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Foster's Local Forecasts.

The storm waves will reach this meridian and the other weather changes noted will occur at and within 100 miles of Fort Worth within twenty-four hours before or after sunset of the dates given below:

Sept. 30—Fair and cool.
Oct. 1—Moderating.
" 2—Warmer.
" 3—Storm wave on this meridian.
" 4—Wind changing.
" 5—Cooler and clearing.
" 6—Moderating.
" 7—Warmer.
" 8—Storm wave on this meridian.

Weather Forecast.

GALVESTON, TEX., Oct. 3.—[Special.]—Local forecast for Texas for twenty-four hours ending 12, midnight October 4. Fair in north and northern portion of Central and East Texas; warmer in Central Texas, stationary temperature over other portions; easterly winds.

Texas Weather Bulletin.

GALVESTON, TEX., Oct. 3.—[Special.]

STATIONS.	Max Tem.	Min Tem.	Rain fall
Galveston	82	74	[illegible]
Abilene	90	64	.30
Austin	90	62	.12
Brenham	84	66	.40
Corsicana	75	61	.50
Columbia	90	70	
Cuero	90	76	.25
Dallas	74	61	
Hearne	86		
Houston	82	68	
Huntsville			
Longview	86	64	
Luling	90	60	.72
Orange	84	75	
Palestine	82	66	.07
San Antonio	84	66	.15
Tyler	74	60	
Waco	86	58	1.00
Weatherford	82	56	.46
Means	82.[illegible]	73.[illegible]	.32

Cotton Region Bulletin.

GALVESTON, TEX., Oct. 3.—[Special.]—Consolidated cotton region bulletin for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 p. m.

STATIONS.	Stations.	Max. Tem.	Min. Tem.	Rain fall.
Atlanta	10	75	58	
Augusta	10	78	58	
Charleston	6	74	60	
Galveston	19	82	61	.38
Little Rock	11	86	57	
Memphis	14	84	56	
Mobile	10	74	56	.06
Montgomery	7	82	55	
New Orleans	11	82	60	
Savannah	12	80	70	.02
Vicksburg	6	72	51	
Wilmington	9	72	61	
Means		81.[illegible]	51.[illegible]	.02

IF Grover Cleveland desires the votes of such Democrats as opposed his nomination, he should lose no time in placing a muzzle on Hogg's St. Louis organ—the Republic.

WHEN J. W. Swayne and T. R. Maddox get through with their effort to defeat Judge Beckham and Major Jarvis they may not be as good looking as they are now, but they will have lots more sense.

THE GAZETTE admonishes the people not to take alarm because the council have repealed the ordinance providing for sanitary policemen. The council can easily re-enact another if they deem it wise and expedient.

IF William E. Russell should again be elected governor of Massachusetts, at the ensuing election, politicians who have a presidential bee in their bonnets will do well to keep a weather eye on the old Bay State four years hence.

THE ladies of Texas seem determined that the state shall be represented at the World's fair, despite the apathy and indifference of their husbands and brothers, and when they set their tiny feet down opposition may as well cease.

THE county and district fairs being held in different parts of Northwest Texas have been uniformly successful in attendance and exhibits. THE GAZETTE is glad to record the fact. It believes in Northwest Texas.

TALMAGE—he of the Brooklyn Tabernacle—declares it to be his opinion that the czar of Russia is a man of peace. The late lamented Buck Fanshaw was also a man of peace, and would have peace if he had to fight for it.

THE people of Fort Worth could do a good work for the city by removing the weeds from their premises and burning them. Decaying vegetable matter is not conducive to health, and these weeds are in the sere and yellow leaf right now, and their decay a matter of only a few days.

THE editor of the Courier-Observer [illegible] alleges that he read the [illegible] from Grover Cleveland to W. H. [illegible] and that it did not mention Hogg in any way. Can it be possible that Mr. Murray has so far forgotten the proprieties as to show an editor a letter marked "personal?"

COL. R. M. WYNNE is announced to speak in Henderson county, his old home, where he has many warm friends, and is deservedly popular. THE GAZETTE warns its readers in Henderson not to take alarm at anything the Colonel may say or do. He is not half as bad as he pretends.

THE Hogg devotees are pinning their faith to the farmers, who seem to be more interested in tilling the soil just now than in the success or failure of any politician's personal aspirations. Meanwhile they are reading and thinking as becomes good citizens and will do their part in making up the verdict in November.

THE cholera scare in New York is over, and the quarantine against New York steamers having been withdrawn the commerce of the state will soon resume its normal condition, and the evil results of its temporary suspension will soon be dissipated. The recuperative forces of Texas are hard to beat, anyway.

PENNSYLVANIA may be an important factor in the campaign this year—if the operatives in the mills and factories should take it into their heads that the beneficent effect of the McKinley tariff law was all for the capitalist, as the events at Homestead clearly demonstrate, they might make it very uncomfortable for the tariff barons.

BUCK GILMORE has changed his tactics somewhat, and is not quite as abusive of his fellow Democrats who will vote for Clark as "he used to was." Buck has heard from the boys at the "forks of the creek," who are not made of the kind of stuff that can be intimidated by office-holders or office-seekers. They can be cajoled into doing very unwise things some times, but bulldozed never.

HIS HOLINESS POPE LEO XIII takes a somber view of the condition of Christianity throughout the world, and says it is not a source of wonder that nations are groaning beneath the weight of Divine punishment. It is to be hoped that matters are not as bad as His Holiness believes, but he is in a better position to know than THE GAZETTE, which indulges the hope that his late letter may be productive of good.

TARRANT county Democrats are not the only ones whose will must be set aside in the choice of candidates, and the men whom they have selected to run the party machinery. Harris county has come in for its share, and the chairman of the executive committee in that county has been decapitated by order of the bosses. Harris county like Tarrant, was "insulted" the rule of the politicians, and must be subjected to discipline.

GOV. HOGG announces that if the people will stand by him he will see to it that Federal judges will be kept from encroaching upon the rights of the people of Texas. Softly, governor, softly. The people of Texas tried a tilt with the Federal government, when you were a youth and came out second best. They cannot be led into another scrape of that kind. Such men as you make the Federal judiciary a necessity, that the liberties of the people may be preserved from the rule of the anarchist and communist.

MR. G. A. McILVAINE, law partner of Horace Chilton, has expressed his opinion of a man who would vote for George Clark. He said in a speech at Tyler, Friday night, that "a man claiming to be a Democrat who voted or worked for George Clark or espoused his cause was a renegade, a traitor, a miserable dirty wretch, a dog and hound, and should be treated as such by every honest Democrat." If something is not done to check these fellows, they will be using intemperate language before the campaign is over.

ANTE-CONVENTION OPINIONS.

The St. Louis Republic in its anxiety to find some cause of complaint against the Democratic nominee for governor in this state, goes back more than three years and rakes up an interview with the Hon. Geo. Clark and prints a paragraph in which he expresses his opinion of Grover Cleveland. The Republic pretends to be an ardent admirer of the Democratic nominee for the presidency and to be frantically anxious for his election. If it is sincere in this, it will exhibit more wisdom by not denouncing those who were opposed to his nomination, but who will give him a hearty support, now that he is the candidate of the party. If the Hon. Geo. Clark is to be criticised and condemned for ante-convention opinions, what is to become of Senators Hill, Gorman and Brice, who also opposed his nomination, and are now actively working for his election? Would the Republic question the Democracy or loyalty of the Louisville Courier-Journal, the Atlanta Constitution, the New York Sun and World, all of which used as harsh language about Mr. Cleveland as did the Hon. Geo. Clark? And what of the supporters of Hogg, who were loud in their denunciation of Cleveland prior to the Chicago convention? Are they too, to be politically damned—not at all. In the estimation of the Republic, these men are political saints. But those who support Clark are political traitors. The Republic, like all of Hogg's supporters, is intolerant, vindictive and unreasonable. It will do well to confine its effort to its own balliwick—where if advices may be relied upon—there is plenty of occasion for work.

ALL OVER DIXIE.

In Christian county, Ky., a mob of masked men took [illegible] and his wife from their [illegible] and fatally lashed them for [illegible] from their neighbors.

Many cows are [illegible] at Eureka Springs, Ark., from [illegible] fever.

Near Little Rock, Ark., [illegible] Allen shot and killed his brother-in-law, Norman Sheffield.

At Rome, Ga., W[illegible], the noted English forger, was sentenced to five years in the pen[illegible].

At Bowie county, [illegible] James Kines was sentenced to hang for the murder of Deputy Sheriff M[illegible] at that place last fall.

Aaron Robinson is to be hanged at Jackson, Miss., for [illegible].

Three men were [illegible] and three seriously injured in a wreck on the Vandalia line, near [illegible], Ill., by an express train dashing into a handcar on which were six [illegible], and hurling it from the track.

The last jacket has been placed on the great 13-inch gun being made at the Washington navy yard, and the rifle is now nearly completed. It will weigh 158,000 pounds and [illegible] shot weighing 1,100 pounds [illegible] penetrate 284 inches of solid [illegible].

Postmaster General Wanamaker has signed a contract for the [illegible] of what will be known as the Columbian series of postage stamps. The stamp will be of the same height as the present issue, but it will be twice the width, and the illustrations will include various scenes connected with Columbus' voyage and discovery. The new stamps will be ready about January 1.

SPORTING MATTER.

CORBETT ON THE STAGE.

He Was Greeted by an S. R. O. House at Elizabeth, N. J.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 3.—James Corbett arrived here at noon to-day. To-night the opera house was packed to the doors long before the curtain rung up on the first act. The house was a temperate one and did not give vent to any unseemly or noisy greeting to the champion when he appeared upon the stage, but applauded him as much as they would any other star.

Corbett made a good appearance on the stage.

During the evening the star was presented with a number of large floral pieces, and after the performance he held an impromptu reception.

The play was a fairly good one and well received.

SULLIVAN WILL CHALLENGE

Corbett Again—He Says He Was Robbed at New Orleans.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A Boston special says:

John L. Sullivan has startled his friends in the city by announcing his intention of challenging Corbett to fight again. He was seen by a reporter in the dressing room before the play began last night and said he had this to say:

"I am saving money now with a resolute determination to challenge Corbett to fight again and give me a chance to win back the money that was robbed from me in New Orleans."

Long Distance Racing.

VIENNA, Oct. 3.—Of the forty-eight military officers who started on Saturday in a long distance race nine arrived the same evening at Iglad, Moravia, having completed the 145-½ kilometers. Lieutenant Clonck made eighty kilometers yesterday and when half of yesterday's journey was completed he met the first German officers bound for Vienna. He passed them shortly and reached Weisswasser, having thus covered half of the distance in thirty-six hours.

Of forty-five officers who started from here Saturday eight have reach Iglad. So far five others have fallen out. Among those forced to withdraw is Landgraf Furstemberg.

The weather was wet, foggy and in some parts of the road the riders were obliged to use lanterns while continuing the journey at night.

The first of the German riders are expected to arrive here to-morrow morning.

Louisville Races.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 3.—The fall meeting of the jockey club began at Churchill Downs this afternoon. First race, four and a half furlongs—Lindenne won, Quindora King second, Hinman third. Time :58.

Second race, one mile—Little Annie won, Garcia second, Gen Miller third. Time 1:44½.

Third race, six furlongs—Afternoon won, Deception second, Elizabeth third. Time 1:17.

Fourth race, one mile—Portuguese won, Revolver second, Tenny, Jr., third. Time 1:44¼.

Fifth race, four and a half furlongs—Princess Lorraine won, Hannigan second, Footrunner third. Time :57½.

Morris Park Races.

MORRIS PARK, N. Y., Oct. 3.—First race, six furlongs, Elmer won, Masher second, The Fop third. Time 1:13.

Second race, one mile, Parvenue won, The Iron Master second. Time 1:42¾.

Third race, five furlongs, Balance won, By Jove second, Philander third. Time 1:01.

Fourth race, six furlongs, Miss Maude won, Minnehaha second, May Lose third. Time 1:13½.

Fifth race, one mile, Dr. Hasbrouck won, Nomad second, Kildeer third. Time 1:39½.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, Hy-Dy won, Gmalour second, Mr. Sass third. Time 1:28.

Nancy Hanks to Retire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A telegram to the Herald from Boston says: "It is plain here that her owner will retire Nancy Hanks from the track after this season temporarily, at least. She will be bred to Arion."

Corbett in Clay.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—James J. Corbett, champion pugilist of the world, was yesterday "done in clay" by Miss Kuhne Beveridge, the young sculptor who performed a similar office for Mr. Cleveland the day previous.

Water in Venice.

In Venice water is something of a luxury, as the inhabitants have to depend upon the rains for its supply. There is no water company for supplying the city. The water for drinking and domestic uses is collected in subterranean reservoirs, where it is said to be filtered. Let those believe it who can. The water is doled out at the public wells which are open one hour daily for that purpose, and then are carefully locked up.

AN ENRAGED PAINTER

ATTACKS A FELLOW WORKMAN ON A SCAFFOLD

Over Niagara Falls and Attempts to Brain Him With a Hatchet—The Wounded Man Cannot Live.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 3.—Two painters engaged in repainting the cables and guy ropes of the Cantilever bridge across the Niagara river yesterday, swung a slender scaffold 200 feet above the stream on which to work. They were both Canadians, named Joseph Greaves and William Garnet. At dusk they engaged in a terrific hand to hand struggle in which Greaves nearly lost his life. Who started the quarrel is unknown, but Garnet lost his temper, grabbed a hatchet and threatened to brain Greaves. The latter grasped his wrist, but Garnet was stronger and pressed him to the edge of the scaffold, threatening to hurl him into the river. To save himself from falling, Greaves loosed his hold on Garnet's wrist and grasped at the rope. Three quick, sharp blows were rained upon him by his enraged assailant, two fell on his back and one split open his scalp from the right to the left ear. He staggered lost his hold and fell, but caught between two guy ropes, where he lay out of reach of the other. With blood streaming from his cuts Greaves climbed hand over hand up the cables to the bridge floor. Garnet followed, hatchet in hand. Here another workman interfered.

The wounded man was borne to the Canadian shore, where surgeons were summoned and dressed his wounds. It is doubtful whether he can live.

Garnet escaped while Greaves was being attended to. The Canadian officers think that he has fled to the United States.

IN SECRET

IS THE WAY THE HOGG LEADERS WORK

At the Present Time—A Macedonian Cry From Southwest Texas—Waller Baker's Conclave at Waco.

WACO, TEX., Oct. 3.—[Special.]—A consultation took place at a late hour this evening in the office of Walter Baker, chairman of the Hogg state executive committee, in which Mr. Baker, State Treasurer Wortham, Comptroller McCall and Ed Kaufman, late secretary of the Democratic state executive committee, took part.

THE GAZETTE correspondent endeavored to ascertain the object of the meeting and asked Chairman Baker what it was. He stated that the gentlemen named had called upon him merely for the purpose of arranging dates for their speaking throughout the state in behalf of the administration.

After adjournment when walking from the headquarters one of the party was heard to remark upon the necessity of speakers and hard work for Hogg in Southwest Texas. It was evident from the circumstances attending the meeting that its objects were something more than the assignment of dates for speaking. The precautions for secrecy were thorough and nothing beyond the statement of Chairman Baker could be definitely learned.

RHODE ISLAND'S NAME.

Various Theories That Have Been Advanced for Its Origin.

Several explanations are given of the manner in which Rhode Island acquired a name. One supposition is that from the abundance of cranberries found in the marshes of this province it was called by the Dutch Roode Eylandt. Others suppose that the original name was Roel de Eglant (the red island), from the fact that some clay banks at certain points along the coast gave it a reddish tinge. It is most likely, however, that it was named from the Island of Rhodes in the Mediterranean, and this supposition is strengthened by the discovery of the fact that on January 13, 1644, the general court of elections passed an ordinance reading as follows: "It is ordained by this court that the island commonly called Aquethneck shall be from henceforth called the Island of Rhodes, or Rhode Island." Aquethneck was the Indian name, and it is probable that some odds and ends of learning among the colonists induced them to select this classical name.

Is the World Made of Salt?

Near the village of Sperenberg, about twenty miles from Berlin, Germany, is situated the deepest salt mine in the world. At last accounts it was 4,194 feet deep, the first 1,200 being sixteen feet in diameter. It was begun in the year 1860, government authorities having charge of the work, the avowed purpose of the work being to ascertain the exact thickness of the rock salt vein known to exist beneath the gypsum substrata abounding in that vicinity. The salt rock was reached before the shaft had passed the 300 level, but the size of the mammoth shaft was not lessened until it had reached a depth of nearly one-fifth of a mile, after which the boring was continued with an augur bit thirteen inches in diameter. When the boring was discontinued at the depth of 4,194 feet, 3,000 feet of which was pure rock salt, the end of the auger bit was cutting away on the saline deposit, which is still of unknown thickness.

The Snowdrop.

According to an old story, the snowdrop always blooms on Candlemas day, the second of February, this day being celebrated as that on which the Virgin took the child Jesus to the Temple and there presented her offering. Hence the snowdrop has been popularly nicknamed "Fair Maid of February." On this account, too, it was formerly held sacred to virgins; and this may explain its generally being found in orchards and gardens attached to old monastic buildings, in allusion to which Tickell says:

A flower that first in this sweet garden smiled,
To virgins sacred, and the snowdrop styled.

WIDOW DIDN'T SCREAM.

But the Near-Sighted Young Man Was Embarrassed.

There was a very angry man at a large hotel recently, an exceedingly embarrassed young widow, and a chuckling practical joker of the feminine gender. It all came about through a harmless bow of ribbon.

The man is very near-sighted, and when being taken to his apartment upon arrival was appalled at the endless vista of bedroom doors which met his astonished vision. It is impossible for him to decipher numbers after nightfall, and the knowledge of this caused him some little concern, for he feared that if he should go down-stairs he would not be able to find his room again.

In this dilemma his troubled eyes fell upon a tiny knot of ribbon lying in the corner, left by some fair predecessor. Taking a pin he tacked the bow on the outside door frame and went his way rejoicing. A young and giddy girl from Chicago witnessed the act and hurriedly moved the badge to the next door.

About midnight the near-sighted man, after a pleasant evening, came slowly upstairs. With inward satisfaction at his brilliant idea, he scanned the doors until he detected the ribbon.

Forthwith he turned the knob and proceeded to enter, only to be confronted with a flood of light, and a highly startled young widow in a state of deshabille.

He fled down the corridor, and the lady with rare acumen, instead of screaming and raising a sensation, slammed and locked her door. An hour later the unfortunate man sneaked up to bed in tow of a bellboy.

SLEEPS WITH EYES OPEN.

A Young Woman at Port Jefferson Puzzles the Medical Men.

Richard Risley, of Port Jefferson, L. I., is a hard-working bayman. He has a rather pretty daughter, who for the past year has been puzzling the doctors in consequence of a peculiar affliction which has attacked her eyes.

Miss Risley is about 17 years old. A year ago, while walking on the beach near her home with her mother, she suddenly exclaimed that something had entered her eye. She pressed her hands over her eyes and a moment later fell in a fit.

The young woman was carried home in a partially unconscious condition. When finally she was restored to consciousness it was discovered that her eyes had a strained look as though some inward pressure was forcing them out of their sockets. She complained of no pain, but her eyes continued to protrude more and more until it would seem they must fall out. The eyes are now so much protruded that the lids cannot close down over them, so that the sufferer sleeps at night with her eyes wide open. Her sense of sight is gone while she sleeps, this having been demonstrated by experiments.

The peculiar trouble which has attacked her eyes also appears to be sapping the young woman's health. She has become pale and emaciated, and has the appearance of a person suffering from consumption. Her condition has thus far defied the skill of the local doctors, who admit that they are unable to explain the cause.

A DOG'S MEMORY.

One Experience With Dog Catchers Sufficed for All Time.

If anybody supposes that dogs have no memory he certainly never knew a dog that had been unfortunate enough to make the acquaintance of the dog-catchers. A friend of mine living in the suburbs has a valuable dog on which he paid license, but on account of the collar chafing the animal's neck he was accustomed to leave off this valuable protection. One day when walking with his dog he was unlucky enough to meet the dog catchers. One of them threw his wire, and the animal recognizing his evil intent, made a tremendous spring, went clear through the loop, struck out for home, and on his master's return a few moments later had jumped the fence and hidden in the cellar. For a considerable time the dog could not be persuaded to leave the yard, but finally by degrees got over his fright and ventured out as usual. About a year later, on walking out one morning the dog catchers' wagon again came in view, and although it was nearly two blocks away, the animal recognized it and gave it a wide berth; nor could the dog catchers, even by the exercise of the utmost adroitness, get within a block of the clever dog.

A TROUBLESOME CALLER.

How Lincoln Got Rid of a Persistent Individual.

In 1864, President Lincoln was greatly bothered by the well-meant but ill-advised efforts of certain good Northern men to bring about a termination of the war. An old gentleman from Massachusetts, very bland and entirely bald, was especially persistent and troublesome. Again and again he appeared before the president and was got rid of by one and another ingenious expedient. One day, when this angel of mercy had been boring Mr. Lincoln for half an hour, to the interruption of important business, the president suddenly rose, went to a closet, and took out of it a large bottle. "Did you ever try this remedy for baldness?" he asked, holding up the bottle before his astonished visitor. No, the man was obliged to confess that he never had tried it. Mr. Lincoln called a servant, had the bottle wrapped up and handed it to the bald philanthropist. "There," said he, "go and rub some of that on your head. Persevere. They say it will make the hair grow. Come back in about three months and report." And almost before he knew it, the good old man was outside of the door with the package under his arm.

READ OUR WANT COLUMNS TO-DAY. YOU WILL FIND SOMETHING TO INTEREST YOU.

QUITE A JUMP

In a Number of Railroad Shares on the List.

RAILROAD BONDS ACTIVE.

The Money Market Was Easy at Rates That Are Fair—The Temper of Trading Seems to Be Much Better.

COTTON FUTURES

And Spots Show a [illegible] on a Prediction of a Heavy [illegible].

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Oct. 3.—[Special.]—Atwood, Violett & Company say:

Futures—Our expectations [illegible] a higher market were again realized [illegible] and at last Liverpool shows signs [illegible] up as just as we have predicted a [illegible] of the market have now begun, the advance here to-day being 4 to 5-64, whereas the market has improved [illegible] the difference on December between the two markets [illegible] points.

Spots there are 1-16 higher, and sales would have been larger, no doubt, had not most of the improvement occurred after 1 o'clock. This widening of difference will accomplish before long what is necessary for a spot demand, and then as a shipping basis, and then the solid foundation for the market will have been secured. In the meantime crop accounts continue seriously unfavorable and it is really a matter of [illegible] as to what the next [illegible] will indicate. We advise [illegible] last week of our expressions that it would show a figure so much below that of the [illegible] as to indicate a crop less than [illegible]. Our market has been kept quieter to-day than it would have been by reason of the large amount of realizing by the longs, but this is a healthy sign, as it gives the market that much more support. We have taken out some profits for our friends to-day to replace on any easy period. If Liverpool does not advance to-morrow two or three sixty-fourths we may go off here in the morning, but at any rate we feel satisfied the closing to-morrow will be higher than the opening, provided there is no [illegible] at the [illegible]. We now predict [illegible] west of the Mississippi will [illegible].

Port receipts to-day, 3[illegible],000 bales, against 72,000 bales last year. [illegible] here to-morrow estimated at [illegible] bales, against 24,000 bales last year, and [illegible] bales all ports last year. The market is a purchase on all easy periods.

Spots—[illegible] middling [illegible] quotations [illegible] up.

Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The volume of business at the stock exchange was somewhat [illegible] than usual, and a much firmer tone characterized the dealing. The [illegible] interest was largely responsible for the change in the market. The general list was bought freely, and such stocks as Burlington, Rock Island, Union Pacific, Atchison, Louisville and Nashville, Western Union, Northern Pacific preferred, and Reading closed with net gains of ½ to 1½ per cent. Among industrials, other than Chicago gas, there was considerable activity, especially in the amount of sugar and distiller and cattle feeding. The former rose to [illegible], the latter [illegible].

[illegible] fairly active and strong. Governments [illegible] stronger. State bonds quiet.

Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Money on call [illegible] with [illegible] demand; last loan [illegible], closed at [illegible] offered [illegible].

Prime mercantile paper, [illegible].

Sterling exchange weak at [illegible] for sixty day bills, [illegible] for demand.

FINANCIAL.

British Consols.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Consols closed at 96 11-16 [illegible] money, [illegible] for account.

Exchange on New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—[Special.]—

Sterling—Bank, 60 days ...... 4 [illegible]
Commercial, 60 days ...... 4 [illegible]
Reichmarks—Commercial, 60 days ...... [illegible]
Francs—Bank, 60 days ...... [illegible]
Commercial, 60 days ...... [illegible]

Exchange at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Oct. 3.—[Special.]

Sterling—Commercial, 60 days ...... [illegible]
Francs—Commercial, 60 days ...... [illegible]
New York sight—Bank ...... par
Commercial ...... [illegible] discount

Exchange at Galveston.

GALVESTON, [illegible]
Sterling—[illegible]
New York sight [illegible]
New Orleans [illegible]

Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—[Special.]—Stocks and bonds closed at the following prices bid:

BONDS.

United States 4's, registered	114¾
United States 4's, coupons	114¾
United States 2's	[illegible]
Central Pacific 1sts	10[illegible]
Denver and Rio Grande 4's	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific consolidated 6's	[illegible]
Missouri, Kansas and Texas general 6's	7[illegible]
St. Louis and Iron Mountain general 5's	80½
St. Louis and San Francisco general mortgage	109
Texas and Pacific land grants	[illegible]
Texas and Pacific Rio Grandes	[illegible]
Union Pacific 1sts	106½

STOCKS.

Central Pacific	[illegible]
Chicago and Alton	[illegible]
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy	[illegible]
Delaware and Lackawanna	[illegible]
Denver and Rio Grande	[illegible]
Erie, common	[illegible]
Fort Worth and Denver	[illegible]
Houston and Texas Central	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]
Kansas and Texas	[illegible]
Lake Shore	13[illegible]
Louisville and Nashville	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]
Northwestern	11[illegible]
New York Central	10[illegible]
Pacific Mail	[illegible]
Reading	[illegible]
Rock Island	[illegible]
St. Louis and San Francisco	[illegible]
St. Louis and San Francisco preferred	[illegible]
St. Paul common	[illegible]
St. Paul preferred	12[illegible]
Tennessee Coal and Iron	[illegible]
Texas and Pacific	[illegible]
Union Pacific	[illegible]
Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific, common	[illegible]
Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific, preferred	[illegible]
Wells-Fargo Express	14[illegible]
Western Union Telegraph	[illegible]
American cotton oil	[illegible]
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe	[illegible]
Utah, Denver and Gulf	[illegible]
Denver and Rio Grande preferred	[illegible]

She Thought of Him.

A little girl who had been away with her parents on a trip to a pleasant New England town was relating her experience on her return [illegible]. She told him about every [illegible] think of in the [illegible] that is always [illegible]. Finally, her grandfather said: [illegible], did you think of grandpa while you were away?"

"Oh, yes," she replied, "I thought you were at home working."

[illegible] the liver [illegible]. The [illegible] these prices, but [illegible] the price [illegible] medicines are [illegible] where they fail [illegible] your money [illegible] refunded [illegible] and established [illegible].

SPECIAL [illegible]

Ordinance [illegible]

An ordinance [illegible] of Fort Worth [illegible]

Passed September [illegible]

Passed [illegible]

MORPHINE

[illegible]

NOTICE [illegible]

C. O. HEARN

STATIONERS [illegible]

Telephone 31. [illegible]

MARRIED AND [illegible]

A Matrimonial [illegible]

An advertisement [illegible] London Advertiser [illegible] from a [illegible] named [illegible] his desire to [illegible] as a wife [illegible] advertisement [illegible] at Perth, mother [illegible] answered it. [illegible] reply, in which [illegible] and worldly goods [illegible] he desired [illegible] his household.

The widow [illegible] fortune, purchased [illegible] prospective husband [illegible] things [illegible] household [illegible] nine children [illegible].

This would be a [illegible] not that another [illegible] to be told. [illegible] day heard of [illegible] that she had [illegible] 6 years old. [illegible] with her [illegible] the wedding [illegible].

VALUE OF [illegible]

The Good to Be [illegible]

The value of [illegible] from our government [illegible] little understood [illegible] country. It is a [illegible].

Every council [illegible] to the government [illegible] interest in the [illegible].

In addition [illegible].

While the [illegible] agricultural [illegible] the hands of [illegible].

READ OUR WANT COLUMNS TO-DAY. YOU WILL FIND SOMETHING TO INTEREST YOU.