock, at the residence of her husband, upper end of King street, after a long and painful illness. Mrs. Janney, who was a granddaughter of the late Commodore Jamieson, U. S. N., was a most estimable lady, and her death will be sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends.

Grateful to Invalids.

Floreston Cologne is grateful to invalids, because it is refreshing without the sickening effect of most perfumes.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

The following business was transacted in the Supreme Court of the United States Thursday:

Admissions to the bar—John A. Kasson, of Des Moines, Iowa, on motion of Edwards Pierrepont, and Aina H. Brown, of Hastings, Neb., on motion of E. K. Valentine.

No. 508. H. D. Booge et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. J. W. Boeler. In error to the Supreme Court of Iowa. On motion of John A. Kasson, dismissed with costs.

No. 24. The United States, appellant, vs. The Dix Island Granite Company. Argued by Solicitor-General Phillips for appellants and Enoch Totten for appellee.

No. 84. Gideon Bantz, appellant, vs. David Pranis et al. Argued by Arthur Storrs for appellant, and submitted by W. A. Maury and L. N. Demkitz for appellee. Mr. Justice Harlan, having been of counsel in this case, did not sit during the argument.

No. 32. The Newport and Cincinnati Bridge Company, appellant, vs. The United States. Reargument commenced by William M. Ramsey for appellant. Mr. Justice Matthews, having been of counsel in this case, did not sit during the argument.

Adjourned until to-day.

REAL ESTATE.

The Official Transactions 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 Twelfth street, west, near the corner of G street north, part of lot 3 (18 feet 4 inches by 70 feet), square 339; on Eleventh street west, between E and F streets north, north half of lot 6 (25 feet by 93 feet 1 inch), square 347; on E street north, near the corner of Tenth street west, east part of lot 14 (30 by 75 feet), square 378, and also west part of lot 14 (30 by 75 feet), square 378, James W. Ormie et al. to Charles H. Orme, nominal.

On D street north, near the corner of Eleventh street west, east half of lot 4 (25 by 75 feet), square 348, Annie V. Keyworth to Charles H. Orme, nominal.

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