THE EVENING CRITIC.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1881,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK in the forenoon, and to continue on that day, and, by adjournment, on every subsequent Saturday, at the same hour, until all are disposed of.

For additional particulars inquire at the office of the Company.

By order of the Directors

WASHINGTON MARKET COMPANY.

By M. G. EMERY, President. oc8-13t

The above sale was adjourned until SATURDAY, October 29, at 11 o'clock a. m., and the next adjournment will be to THURSDAY, November 3, at 12 o'clock noon, and subsequent adjournments will be to succeeding THURSDAYS, and sales on Saturday will be discontinued, that being an inconvenient day for marketmen.

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October 22, 1881. oc22d

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

AT A CALLED MEETING OF THE VESTRY of Ascension parish, on Sunday morning, October 23, the Associate Rector, Rev. John H. Elliott, announced the death of Mr. THOMAS L. HUME; whereupon the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we have heard with sincere grief of the death of our late associate and esteemed fellow-citizen, Thomas L. Hume.

Resolved, That in his death we realize the loss to his family of a devoted and beloved member, to ourselves of an earnest and valued co-laborer, to this parish of a zealous and generous supporter, and to the community of a worthy, upright, and honored man.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect to his memory the members and ex-members of the Vestry and the wardens of the parish attend his funeral in a body.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the daily papers of this city, and that a copy of them be sent to his bereaved family.

oc24-2t C. C. DUNCANSON, Register.

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WASHINGTON MARKET COMPANY.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 17, 1881.

A special meeting of Stockholders of the Washington Market Company will be held at the office of the company, on Pennsylvania avenue, in the city of Washington, at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, being the 29th day of October, 1881, to act upon Sales and Rental of Stalls and refunding of the Mortgage Debt of the Company, and upon any other subject within the powers of the corporation.

BENJ. D. WHITNEY,
oc18-10t Secretary.

DANCING.—PROFESSOR SHELDON IS now teaching the five-step waltz and lawn-tennis quadrilles. Particulars at hall, 1004 F, or residence, 919 12th st. northwest. oc18

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DEPARTMENTS.

THE NATIONAL BANK NOTES received for redemption to-day amounted to $190,000.

GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY: Internal revenue, $983,458.32; customs, $588,141.40.

THE PRESIDENT has been elected a member of the literary society of Palatinate College, Myerstown, Pa.

COMMISSIONER PRICE, of the Indian Bureau, is confined to his rooms suffering from an accute attack of rheumatism.

THE leave of absence granted Capt. W. H. Gardner, Assistant Surgeon U. S. A., is extended three months on account of disability.

THE distribution of standard silver dollars for the week ending Oct. 22, was $454,396, against $859,991 for the corresponding week of last year.

A STRONG effort is being made by the soldiers to have Commissioner Dudley made Secretary of the Interior, but there is not much hope for success.

PAYMASTER W. GOLDSBOROUGH has been ordered to the Brooklyn as fleet paymaster of the South Atlantic station, and Chief Engineer W. W. Dungan to same as fleet engineer.

THE Attorney-General has designated W. D. Davidge, esq., as special attorney on the part of the United States to assist in the prosecution of Charles J. Guiteau, indicted for the murder of James A. Garfield.

SUBSCRIPTIONS to-day for the Garfield memorial hospital fund, in addition to the $318 already reported: Henry A. Willard, $100; K. G., $1, and Mary M. Wilson, $1. The contribution previously reported from Lewis Johnson & Co. should have been credited to Laird Walker.

MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE.—The following named persons have been designated as mail messengers at the points mentioned: Samuel Jones, Girdletree Hill, Worcester County, Md.; James R. Wood, Cedar Point, Page County, Va., and Jacob S. Seroghum, Koiner's Store, Augusta County, Va.

CAPT. LOUIS E. FAGAN has been detached from the Marine Barracks, Portsmouth, N. H., and ordered to the U. S. S. Brooklyn as fleet marine officer of the South Alantic station. Second Lieut. S. L. Jackson, U. S. M. C., is detached from the Marine Barracks, Boston, and also ordered to the Brooklyn.

ARMY OFFICERS express great surprise and astonishment at Mrs. Garfield's action in writing President Arthur requesting that he appoint Col. Rockwell Quartermaster-General. It would be an outrage, said one, for the President to pass right over forty other officers who rank Col. Rockwell and are his peers in every respect.

THE repairs and improvements to the White House are well under way. An additional office room has been made by placing a glass partition in the east hall on the second floor. The room at the head of the stairs, formerly occupied by Col. Crook and Mr. Morton, is to be transformed into a waiting room for the benefit of the public.

CRUISE OF THE RODGERS.—Lieut. Berry, commanding the Rodgers, reports to the department by mail from St. Lawrence Bay, under date of August 19, where the vessel had arrived the day before from St. Michael's and whence it sailed for Herald Island the same afternoon. Lieut. Berry states that they have coal enough to steam one hundred days full power, and leave enough for heating purposes this winter, with a good outfit of Arctic clothing and five small bullocks which will permit the issue of fresh meat forty times during the winter without any game.

MR. JAMES LAWRENSON, the veteran clerk of the Post-office Department, has reentered the matrimonial state. Mr. Laurenson's first wife was a Miss Smiley, of Baltimore, his present is a sister of his former wife. Mr. Lawrenson is one of the few surviving heroes of North Point in the war with Great Britain in 1812. He has in his official position sworn into office seventeen Postmaster-Generals, and is to-day one of the most active and efficient officials in public life. His fellow clerks are preparing to tender him and his bride a handsome present as a token and testimonial of their affection and friendship for him.

CRUISE OF THE ALLIANCE.—Commander Wadleigh, commanding the Alliance, has sent a long report to the Navy Department, under date of Hammerfest, Norway, September 13, in which he reports leaving Hammerfest, July 29, arriving at Spitzbergen; cruising along the coast and ice pack, observations made, &c., and his return to Hammerfest. He states that he will leave that port on the 16th of September for Spitzbergen to cruise until the 25th, in obedience to the orders of the Department, and shall then sail for New York by way of Iceland and Halifax. The health of officers and crew is good.

FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER-GENERAL TYNER was at his desk at intervals for a short time to-day. A representative of THE CRITIC called upon him. General Tyner was very busy and evidently had much outside matter to attend to. He left the Department several times and returned but for brief periods. He said in response to the inquiry as to whether the many published rumors that there was a standing personal difference between him and Postmaster-General James: "I don't wish to speak at all on any subject connected with myself or the Department at present. I have nothing to say. Whatever I will say will be made public at the proper time, and my statement will be furnished to the general press simultaneously—not individually to any journal."

COL. DUDLEY has, in the short time he has had charge of the Pension Bureau, righted many wrongs, the chief one being a relic of his predecessor, Mr. Bentley, who was in the habit of sending his pets all over the country under the guise of special agents for the purpose of ridding the pension rolls of fraudulent pensioners. These agents under Bentley's instructions, never gave the accused an opportunity of being heard either in person or by attorney. The first intimation that the ex-soldier had of the action of the Department would be a failure to get his pension money, but instead a notice that he had been dropped from the rolls, and it is said a majority of those thus dropped were Democrats. Col. Dudley has rescinded this mode of procedure, and now every person interested can be heard in person or by attorney.

Individuals may wear for a time the glory of our institutions, but they carry it not to the grave with them. Like raindrops from heaven, they may pass through the circle of the shining bow and add to its lustre, but when they have sunk in the earth again, the proud arch still spans the sky and shines gloriously on.—*James A. Garfield.*

Error in itself is always invisible; its nature is the absence of light.—*Jacobi.*

MORGAN CONFIRMED

AS SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

What was Done on the Hill To-day —A Democratic Know-Nothing— The Senate Proceedings — Chief Clerk Schober to Act as Secretary —Notes and Comments.

Like all Mondays it was rather dull at the Capitol this morning. Senators were late putting in an appearance, so much so that the Democratic caucus called for 9 o'clock did not get to work until eleven. After being in session for an hour the door was opened and another statesman was tackled by THE CRITIC man and asked if the caucus had done anything that could be imparted to about 15,000 readers of THE CRITIC this afternoon.

"No, sir, not a thing," was the answer.

"Is there any probability of an attempt being made to-day by the Democrats to elect a Secretary?"

"No, sir, I think not."

"Will the Senate do anything to-day?"

"I don't know."

"Well, Senator, can you tell me whether or not the Senate will go into Executive session?"

"I cannot."

"Will the Senate meet to-day at the usual hour, 12 o'clock m.?"

"Don't know; presume it will, however."

"Well, Senator, do you know that Judge David Davis, a Senator from Illinois, is President pro tem. of the Senate?"

"Well, I rather think I do."

After dispossessing himself of this wonderful store of valuable information THE CRITIC reporter permitted him to pass on. From another Senator, who was in the caucus it was learned that the probabilities were that the contest for Secretary would go by default, and if any move was made in the direction of a Secretary at all there would be a resolution offered to authorize the Chief Clerk to act.

Mysterious Whispering.

Despite the fact that certain Democratic Senators denied that they had transacted any business at their caucus this morning, it was noticeable that they knocked their heads together and did a deal of mysterious whispering on their side of the Chamber just before the Senate was called to order. There was a peculiar expression on the face of Senator Pendleton which suggested that he would have something to say shortly, though, perhaps, it was possible that he was pleased from some other cause.

The Report of the Treasury Investigating Committee,

in response to the Sherman resolution, was lying on the President's desk, and after the journal was read was opened by the clerk and the accompanying letter from the Secretary of the Treasury was read.

While the clerk was reading the document Major Pruden appeared with the anxiously anticipated white envelope, containing nominations, under his arm. The clerk suspended reading and all the Senators leaned forward eagerly, and when Capt. Bassett passed down the aisle with the packet for Judge Davis, Senator Allison caught him by the arm and said: "Here, give it to me." Capt. Bassett shook his head and proceeded to deliver his charge in the proper way. A knot of Senators surrounded the President's desk, and when the envelope was opened they were surprised to find only one nomination. That was,

Ex-Governor E. D. Morgan, of New York, to be Secretary of the Treasury.

The gentleman, so one of the New York Senators informed Judge Davis loud enough to be heard in the galleries, had telegraphed to President Arthur this morning announcing that he would accept the portfolio. Some of the Senators appeared a little puzzled that the name of ex-Senator Howe, to be Attorney-General, had not been sent in, but they recognized the right of the President to take his time in constructing his Cabinet, and they said nothing more about it.

After the reading of the letter Senator Edmunds, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back the resolution with reference to the mode of disbursements on account of the Senate, in consequence of the death of Secretary Burch. He said the present arrangement was at least doubtful. The committee had agreed to recommend that the Chief Clerk should perform the duties of Secretary for the time being. This was agreed to, and the Senate then, at 12:15 o'clock, went into Executive session.

Morgan Confirmed.

The Senate, at 2 p. m., confirmed the nomination of Mr. Morgan.

The History of Morgan's Selection.

From the most reliable inside sources THE CRITIC learns the true history of Gov. Morgan's selection for the head of the Treasury Department.

Upon Mr. Conkling's positive refusal to accept the Secretaryship, the President tendered the position to Mr. Morgan. He promptly followed Mr. Conkling in declining. He urged as a reason that his private interests were such as to make his appointment contrary to law, as it was in the case of A. T. Stewart. All this happened before the President went to Yorktown, his intention being to think the subject over and reach some decision before he got back. Before returning he had about made up his mind to promote Treasurer Gilfillan to the post of honor in recognition of his merits and integrity as a public officer and financier, with the understanding that he should resign on the 1st of the following January, leaving the President leisure in the meantime to work Mr. Conkling up to accepting the place. Mr. Gilfillan, in case this arrangement were carried out, would then retire gracefully with the prestige of an ex-Secretary of the Treasury, and enter the banking business in New York, which he has long wished to do, and where several offers await him.

The President, however, on his return from the Centennial, received, much to his surprise, a communication from Gov. Morgan, containing a request to allow him (Morgan) to reconsider his previous declination of the Cabinet place. This at once changed all the figures on the chess-board, and made pi out of the above outlined plan. The pressure brought to bear on Mr. Morgan in New York financial circles was so heavy that he felt compelled to abandon his private business and qualify himself under the law for accepting the post which he had first declined, and, under the circumstances, the President could not gracefully interpose any objections. For the past three days the President has been in constant communication with Gov. Morgan over the wires with the result already announced.

Mr. Oyster's Removal.

An official from the Government Printing Office, who visited the Senate to-day, stated that much feeling existed in that establishment over the summary dismissal of Mr. Oyster, foreman of the *Congressional Record*, simply to gratify the spite of the venerable old Defrees. He added that Oyster's friends proposed to lay the matter before the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress, and even if they would be a little late in obtaining satisfaction, it would come in due time, and old J. D. D. would reap the reward of his contemptible action tenfold. The official added that Oyster made no secret of his candidacy for securing Defrees' position, believing of course that the old hulk would have to go under the new Administration.

The Capitol Grounds.

Two Senators standing on the west terrace of the Capitol to-day, looking down upon the terrace-sloping lawns and unfinished walks, engaged in the following little conversation:

First S. "When are these muchly resurrected grounds to be completed, I wonder?"

Second S. "Give it up; I suppose, though, sometime after that Washington Monument up yonder is completed."

First S. "When will that be?"

Second S. "I don't know, Senator, but we must not look too closely at these little matters. The longer the work on these grounds last, the more employment there will be for troublesome constituents—don't you see?"

First S. (with a knowing wink.) "Oh, yes; I see."

Then they both laughed and climbed the stairs leading to the Senate Chamber.

Notes.

Supreme Court busy to-day.

Gov. Foster, of Ohio, visited the Senate to-day.

The Ohio men appeared in flocks to-day at the Capitol.

Congressman Tom Young leaves for Ohio to-night.

Many Senators believe that the extra session will conclude this week.

And now the quid nunc's say that David Davis is the dark horse for a Cabinet position.

Secretary Blaine has submitted to President Arthur a long list of nominees for consular appointments abroad.

Most of the Democratic Senators occupy cane-seat chairs in the Senate, while the Republicans cling to the old leather backs.

Southern Senators say that the selection of Gen. Longstreet for a Cabinet position will work wonders for President Arthur in their States.

Senator Cameron (of Wisconsin), chairman of the Committee on Claims, will probably appoint Mr. Joseph Cover clerk of his committee, vice Frank M. Eastman, nominated for United States district attorney for Montana.

There is a rumor to-day to the effect that ex-Gov. Boutwell, of Massachusetts, will be nominated for Judge of the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Clifford.

A Republican said this morning that no one need be surprised if the name of U. S. Grant should be sent to the Senate for a Cabinet position.

Mr. Pinchback, of Louisiana, was floating round to-day. Pinch. is always on hand when there is any chance for an office.

A Republican Senator said to THE CRITIC, in answer to the question as to who, in his opinion, would succeed Mr. Blaine, that he thought Frelinghuysen. "Will the appointment be made before the Senate adjourns?" "In my opinion, it will."

While it is true that there was but one nomination sent in to-day, it is equally true that the name of Bro. Ramsdell was not the person sent in. It is understood, however, that his will be in a day or two—into the waste-basket.

The Market Dealers.

Another meeting of the Centre Market dealers was held this morning, Mr. John R. Kelly in the chair, Mr. Wm. F. Hunt, secretary. Mr. T. D. Daily, from the committee on securing a site for the building of another market, stated that already $32,000 had been subscribed by the dealers, and his committee would have no trouble whatever in getting all the money desired.

Mr. Daily said he would guarantee that if it was found necessary to build a new market, one would be erected that would be a credit to the District and a benefit to the dealers. He wanted every man to come to the front and take some stock at once. This statement was greeted with loud applause.

The committee appointed at the last meeting to wait on the District Commissioners with reference to their troubles, reported that a hearing would be granted them at 2 o'clock to-morrow. Mr. Kelly, of the committee, said that Mr. George M. Oyster, who waited on the Commissioners last Friday made a magnificent fight in defense of the dealers, and he proposed that Mr. Oyster be sent for and requested to give his views on the subject. A committee was then appointed to wait on Mr. Oyster, but some returned and stated that that gentleman was too much engrossed in business at the time, but would be present at a future meeting and give his views.

Mr. Hoover offered a resolution that a committee be appointed to draw up resolutions which shall set forth the true issues between the Market Company and the dealers, which resolutions shall be reported to the next meeting and published for the benefit of the public. Mr. Hoover stated that he did not think the public were thoroughly conversant with all the facts in connection with their fight with the Market Company. The Chair then appointed Messrs. Hoover, Kengla, Varnell, Daily, George M. Oyster, Henry Miller and Theodore Barnes. The meeting then adjourned to meet again at 7 o'clock to-morrow night at Shea's Hall.

THE PRESIDENT to-day designated Assistant Secretary French to be acting Secretary of the Treasury until such time as the newly-appointed Secretary finds it convenient to take charge. Secretary Windom was at the Department to-day closing up the affairs of his administration. He considers that his term of office expired Saturday afternoon, and consequently will do nothing more of an official character. He will probably remain in the city until the regular session of Congress.

Mrs. Garfield has requested that five of the flags which decorated the inside of the pavilion wherein her dead husband lay at Cleveland should be given to her children. Of the remaining three, one is to be given to the elder and another to the younger Mrs. Garfield. The dais and the casket which first held the President's body are to be carefully preserved by the Western Reserve Historical Society.

From the genius of our Government, the pathway to honorable distinction lies open to all. No post of honor so high but the poorest boy may hope to reach it. It is the pride of every American that many cherished names, at whose mention our hearts beat with a quicker bound, were worn by the sons of poverty, who conquered obscurity and became fixed stars in our firmament.—*James A. Garfield.*

Second Edition.

4:00 P. M.

The Usual Missouri Murder.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., Oct. 24.—James B. Finney, a wealthy farmer, while sitting toying with a sick infant in his wife's lap, at the supper table in his own house, fifteen miles from town, was shot and instantly killed by some unknown enemy, who fired from the outside through the dining-room window. Eleven of the large buckshot used entered Finney's head from behind, the twelfth going through his wife's shoulder and producing a dangerous wound. Both fell to the floor, and the baby's head was so injured by the fall as to make it a lunatic should it live.

The New Version Crushingly Criticized.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The *Quarterly Review* crushingly criticizes the new version of the New Testament, charging that it is full of gross errors and that many emanations are purely conjectural. It is evidently written by an eminent scholar whose verdict is that the old version is the most accurate.

John Bull in a Good Humor.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The Yorktown celebration is much talked of and alluded to in a very friendly way. Nothing in many years so much gratified the English people as Arthur's speech and the salute to the British flags. It is almost impossible to exaggerate the feeling on the subject.

The Criterion Stakes.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—In race for the Criterion stakes, distance six furlongs, for two-year-olds, was run at New Market to-day, Bruce won, with Nellie second and St. Marguerite third.

The Flying Stakes.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—In the race for the Flying stakes, run at Newmarket to-day, Light Wing won, with Candahar second and Simnel third.

Current Rumors in Wall Street.

Special Dispatch to THE EVENING CRITIC.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The most of the representatives of the larger stock concerns in the street were generally talking bullish on the market yesterday, and a stronger upward movement was predicted to-day. It was claimed that the largely increased short interest of itself would tend to produce considerable improvement.

Many brokers say that numerous stocks in consequence of this are very irregularly delivered and they find it hard to get their securities in. It was claimed that some of the large local operators had grown weary of unsuccessful operations on the short side and they were also looking for a considerable rally this week.

The Lackawanna bulls predict prices in the thirties this week and declare the latter is the largest priced 7 per cent. stock on the list.

The old Jersey Central bull pool, headed by the Kemis people, recommenced operations on Saturday and bought 8,000 shares. Gould holds a large amount of Jersey.

The Pacific Mail pool is said to be very strong and a good advance is promised by the insiders. But at present the Park-Mills people are supplying the stock very liberally. Ninety was bid for Metropolitan Elevated on Saturday night. The large foreign bankers say that our favorable bank statement of last week is certain to be reflected in London this morning by a marked improvement in American securities, because great importance is just now attached to the condition of the New York money market. Mr. Keene tells his friends he is a bull for the remainder of the year.

An officer of one of the elevated roads says the Gould-Sage-Field pool in Manhattan have secured a hundred thousand shares out of the entire hundred and thirty thousand, Capital and Kneeland control the balance.

Sage says Saturday's conference settled every point of importance before adjournment, but it is understood from other sources that the Metropolitan people are not entirely satisfied with the proposed arrangement and it may not be ratified by the stock holders, who are not willing to yield claims against the New York Company for commissions, &c. While the directors of the various companies are generally in favor of retaining the price of low fares, a director of the Metropolitan Company said yesterday that they might decide to put them up to ten cents until they had earned enough to pay off the city taxes, but they would not be permanently advanced. Mr. Gould said that all suits would now be withdrawn and old claims canceled.

The Windsor Hotel bear party talk was very bearish on the situation yesterday, and the Smith-Park-Mills-Cammack quartet has been reinforced by D. O. Mills. The bears claim that both Vanderbilt and Gould are each selling the market while borrowing stocks for deliveries, and they predict a great decline as soon as they are unloaded. They further say that while call loans are cheap and plentiful, money is in demand at 6 per cent. on thirty-days' time loans, while sixty days commands a premium of a-quarter per cent.

This party also urges that the differences between the Trunk line managers are constantly multiplying, and there is no possibility of harmony again this year, and a cut on local passenger fares between the Erie & New York Central, in this State, is likely this week, owing to the row between Jewett and Vanderbilt in Ohio last week, and Chicago advices also report the Western Trunk Line Association in trouble over a division of the freight business, and the Grand Trunk began a fresh contest with the Michigan Central to-day in local fares.

The Chicago *Tribune* to-day says that the West freight tariff, just adopted by the railroad and warehouse commissioners of Illinois, is highly unsatisfactory to all the railroads running onto Chicago, and the managers say that if they are compelled to adopt the proposed rates they cannot pay running expenses. The Rock Island, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, St. Paul, Northwest and the Wabash have decided to fight the law to the Supreme Court, and will meet to-morrow to organize for litigation.

A Well Insured Negro.

Henry Stewart, a negro aged about 80 years, who at one time was insured for $125,000, died Saturday night in Harrisburg, Pa. Last summer Stewart came near dying, and the symptoms of his disease strongly indicated poisoning. His illness was due to drinking whisky adulterated with strychnine. Several of the persons who held policies on his life are said to have given liquor vendors orders to give him all the whisky he wanted and charge the amount to them. This is about all he received for allowing himself to be insured. The relatives of the old man will take steps to enjoin the companies in which he has been insured from paying to the men who hold policies on his life.

THE executive committee of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at Masonic Hall to-morrow.

PERSONAL.

COL. R. T. VAN HORNE, M. C., leaves for his home at Kansas City, Mo., to-night.

THE VENERABLE Dr. J. B. Blake is seriously ill, and, it is feared, he cannot recover.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE HITT has gone to Lafayette, Ind., to visit his family.

WILLIAM PETERS, Mrs. L. S. Barrett and Clarence Deringer, of this city, were registered in Baltimore yesterday.

GEN. THOMAS EWING, ex-member of Congress, is confined to his room at the Ebbitt. Mrs. Ewing is with him.

MR. R. T. MERRICK delivered a political speech at Ellicott City Saturday evening to the largest audience ever assembled there.

L. MCCARTY, of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, spent Sunday in the city. Mac is a splendid fellow and a live railroad man.

MR. CLIFF WARDEN, of the *National Republican*, a clever and enterprising journalist, who has been ill for several months, is out again.

MESSRS. GEO. S. BALLOCH, Robt. Ball, Thos. J. Galt and Wm. Rupp were accepted as talesmen in the Circuit Court to-day to fill vacancies.

GEN. GRANT left this morning for New York. Gen. Beale gave him a dinner at his residence last night, at which the President and a few other guests were present.

MAJ. JOHN W. DANIEL, the Democratic candidate for the governorship of Virginia, was at the Metropolitan Hotel in this city last night, looking well and certain of success.

DR. WILLIAM DOUGLAS, of King William, Va., but at present residing in Washington, leaves to-day on a stumping tour for the Readjusters. He will speak in Alexandria to-night.

LIEUT. FREDERICK SCHWATKA, the Arctic explorer, has been appointed on the staff of Brig.-Gen. Miles, commander of the Department of the Columbia, with headquarters at Vancouver.

IT IS SAID Jay Gould was here Saturday for the purpose of securing the appointment, if possible to do so, of a man for Supreme Judge to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Clifford. It is understood that he and Stanley Matthews both favor the same man.

CAPT. O. D. AUSTIN, editor and proprietor of the Bates County (Mo.) *Record*, is in the city. O. D. has just been appointed postmaster of Butler, the county seat of Bates County, and is a nephew of Senator Conger, for whom he is named. He publishes a live paper, and will make a good postmaster.

FINANCIAL.

To-day's Stock Quotations.

The following observations of the transactions in the financial market to-day, together with opening and closing quotations, are furnished by the banking house of H. D. Cooke, Jr., & Co., 1429 F street, Washington, D. C.:

NAME OF STOCK.	Open'g	Clos'g
American District	59	59
C. & O.	28	28
C. C. C. & I.	93½	94¼
Canada Southern	59½	60½
Chicago, Burlington and Q.	137	136¾
C. C. & I. C.	21	21
Chicago, St. Paul, M. & O.	41¾	41½
do. preferred	102	102½
Central Pacific	94½	94½
Chi., St. L. & N. O.	78	78
Del. Lackawanna & W.	127⅛	127¾
Delaware and Hudson	109⅝	110
Denver and Rio Grande	83½	85½
Erie	44¾	44½
Hannibal and St. Joe	96½	97
do. preferred	113¼	113
Houston and Texas	90½	92
Illinois Central	129½	130
Ind. B. & W.	44	44
Lake Shore	119	119½
Louisville and Nashville	94	93¾
Lake Erie and Western	46⅝	46⅝
Michigan Central	89½	89¼
Missouri Pacific	105	105½
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	40¾	40¼
Manhattan Elevated	52¾	54
New York Central	137½	137¾
Northwestern	124	124¼
do. preferred	132	135
New Jersey Central	95	96½
Nashville and Chattanooga	81	82½
Northern Pacific	38	38½
do. preferred	78⅜	78⅜
Ohio and Mississippi	40⅝	40½
Ontario and Western	33½	33¼
Pacific Mail	50½	50½
Rock Island	134¾	134¾
Reading	67½	67½
St. Paul	108½	108½
do. preferred	121	122
San Francisco	43	43
do. preferred	69	69
Union Pacific	119¾	119½
Western Union	86¼	86½
Wabash, St. L. and Pacific	48½	48½
do. preferred	88⅛	87¾
Col. Coal	50	50½
Manhattan Beach	21	21
Memphis & Ohio	37	37¾
Metropolitan Elevated	91	91
New York Elevated	109⅝	110½
Ohio Central	27¾	27½
P. D. & E.	41½	40½
Pa. R. R.	65¼	65½
Texas Pacific	52½	52¼
Adams Express	145	145
American Express	95	95
United States Express	72	72
W. F. Express	134	134

MINING STOCKS.

Arizona	1½	1¾
Cariboo	2¼	2¼
Deadwood		6½
Homestake	18	18
Little Pittsburg	2½	2½
Ont. Sil.	36	36
Quicksilver	12½	13½
do. preferred	58	59
Silver Cliff		
Standard	21	22¼
Stormont	2½	3
Sutro Tunnel	1¼	1½
United States 4 per cent. coupon	115	116½
United States 4 per cent. registered	116	116½
United States 4½ per cent. coupon	112⅞	113
United States 4½ per cent. registered	112⅞	113
United States 5 per cent., reg'd	101½	101½
United States currency sixes	130	[illegible]
United States sixes of 1881	100½	101
D. C. 3-65s	108	

Removal in the Government Printing Office.

Washington Correspondence New York Herald.

Mr. E. W. Oyster, foreman of the *Congressional Record* for the past four years, was yesterday removed by Public Printer Defrees. Mr. Oyster has had twelve years' practical experience in the different branches of the Government Printing Office, and those who are in a position to know say his management of the *Record* has been very satisfactory to members of Congress. He is a veteran of the war, having served in the Seventh Pennsylvania Cavalry; is president of the Roscoe Conkling Club of Boys in Blue and also of the Pennsylvania Republican Association. It is understood that Mr. Defrees will be removed in a few days, and, with this knowledge of his fate, he is now exercising his authority over subordinates who do not believe as he does regarding the Administration.

A Straight Answer Wanted.

Detroit Free Press.

One of the East-bound trains coming into Detroit the other day was heavily loaded, and a passenger who got on at Ypsilanti walked through two cars and finally halted at a seat occupied by a small man and a grab-bag and inquired:

"Is this seat occupied?"

"Of course this seat is occupied," was the reply.

"Are both halves of this seat occupied?" was the next query.

"Of cause both halves are occupied."

"Well, my friend," said the new arrival, as he let go of the satchel, "I want to bother you with one more query. Had you rather I would toss that grab-bag out of the window and sit down with you, or chuck you out and ride into Detroit with the grab-bag?"

The grab-bag man got mad at that and wouldn't ride anywhere else except on the wood box.