N. B. FALCONER'S

BARGAINS FOR MONDAY.

Seal Sacques, Novelty Silk Suits, Novelty Wool Suits, Ribbons, Silk Handkerchiefs, Marseilles Bed Spreads and Books.

London Dyed Alaska Seal Garments, Monday and All Next Week, We Make a Grand Special Display of all kinds of Seal Sacques, Wraps and Men's Fine Fur Overcoats and Robes.

ON MONDAY And All Next Week.

The largest and most complete line of best London-dyed Alaska Sealskin Garments, in all the latest and newest styles; also large line of Gents' Fine Fur Overcoats, and finest and handsomest line of fine Fur Robes ever shown in this city, and all at prices lower than ever offered by any other house in this city or the world. These furs are from the well known house of H. Liebes & Co., San Francisco, so well and so favorably known in this city. This display lasts but six days, October 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15. We ask all of our lady and gentlemen friends to come and see the display, as it is the largest of the kind that has ever been attempted in this city.

Silk Department.

One grand special bargain in our Silk department Monday.

AT $25 PER SUIT.

Only 25 Silk and Velvet Novelty Suits in this lot.

$25 EACH--WORTH $47.

Monday morning we will place on sale 25 all Silk and Velvet Novelty Suits that are worth from $47 to $55, all at one price, which is $25 each. This lot of Silk Suits is the first we have ever offered at special sale. They are remarkably cheap, and we expect to sell them all in one day. These suits come in all the best colors, and are very handsome, new and stylish. They are one of the best bargains ever offered by us at any sale.

Novelty Wool Combination Suits.

We have a lot of Novelty Combination Suits that we do not intend to carry in stock. We are determined to sell them and have made the price to do it. Our customers know when we do not want goods in stock that there will be some great bargains offered. This lot is no exception to others that we have sold before, only in this instance that they are cheaper and more desirable than any of the former lots sold.

It will pay any lady that has the slightest idea of getting a dress to examine this lot of Novelty Suits. To say that they are cheap only half expresses it. We guarantee to our customers that these Suits will never be sold any cheaper.

Novelty Combination Suits.

10 Novelty Combination Suits at $7.50; reduced from $19.50.

20 Novelty Wool Combination Suits at $10; reduced from $23.

40 Novelty Wool Combination Suits in plush and bead effects at $15; reduced from $37.50.

20 fine French Novelty Combination Suits at $19.50; reduced from $40.

38 fine French Combination Suits in plush effects at $25; reduced from $42.

VelveteenSuitings 25c

We have a few odd pieces and colors of velveteens, that we have been selling at 50c and 65c on Monday, the price will be 25c per yard.

Silk Handkerchiefs,

Monday we make a big sale of handkerchiefs, all new, desirable goods, at special prices. We call special attention to the line of gent's initial hemstitched China silk handkerchiefs at 68c, worth $1; and the 30 inch China silk hemstitched mufflers at $1.25, worth $2.

CHINA SILK HANDKERCH'FS

50 dozen mens' initial, hemstitched, China silk handkerchiefs, all letters at 68c, worth $1.

25 dozen colored China silk hemstitched handkerchiefs, a beautiful line of shades at 68c worth $1.

25 dozen China crepe hemstitched handkerchiefs, large size. all colors at $1.25; worth $1.75,

25 dozen Japanese silk hemstitched handkerchiefs in heliotrope, absinthe, pink, cardinal, black, cream and light blue. These are the finest quality of hankkerchiefs made and they are worth $1.75, on Monday the price is $1.25 each.

LADIES' CHINA SILK MUFFLERS.

20 dozen ladies' large size silk mufflers, in cardinal, blue, orange and cream at $1, worth $1.50.

50 dozen ladies' 30 inch white China silk mufflers at $1.25, worth $2.

RIBBONS, RIBBONS

Owing to the rain on Saturday which prevented our customers attending the ribbon sale, we will continue it on Monday.

Ribbon Day.

Standard Books, Household Editions.

We offer Monday our entire stock of satin and gros grain; gros grain with picot and crown edge. These ribbons come in every shade that is made and in widths 7, 9, 12 and 16.

These prices will only be for Monday, no goods exchanged that are bought at this sale.

No. 7., best quality of satin and gros grain ribbon in every shade at 12½c per yard, worth 17c.

No. 9 best quality of satin and gros grain ribbons, every shade that is made; also picot and crown edge gros grain ribbons, all shades at 17½c, wortn 25.

No. 12, best quality of satin and gros grain, all colors; also Crown and Picot edge gros grain ribbons at 22c; all colors worth 35c.

No. 16, best quality satin and gros grain ribbons; also Loop edge, Crown edge and Picot edge gros grain ribbons, all shades at 27½c, worth 50c.

BOOKS, BOOKS.

MONDAY SPECIAL PRICES IN STANDARD BOOKS.

SATURDAY, SATURDAY.

BEN HUR, CLOTH BOUND AT 90c.

THE FAIR GOD, CLOTH BOUND, at 90c.

GEORGE ELLIOTT. COMPLETE WORKS, 8 VOLS., CLOTH at $3.50. List price is $12.00.

GEORGE ELLIOT'S COMPLETE WORKS, 8 VOLS., CLOTH AT $3.50, list price is $12.00.

LONGFELLOW'S POEMS COMPLETE, ILLUSTRATED, handsomely bound, household edition at $1.35; regular price $2.50.

Shakespere—cloth, household edition, at 43c, worth 75c.

EMERSON'S ESSAYS, CLOTH-BOUND, at 38c, worth 75c.

Linen Department.

HEMSTITCHED LINENS.

We have received a large importation of fine Hemstitched Linen Sheets with Pillow Cases and Pillow Shams to match.

These are the finest goods that have ever been shown in Omaha. We will take great pleasure in showing them to our customers.

MARSEILLES BED SPREADS.

4 GRAND PRICES ON MARSEILLES BED SPREADS.

We have just received 6 cases of fine Marseilles Bed Spreads which we will sell at the following prices: $1.98, $2.19, $2.78 and $3.78--which is just half what these Spreads are worth. These Speads were bought by us under peculiar circumstances, and we give our customers full benefit of our bargain. We could sell these spreads in our regular trade a double what we will sell them at Monday; but we are going to sell them at ridiculous prices, and sell them with a rush. We do not expect to have any in the store Monday night. Remember, Monday.

MARSEILLES BED SPREADS, $1.98.

2 cases 11-4 fine Marseilles Bed Spreads at $1.98; worth just double.

MARSEILLES BED SPREADS. at $2.19.

2 cases 12-4 fine Marseilles bed spreads, a large assortment of patterns at $2.19, worth $4.50

MARSEILLES BED SPREADS at $2.78.

1 case 12-4 fine Marseilles bed spreads at $2.78, worth just double.

MARTEILLES BED SPREADS at $3,78.

1 case Marseilles bed spreads at $3.78, worth $7.50.

TURKISH BED SPREADS.

1 case 12-4 Turkish Bed spreads at $2.50, worth $5.

BEST EDITIONS OF CAXTON, 12 mo.

125 Different Volumes.

Handsomely bound in cloth, black and gold.

At 26c Per Volume.

That Beautiful Wretch, Three Feathers, Tom Brown at Oxford, Tom Cringle's Log, Tour of the world in 80 Days, 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, Two on a Tower, To the Bitter End, Unper Two Flags, Vanity Fair, Waverly, Wanda, Willy Reiley, Woman's Temptation, Young Foresters, Nolande,

Adam Bede.
Adventures Among the Indians.
Admiral's Ward.
Æsop's Fables.
Airy Fairy Lillian.
All in a Garden Fair.
Andersen's Fairy Tales.
Arabian Night's Entertainment.
Arundel Motto.
Belinda.
Beyond Pardon.
Called Back and Dark Days.
Cardinal Sin. (A).
Cast Up By the Sea.
Charles O'Malley.
Christmas Stories.
Children of the Abbey.
Complete Letter Writer.
Cruise of the Black Prince.
Daughter of Heth (A.)
Deep Down.
Deerslayer.
Dickens' Child's History of England.
Dickens' Shorter Stories.
Dickens' Story Teller.
Doris.
Don Quixote.
Dora Thorne.
Eight Years' Wanderings in Ceylon.
Erling, the Bold.
Ethan Brand.
Felix Holt.
Fern Leaves.
Fire Brigade.
Five Years Before the Mast.
File 113.
For Lilias.
Guy Rivers.
Guy Mannering.
Green Pastures and Piccadilly.
Grimm's Popular Tales.
Gulliver's Travels and Baron Munchausen
Half Hours with Great Authors.
Half Hours with Great Novelists.
Half Hours with Great Story tiers.
Harry Lorrequer.
Her Mother's Sin.
Hunting in the Great West.
Imitation of Christ.
Ione Stewart.
Ishmaelite.
Ivanhoe.
Ladies' Etiquette.
Ladies' Family Physician.
Last Days of Pompeii.
Ladies Lindores.
Lady Audley's Secret.
Last of the Mohicans.
Madcap Violet.
Mark Seaworth.
Macleod of Dare.
Margaret and Her Bridesmaids.
Maid of Athens.
Midshipman.
Mill on the Floss.
Molly Bawn.
Mrs. Geoffrey.
Mysterious Island.
Old Myddleton's Money.
Oliver Twist.
Our Mutual Friend.
Outre Mer.
Partisan (The).
Peter, The Whaler.
Phantom Fortue.
Phyllis.
Pilgrim's Progress.
Pilot.
Red Eric.
Rifle and Hound in Ceylon.
Robinson Crusoe.
Romola.
Round the World.
Rob Roy.
Rory O'More.
Salt Water.
Sartor Resartus.
Scotish Chiefs.
Scout (The).
Shadows and Sunbeams.
Shandon Bells.
Sketch Book.
Spy.
Stoddard's Readings and Recitations.
Strange Adventures of a Phaeton.
Sunrise.
Swiss Family Robinson.
Thaddeus of Warsaw.

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SPEECHES WITHOUT EXPENSE

The President's Oratory Said to Be Printed At the Government Office.

DENIAL BY PRINTER BENEDICT.

A Rumor That Frank Hatton Will Edit a New York Newspaper In the Interest of John Sherman.

Can This Be True?

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—It has been charged with a great deal of particularity that the president had the speeches which he delivered in Indiana printed at the Government printing office before he started on his trip. When this charge was brought to the attention of the public printer that official made a qualified denial, in which he stated that he had never printed anything at the government printing office which had not been previously authorized by congress. To emphasize this denial he asserted that he was careful in this respect; that he did not even set up his report last winter until it had been ordered printed by congress, and asserted that he never prints anything which is not previously authorized by the only body which has power to order work done in his office. If anything further were needed to show that the public printer had told an untruth it is found in this latter portion of his statement. He printed the president's message last winter before it had been ordered by congress, in fact before congress met. Then, too, he printed 200 copies of each of the president's veto messages before they were sent to congress and they have not only never been authorized yet, but they were not charged to any appropriation. It is a remarkable fact, too, that in spite of the denials of the public printer that the president's speeches were printed in his office, there are in existence in this city copies of not only those which he has already delivered, but of those which are still to be rattled off. These are in the possession of one of the printers at the government printing office, who says that there is a remarkable similarity between these which were aimed at the heads of the people of Indianapolis and Terre Haute, and that which is still to be delivered in Montgomery, Ala. It is of course possible that this speech will not be delivered now that so much has been said about the cyclopedia. Nevertheless, it is in existence, and it might be produced turned into print at the government printing office if it should be needed for any good purpose. It may be interesting to compare this original proof with the speech which the president will deliver in Montgomery after the chief magistrate visits that thriving town.

A New York Organ For Sherman.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—Senator John Sherman, of Ohio, is going to have a New York organ. Its editor is to be ex-Postmaster General Frank Hatton, late of the Chicago Mail. The arrangements looking to this end were made, it is said, during Mr. Hatton's recent conference with Senator Sherman at the latter's home in Mansfield, O. Senator Sherman is to furnish the money to either purchase the paper outright or to obtain a controlling interest. It has been Mr. Hatton's desire for several years to secure the management of the Mail and Express, but Senator Sherman's friends say if this property cannot be obtained an effort will be made to purchase one of the morning papers. Failing in this a new paper will be started. The object will be to boom Senator Sherman for the presidency.

Postal Changes.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—Adam Fisher was to-day appointed postmaster at Ramsay, Kossuth county, Iowa, vice Charles H. Peet, removed.

Star schedule changes in Iowa—West Union to Waucoma: Leave West Union daily, except Sundays, at 7 a. m.; arrive at Waucoma by 12 m. Leave Waucoma daily, except Sundays, at 1 p. m.; arrive at West Union at 6 p. m.

Fairfield to Salem: Leave Fairfield Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 2 p. m.; arrive at Salem Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays by 11 a. m. Leave Salem Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 2 p. m.; arrive at Fairfield Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays by 11 a. m.

In Nebraska—Culbertson to Wauneta: Leave Estell Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 3:15 p. m.; arrive at Wauneta at 6:15 p. m. Leave Wauneta Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m.; arrive at Estell by 10 a. m.

Fullerton to Glenwood: Leave Fullerton Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m.; arrive at Glenwood by 11:50 a. m. Leave Glenwood Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 12:30 p. m.; arrive at Fullerton by 5 p. m.

Star service changes in Iowa—Sioux City to Correctionville: Curtail service, October 24, 1887, to begin at Moville and omit Sioux City, decreasing distance twenty miles. Moorhead to Soldier: Modify order of June 6, 1887, by making the distance decreased six instead of eight miles.

German Carp.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special to the BEE.]—Ten years ago there was scarcely a single specimen of the German carp in the waters of the United States. In Germany, France, England, Austria and other European countries this fish has been a common article of food for years. About ten or twelve years ago Prof. Baird, of the United States fish commission, determined to try to introduce the fish into this country. He invited Dr. R. Hessel, who had been connected with the German fish commission for many years, to come to this country to take charge of the United States propagating ponds and to try to introduce the different species of carp into the waters of the United States. From that time on the number of carp has constantly increased, until to-day they are found in nearly every state in the union.

The United States carp ponds are located about a quarter of a mile to the southwest of the grounds surrounding the executive mansion. They cover in all about thirty-five acres of land, and are kept in admirable condition. Just at this time Dr. Hessel is preparing to make the annual shipments, and for this purpose the larger ponds have been drained off and the fish collected into long trenches, from which they can be readily gathered into buckets. They are carried from the pond to the shipping room of the fish commission, and from there they are transported to the different sections of the country. There will be shipped during the present month some where about three hundred thousand of these fish to various sections of the country. Maryland was the first state supplied, and the results were so satisfactory that Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina and other states soon sent in applications for supplies of the fish.

Dr. Hessel is always at the ponds ready to give information to visitors, and as he is thoroughly versed in piscaculture, his talks upon fishy subjects are always entertaining. When your correspondent called upon him to-day the doctor was found nursing a broken wrist which he had secured while trying to jump from a car a day or two ago. He was ready to talk about his pets, however, and proceeded to give the required information. "It is wrong to call these fish all German carp," said the doctor. "They are found in all parts of Europe, and are as much French, or Austrian, as German. We have three species here, namely, the leather carp, which is entirely devoid of scales, the mirror carp, which has a few scales resembling small mirrors upon its sides and the scale carp, which is covered all over with scales. They all belong to the same family and are all excellent food fish. They are not noted for their gamey qualities and afford little sport to the angler who fishes for the pure love of the sport. But for the farmer and the workman who bait their lines for the food which will result, they are excellent fish and will repay the small outlay necessary to prepare a place for the fish, which will be sent by the fish commissioner upon application."

"How many thousands of the fish do you distribute each year, doctor."

"From 300,000 to 400,000 at present. We distribute them at four months old, and by this time they are from three to five inches long."

"At what age are they ready for the frying-pan?"

"We have had them weigh three pounds a one year of age, but it usually requires about two years to bring them to marketable size, under ordinary conditions. They grow to a very large size. It is not uncommon to find them weighing twenty, or even twenty-five pounds and we have some in these ponds which will weigh thirty pounds."

"Have the carp given general satisfaction in this country?"

"Generally, yes. They are rather coarse fish, and they will feed on anything. Where they are raised in running streams or in clean water ponds they are very nice. If they are turned into mud-holes they will have a rather strong flavor if eaten directly from those mud-holes. In nearly every instance when complaints have been received that the fish were not of a good flavor investigation has shown that they have been raised in peet ponds. If the fish are removed from these peet ponds a fresh water bath for a day or two before they are cooked all this unpleasant taste will disappear. Those who keep carp in peet ponds should bear this in mind."

"Upon what do you feed the fish in these ponds?"

"Principally upon a paste made of four parts corn meal and one part flour. This is cooked and thrown to them every day. In the fall we feed a great many pumpkins. They are very fond of these articles and in fact they will thrive upon any kind of vegetable matter. Here are some other fish closely related to the carp family," tontinued Dr. Hessell, taking his caller to a pond in which were some beautiful fish about fourteen long, and of a rich gold color. "They are golden Tench, or 'Schleie,' as they are called in Germany, and are excellent food fish. Those others which look so much like them are golden ide, from the River Danube. They look like the common gold fish seen in aquariums, but they are of a different family entirely. You will notice that the common gold fish seems to delight in stiring up the mud from the bottom of the water, but the golden ide likes to have the water in which he swims as clear as possible, and he never makes any commotion. The tench or schelie has not been very extensively introduced into this country as yet, but if any one wants to try to raise them they will be supplied."

Military Matters.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—Captain John P. Rogers, military store-keeper, has been appointed inspector of certain quartermaster stores in this city for which Major F. Tucker, paymaster, is responsible.

First Lieutenant R. P. Brown, Eleventh infantry, has been granted twenty days' leave.

Getting Ready for the Cake Walk.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special to the BEE.]—On Tuesday next the colored population of Wasehngton will turn out en masse to a very recherche affair which annually draws an enormous crowd. This affair is the yearly cake walk and this year it is to come off in the old skating rink on E street. Mr. George Poindexter has captured the cake on several occasions. He will try hard to carry off the prize this year. Mr. Poindexter, who is as black as the ace of spades, is from an old Virginia family and delights to put F. F. V. on his cards when he calls upon the ladies of the same shade of color as himself. Two years ago this gentleman was inveigled into a mesalliance with a young lady who occupied a position as nurse girl at $4 a week. Cake walking social circles have recently been startled to their center over the report that Mr. and Mrs. Poindexter had fallen out and that they no longer traveled together. Mr. Poindexter himself occupies an exalted position. He is daily perched on the high seat of a beer wagon as he makes his rounds among the saloons. He was seen this evening from the direction of D street with a big package under his arm. He is well known to the newspaper men, as he was formerly a messenger on "the row." As he extended an invitation to your correspondent to "come down to de walk," he explained that he had just been down to Mr. Eisenberger's where he had secured an elegant claw hammer coat, only slightly worn around the elbows. He stated further that he had engaged the finest colored lady in Washington to aid him in capturing that cake, and that he did not propose to allow "no swell nigger to walk away from him."

Mr. Poindexter, however, will not have a walk over this year as among the recent acquisitions to high toned colored society in Washington, Augustus De Wolf Brooks, of Anne Arundel, Maryland, has just been engaged at a big salary by one of the prominent hotels as bell boy. Mr. Brooks has the reputation of having captured every cake that has been offerred in the "walk" in Annapolis and vicinity for the last ten years. Mr. Brooks will give Mr. Poindexter a severe tussell for the prize this year and besides the two prominent society leaders there are at least twenty others who propose to take that cake if graceful walking will do it.

The Fidelity's Finances.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The comptroller of the currency has received from David Armstrong, the receiver of the Fidelity national bank of Cincinnati, full schedules of the assets at the date of the failure June 21, 1887. The schedules place the nominal value of assets as upwards of $5,800,000, of which more than half are classed as worthless or doubtful. The apparently valid claims upon the bank filed but not yet proved, are about $3,800,000, while there are amounts in deposit aggregating $1,500,000. Subscriptions to the increase of the capital stock amount to $1,163,000, but less than half this amount was paid in money, and even if what was so paid should finally be adjudged to constitute the liability of the receivership, it will be nearly all offset by assessments on the original stock. The liabilities to depositors are about $800,000, of which a little over $66,000 appears to be held locally. Banks and bankers appear as creditors for more than $3,000,000, but some changes may be made in these figures. On account of the doubtful value of assets, and large claims in dispute, it is impossible at the present time to make an estimate of what dividends may be paid ultimately. The cash on hand and the amount of assets undoubtedly good, warrant a present dividend of 25 per cent, and the receiver has been instructed to prepare checks and schedules at once.

British India's Wheat Production.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The report of Consul General Bonham, at Calcutta, British India, treats at length of the wheat interests of that country during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1886. The area devoted to wheat was about twenty-seven million five hundred thousand acres, and the total yield 289,000,000 bushels. As compared with the wheat of the Pacific coast Indian wheat is inferior, but when exported to Europe it is mixed and ground with wheat of superior quality, by which process a fair rank marketable grade of flour is obtained. The method of cultivating the soil is in the main the same as it was centuries ago, and there seems to be great difficulty in inducing the farmers to invest in modern agricultural implements, and yet, with all the simple and premative methods, Indian farmers can, in the opinion of the consul general, successfully compete with those of the United States in the production of wheat by reason of extremely cheap labor, etc. Exports of wheat from British India have increased from 380,000 cwt in 1868 to 21,000,000 cwt in 1886 and the increase of 1886 over 1885 amounts to about 5,000,000 cwt. Furthermore, wheat-growing in India is yet in its infancy and its further development depends principally upon the means of transportation to the seaboard.

Nebraska and Iowa Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram o the BEE.]—The following Nebraska pensions were granted to-day: David Thompson, Davenport; John Ryan, Belvidere. Reissue and increase, Sharp Hogarty, Raymond.

Iowa: E. M. Ross, Toledo; William B. Hawkins, Montezuma; Robert Piley, Marion; Joseph P. Norris, Dolphos; Leander T. Orn, Bloomfield; William A. Woodford, Nillsia, William H. Conrad, Batley; Allison Bryan, Montezuma. Increase, Stephen Cleveland, Red Oak; John A. Smith, Fort Madison; Jesse E. Skinner, Ottumwa; Hugh H. Neely, Mapleton; Abraham Wood, Exline; Mike Walkey, Prairieburg; Samuel C. Benjamin, Osceola; Thomas Mannell, Burlington; Ferdinand Dauber, Bonaparte; Benjamin O'Hanger, Des Moines; Horatio D. Parsons, Spencer; Joseph H. Carlo, Vinton; Isaac H. Riggs, Ottumwa. Reissue: George H. Ferris, Norwich.

Resigned a Clerkship.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—Edward J. Young, of Nebraska, has resigned a clerkship at $1,200 in the surgeon general's office.

WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW.

The Demand For Money Quite Active From All Sources.

THE LOAN MARKET VERY FIRM.

Rates of Interest Still Continue to Be Well Maintained—Hog Packing in the West Progressing Favorably.

In Commercial Circles.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—The demand for money continues quite active from all sources and bankers are able to place their available funds readily and at good rates of interest. The feeling is very firm in the loan market and the impression prevails that the money market will gradually work closer within the next sixty days or when the packers seek financial assistance to take care of hogs during the winter packing season. The close of lake navigation, too, will no doubt enlarge the stocks of grain here, consequently more funds will be required in that branch of the produce trade. The demand from speculators for loans was fair and parties who were able to present undoubted collaterals were successful in obtaining all the favors requested. Considerable money was forwarded to the interior, but scattered rather widely throughout the west and northwest. Lumber dealers were borrowing rather sparingly. Manufacturers were presenting some paper for discount, but generally for small amounts on short dates. The wholesale merchants are somewhat pressing in their demands, but they are generally accommodated on the strength of their active fall trade. Collections are only fair. Country merchants are a little slow in liquidating their bills. The financial outlook on this market is not regarded as discouraging to active business during the balance of the fall and winter, and while the money market may show a little stringency at times, bankers will be inclined to accept less outside paper than usual and concentrate their favors among local customers and borrowers. Rates of interests are well maintained at 6@7 per cent on call and 6½@8 per cent on time loans. Very little paper is accepted under 7 per cent. On the street there is considerable miscelaneous and outside paper offered, which commands still higher rates of interest. In eastern financial centers considerable stringency prevails and borrowers are compelled to pay 6@8 per cent. Foreign markets, too, exhibit considerable steadiness, with interest rates favoring bankers. New York exchange was in moderate supply and better demand. The market ruled stronger and rates were advanced. Sales were made between banks at 25@70 cents discount per $1,000, and the market closed steady, at 25@30 cents discount. Foreign exchange was rather quiet. Offerings were fair early in the week and prices favored buyers. Later the market was steadier and prices improved slightly. Shippers' sixty-day documentary bills on London changed hands at $4.78@4.78½, and closed steady at $4.78½@4.78¾. The New York stock market has exhibited considerable activity during the past week, and prices for most of the leading properties ruled with considerable irregularity within a small range. Railroad stocks attracted considerable attention, with Reading, St. Paul, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, New York & New England and Northwestern meeting with the most favor. Wall street operators traded with considerable freedom and outside operators gave a little more attention to the market, particularly for specialities. Foreign speculators traded moderately. On the whole, the range of prices has, with few exceptions, favored the buying interest. The earnings of the leading railroads are lighter than for some time past, which is regarded as an element of weakness in view of the rather unfavorable outcome of some of the leading crops. Sales on the New York stock exchange for the week aggregated 1,832,000 shares. The following were some of the principal stocks dealt in and the number of shares of each disposed of up to Saturday morning: Canada Southern, 10,820; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 111,299; Northwestern, 70,731; Reading, 435,020; St. Paul, 313,297; Omaha, 7,425; Union Pacific, 17,670; Western Union, 302,184. With the occurrence of a holiday on the occasion of the visit of the president, there has been a slight check in business in a general way. Speculators are not inclined to do much business during the holiday season and receivers and shippers at the same time are somewhat guarded in their operations. However, there has been fair business transacted in all branches of the produce trade. Deliveries on October contracts were comparatively light, excepting of wheat, and of that article only moderate. Foreign markets have exhibited a little more strength for most articles and seaboard markets have shown more steadiness. The firmness in freights, however, especially to foreign markets, has interfered with business to some extent. A fair number of orders were received from consuming markets, but in many cases they were limited to figures below the views of sellers. The receipts of produce have been moderately free and shipments quite liberal, especially of grain, lard and meats. Prices have ruled with some irregularity, but fluctuations were confined within a narrow range and rather inclined in favor of the buying interest. Attention is given largely to London deliveries, both in grain and provisions. Stocks of grain are not enlarging to any greater extent than usual at this season of the year, and the surplus of provisions shows only a fair reduction, as arrivals of cattle and hogs have been sufficiently large to materially increase the manufacture. The export movement in grain and provisions is well maintained, but it is supposed to be largely on rates of freights contracted for before the recent advance. Receipts of grain and live stock at interior points have been moderately free, though complaints of lack of cars prevail in some sections. Packing of hogs in the west is progressing favorably, though business at present is more concentrated at the leading points. The aggregate returns show a further reduction in the number as compared with last season, but the quality is somewhat improved, so that the aggregate production will vary little from that of last season.

SPORTING NEWS.

National League Games.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 8.—The game between the Pittsburg and Chicago teams to-day resulted as follows:

Pittsburg	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	1	0—7
Chicago	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	4—7

Game called on account of darkness.

Pitchers—Morris and Baldwin. Base hits—Pittsburg 15, Chicago 14. Errors—Pittsburg 3, Chicago 2. Umpire—Daniels.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The game between the Philadelphia and New York teams to-day resulted as follows:

New York	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	—3
Philadelphia	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—6

Game called on account of darkness.

Pitchers—Weidman and Ferguson. Base hits—New York 11, Philadelphia 9. Errors—New York 5, Philadelphia 2. Umpire—Powers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The game between the Washington and Boston teams to-day resulted as follows:

Washington	5	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	—9
Boston	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	—4

Pitchers—Whitney and Radbourne. Base hits—Washington 14, Boston 10. Errors—Washington 2, Boston 2. Umpire—Doescher.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 8.—The game between the Indianapolis and Detroit teams to-day resulted as follows:

Indianapolis	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	7	—11
Detroit	0	2	1	0	1	1	3	1	—9

Game called on account of darkness.

Pitchers—Shreve and Conway. Base hits—Indianapolis 11, Detroit 16. Errors—Indianapolis 6, Detroit 7. Umpire—Valentine.

American Association.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—The game between the Athletic and Brooklyn teams today resulted as follows:

Athletics	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0—5
Brooklyn	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—5

Game called on account of darkness.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 8.—The game between the Metropolitan and Baltimore teams to-day resulted as follows:

Metropolitan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Baltimore	0	0	6	0	2	1	1	0	—10

Game called on account of darkness.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 8.—The game between the St. Louis and Cleveland teams to-day resulted as follows:

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2
Cleveland	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 8.—The game between the Louisville and Cincinnati teams to-day resulted as follows:

Louisville	1	1	5	0	0	0	1	4	—11
Cincinnati	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	—6

Races at Latonia.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 8.—The weather at Latonia was fine and the track good.

One mile: Malaria won, Leman second, John Morris third. Time—1:44¾.

Seven furlongs: Estralla won, Glen Hall second, Catalpa third. Time—1:29½.

Five furlongs: Biggoyet won, Helen Brooks second, Orange Girl third. Time—1:30½.

Six furlongs: Duhme won, Jim Douglas second, Evangeline third. Time—1:17¼.

Mile: Mary won, Valuable second, Clarion third. Time—1:43¾.

The Jerome Park Meeting.

JEROME PARK, Oct. 8.—Seven furlongs: Grenadier won, Mamie Hunt second, Colian third. Time—1:31¼.

Five furlongs: Leo H. won, Belinda second, Speedwell third. Time—1:02.

Mile and furlong: Kingston won, Laggard second, Diadem third. Time—1:57¾.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Richmond won, Lelix second, Harved third. Time—2:05¼.

Mile and sixteenth: Choctaw won, Phil Lee second, Maggie Mitchell third. Time—1:52¾.

Steeple chase, full course: Jim McGowan won, Little Fellow second, Sam Emery third. Time—4:16.

Last Day of St. Louis Races.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 8.—The fair association's trotting races closed to-day.

2:35 class trot, purse $1,000, divided: Billy G first, Little Thora second, Daisy Wilkes third, others distanced. Best time—2:21¼.

Gasconade stakes, $600, for three-year-olds, foals of 1884, $600 added: Susie S won, Hourie second, Ben Hur third, Brown fourth. Best time—2:20.

In the third heat distance was waived and Susie S was sent to beat the three-year-old record of 2:19¾ by Patron. The finish in this heat was very exciting.

Courtney at His Old Tricks.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The second race between Courtney and Bubear took place on the Susquehanna at Owego to-day for a purse of $1,000. The Englishman beat Courtney, leading him the entire three miles and coming home about three boat lengths ahead. The race was regarded by the spectators as a hippodrome. The time was given as 19:55.

Won the Fight On a Foul.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—Charles McCarthy and James Connors fought a vicious sixteen-round battle to-night near this city, with skin gloves. Connor was awarded the fight on a foul. Both men were severely punished.

Steamship Arrivals.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—Arrived—The Etruria, from Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 8.—Arrived—The Iowa, from Boston.

SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 8.—Arrived—The Edam, from New York, for Amsterdam.

PLYMOUTH, Oct. 8.—Arrived—The Westerland, from New York, for Antwerp.

HAVRE, Oct. 8.—Arrived—The Gascoghne, from New York.

PLYMOUTH, Oct. 8.—Arrived—The Wieland, from New York for Hamburg.

Death of K. Fritter.

Yesterday Mr. K. Fritter, a prominent Odd Fellow, died in this city. He came here a short time ago with his family from Columbus, O., and intended to enter upon the practice of law, which was his profession. The deceased was fifty-five years of age and is spoken of by those who knew him as a worthy citizen. He will be buried to-day with the honors of the order to which he belonged.

THE CULTURED audience which assembled Tuesday night at Lyon & Healy's piano warerooms could not but prove an inspiration to the musical themes rendered by Mrs. Muentefering. As a pianiste Mrs. Muentefering possesses wonderful technique and skill in manipulation. The programme was well rendered and the lovers of excellent music are indebted to this lady for a most pleasant and agreeable evening.