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jy7-1p1w

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DRS. BREWER & SOUTHWORTH,

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A Chance to Obtain Much for Little Money!

Another instance where purchasers are benefited by our method of giving them the full advantage of all bargains!

WE RECENTLY CLOSED OUT A VERY LARGE JOB LOT OF

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ALMOST AT OUR OWN FIGURES,

And, as usual, our patrons shall reap the full benefit.

WE HAVE PLACED ON OUR

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The Largest, Handsomest

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—AND—

INSERTIONS

In all widths and patterns, ever offered by us.

These goods will be sold in 1 1-2, 2 and 2 1-2 yard lengths. Each measurement will be kept entirely separate from the others, and will be marked at so much for a length.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.

GENERAL POLITICAL GOSSIP.

Grant's Opinion of Hancock and the Party which Nominated Him.

HARVEST PROSPECTS IN THE NORTHWEST

Disastrous Conflagration in a Pennsylvania Town.

PASSENGERS COMING WEST BY RAIL.

Eleventh Day of Dr. Tanner's Fasting Experiment.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF FOREIGN NEWS.

Apprehensions Revived in Regard to Tranquility in Ireland.

Etc.....Etc.....Etc.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

The Political Situation in Virginia.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: Stilson Hutchins has ceased to boast and begun to plead. This morning in the *Post* he wails over Virginia as follows: The Readjusters' party of Virginia met in Convention at Richmond yesterday, and earnestly indorsed the Democratic ticket, but nominated a full and distinct set of Presidential Electors to be voted for next November. This means, in effect, that the regular Democrats of the State will vote for one Hancock electoral ticket, the Readjusters for another Hancock electoral ticket, the Republicans for one Garfield electoral ticket—leaving the latter to carry the State and Garfield to secure its electoral vote. There is a large Democratic majority in Virginia, but it cannot be divided and remain a majority. If the contending factions of the Democracy—the Conservatives and the Readjusters—insist upon running separate Hancock tickets, Garfield will carry the State and eleven electoral votes. A remedy for this threatened evil must be found at once.

Hancock's Major-Generalship.

WASHINGTON, July 8th.—In regard to the report sent out from here that army officers in Washington believe and have information that General Hancock will resign his Major-Generalship in the army, it can be stated that no officers here have any such information, and further, they do not believe that he will resign. There is no reason why he should. The precedents are all the other way. While the War Department has heard nothing from General Hancock, it is believed there that he will not resign from the army unless he is elected to the Presidency.

General Grant and Hancock.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The *Advance* of this city publishes the following in its issue of this day: As regards the reports of General Grant's feelings and relations towards General Hancock, General Grant denies promptly the report in the *Truth*. The following, addressed to the *Advance*, is interesting, as confirmatory of that denial, and as alike contradictory of the report that General Grant had cherished personal animosity and petty spite against General Hancock since the Mexican war:

You have probably seen that I denied the canard started by the New York *Truth* the very day it was started. I have nothing to say against General Hancock. I have known him for forty years. His personal, official and military record is good. The record of the party which has put him in nomination is bad. Yours truly, U. S. GRANT.

Jere Black Says He Didn't Write Hancock's Letters.

NEW YORK, July 8th.—The *World* publishes the following cable dispatch:

LONDON, July 7, 1880.

To the Editor of the *World*, New York: I am not the author of Hancock's letters or orders concerning Louisiana. I knew nothing of them until they were printed. J. S. BLACK.

The Campaign in Indiana.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—It is the evident purpose of the Indiana Republicans to conduct the campaign largely on the partisan and unheard-of decision of the Supreme Court of that State on the constitutional amendments. The decision itself furnishes the basis for a vigorous campaign, in which the utter disregard of law and common honesty of the Democratic Justices will appear.

Nominated for Congress.

MILWAUKEE (Wis.), July 8th.—The Republicans of the Seventh District have renominated H. L. Humphrey for Congress.

SIOUX CITY (Ia.), July 8th.—Hon. C. C. Carpenter was renominated by the Republicans of the Ninth Congressional District today.

Irish National Republican Convention.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.), July 8th.—The Irish National Republican Convention will be held in this city on the 14th inst., as previously announced. The report of a postponement was without authority from the committee.

St. Paul's Population—Congressional Nomination—Criminal Liability—Two Children Burned to Death.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), July 8th.—The census gives the population of this city at 41,619, an increase of 108 per cent. in ten years.

The Republicans of the Second Congressional District have nominated Horace B. Strait.

The Coroner's jury find Halstead, the owner of the boat which exploded her boiler with fatal effect, criminally liable.

Two children of a man named Tunrose were burned in his house near Franconia today.

Western-bound Passengers.

OMAHA, July 8th.—The following passengers were on to-day's train, leaving at 12:15 P. M., to arrive in Sacramento July 12th: Laura M. Adams, Oregon; H. Floyd Hewitt, J. O. Rountree, L. H. Sweeney, Mrs. H. C. Gashwiler, San Francisco; J. Bank McElvain, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. Wm. B. Hyde, Brooklyn; C. H. Maddox, San Jose; L. Z. O'Brien, Fourth Artillery, and four recruits for Winnemucca.

Forty-nine through emigrants left on last night's emigrant train, to arrive in Sacramento July 15th.

A Disastrous Fire.

TYRONE (Pa.), July 8th.—A fire this morning destroyed about thirty buildings, including the banks, the Opera House and Post-office. The loss is estimated at $150,000; insurance, $31,000.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

TYRONE, July 8th.—The fire originated in Wooden's livery stable, where nine valuable horses were burned, and spread rapidly until sixteen buildings were destroyed. Very little of their contents were saved. Among them were two banks, the *Herald and Democrat* printing office, two jewelry stores, two stationery stores, the Postoffice, two dry goods establishments and several other business and dwelling houses. The upper story of the City Hotel, corner of May and Juniata streets, was burned. Two fire companies from Altoona and one from Huntington assisted. Insurance, from $60,000 to $75,000.

Crops in the Northwest.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The *Times* has crop reports from the Northwest which are very conflicting. Some sections report wheat never better, while other and neighboring ones say it is almost a failure. It summarizes in the following headings: Encouraging reports from the harvest fields of the great Northwest; the indications being that the wheat crop will be better than the average yield; some of the fall-sown grain was winter-killed or materially damaged by rain; the lake-shore belt in Wisconsin affected slightly by rust and bugs; large increase of acreage in the country along the Northern Pacific Railroad, prospects excellent for a yield largely in excess of any previous year; Minnesota farmers smiling at the promise of full granaries and fair prices; less complaint than usual at harvest time from the agricultural districts; the outlook for corn and oats is reported as excellent, but many things are likely to intervene to make it less favorable; heavy rains this morning and last night, and a threatening sky, are causing much anxiety among the bears on 'Change to-day, as fair weather for two or three weeks is indispensable for the successful completion of the harvests; the ground is pretty wet already, and will not bear much more rain.

The Philadelphia Boat Races.

PHILADELPHIA, July 8th.—The weather was fine to-day, but the water was rough and it was a slow course. The first heat of the race for Senior singles was won by Mumford of New Orleans. Time, 11m. 19⅘s. The second heat was won by Holmes, of the Pawtucket Club, Hall of Harvard second. Time, 11:49. The best and most exciting race of the day was the first heat for four-oared shells, and was rowed by the crews of the Argonaut Club of Toronto, University of Pennsylvania, and Wyondotte of Wyandotte, Michigan. After a sharp contest the latter won, although one of their seats broke. Time, 9:42½—the other crews finishing together in 9:44. In the second heat for four-oared shells, Carman of Carmansville, N. Y., Centennial of Detroit, and Eureka of Newark, N. J., started. The river was covered with white-caps. The Eureka finished half a length in advance in 10:03½. The third heat for the Senior single sculls was won by Ball, of the Zephyrs of Detroit, Bowlesby, of the Shoewaecamettes, second. Time, 11:07⅔. The third heat in the four-oared race was won by Murry of Portsmouth, Va., Goddard of New York second. Time, 11:07⅔. The third heat in the four-oared scull race was between the Albanys of New York and Hillsdales of Michigan. At the mile post the Hillsdale crew led by six lengths, which was reduced one-half by a magnificent spurt on the home stretch by the Albany boys. Time, 9:41⅔, with the Hillsdales five lengths in advance. The eighth and final race of the day was the fourth heat for four-oared shells, and it was won by the Crescent of Philadelphia in 9:57⅔, the R. M. Nolan of Albany second. The Nautilus of Reading was ruled out for fouling the Nolan.

The Losses from the Broken Levee in Illinois.

HANNIBAL (Mo.), July 8th.—The *Clipper-Herald* this afternoon has an elaborate article on the losses by the breaks in the Suy levee on the Illinois side of the Mississippi river. After stating that the levee is 52 miles long, extending from a point nine miles south of Quincy to Hamburgh Bay, nine miles south of Clarksville, and that it redeems 101,289 acres of land, it makes an estimate of the losses by multiplying the number of acres in wheat and corn which were overflowed by the average yield per acre, which at present prices would show a loss in wheat of $200,000, and about the same amount on corn. Other losses, as to fences, barns, dwellings, farming implements, etc., will reach fully $100,000, making the total loss half a million dollars. Not more than one-third of the wheat or corn crop is lost. The overflow from the break was nearly 70 hours traveling 23 miles, which gave many farmers time to save much of their property outside of the growing crops.

Land Commissioner Williamson in a Quandary.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The *Inter-Ocean's* special says: Land Commissioner Williamson is in trouble. An ingenious Californian has entered a stone quarry and gone to burning lime. Now he demands his patent under the mineral land Act. He has presented a heavy document, full of legal and scientific opinions, going to show that limestone lands, granite lands, and, in fact, almost any lands are mineral, and can be entered under the terms of the Act. General Williamson does not know but he will have to decide that according to the wording of the law there is nothing else but mineral lands in the country.

The Internal Revenue Trouble in Georgia.

WASHINGTON, July 8th.—The cases of twelve Revenue Deputy Collectors and one Deputy United States Marshal, charged by the State authorities of Georgia with the homicide of a Moonshiner at Red Oak, Campbell county, Ga., were brought before United States Circuit Court Judge Woods Wednesday, and continued to the 13th instant. Advices are received at the Bureau of Internal Revenue that ex-United States Attorney Farrow refuses to recognize the right of the President to supersede him, and opposes the transfer of the cases to the United States Courts. Judge Bigby, the newly-appointed District Attorney, proposes to take out a writ of quo warranto.

Dr. Tanner's Great Fast—Eleventh Day of the Experiment.

NEW YORK, July 8th.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon Dr. Tanner entered upon the eleventh day of his fast. His pulse was 80, temperature 98 04, and respiration 14. Some excitement was caused by a statement from Dr. Bradley, that a sponge saturated with a nutritious liquid had been found by the physicians on watch.

Chicago and St. Louis—Population of the Two Cities.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The population of this county will reach 600 000, giving the county one, and perhaps two more Congressmen, four more Judges of the Superior Court, and eight more Legislators.

The census of St. Louis has been completed. The total population is 340,000. The *Post-Dispatch* of that city last evening openly declared that both the census of 1880 and the City Directory have been gross frauds.

Increase of Postal Revenue.

WASHINGTON, July 8th.—An official statement, compiled at the Postoffice Department, shows that the issues of postage stamps, stamped envelopes and postal cards during the fiscal year foot up an aggregate of $32,000,000, being an increase of nearly $3,500,000 over the total for the previous year. This is about double the average rate of increase during the previous five years. The greatest proportionate increase is in the item of postal cards—an augmentation of 24 per cent. The largest actual gain to the postal revenue was in the issues of ordinary postage stamps, which during the last fiscal year aggregated $22,414,928, being an increase of $2,237,669. The issues of newspaper and periodical stamps increased 15 1 per cent., the totals being $1,088,412 for the fiscal year.

Breadstuffs in New York.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The *Inter-Ocean's* New York special says: There was considerable fluctuation in the prices of breadstuffs on the Produce Exchange to-day, the advance in wheat being from 2c to 3c per bushel, and the market closing feverish. Flour was from 10c to 15c higher, and corn was lower. The advances in wheat and flour was attributed to unfavorable reports from official sources in the West. These dispatches say that the outlook for spring wheat in Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin is decidedly unfavorable. The weather is hot and sultry, with indications of more rain all over the Northwest. It is thought that the crop will be poorer than for many years.

Damaging Storm in Iowa.

DES MOINES, July 8th.—There was a heavy rainfall in central Iowa last night. The wind did considerable damage to outhouses and fences at Winterset. At Buffalo four houses and a mill were blown down, and one man is reported killed, named Bearns. At Hanover, in this county, two barns and several granaries were destroyed by the wind. Trains were detained fifteen hours on the Rock Island road by a washout at Van Meter. The damage to crops in this county is ten per cent.

Board of Managers Elected.

BOSTON, July 8th.—The Board of Managers of the Homes for Disabled Soldiers met here to-day, and the following officers were elected: President, General William B. Franklin, of Connecticut; First Vice-President, Colonel Leonard A. Harris, of Ohio; Second Vice-President, General Richard Coultier, of Pennsylvania; Secretary, General Martin McMahon, of New York.

The New York Bond Case.

NEW YORK, July 8th.—Jerome & Patchell, accused of getting possession of bonds belonging to Brayton, Ives & Co., were arraigned to-day and the examination set for this afternoon. They claim to have a good defense. Subsequently Judge Duffy examined the prisoners on a charge of grand larceny, and they were committed for trial. The securities were delivered to Mr. Ives.

A Vicious Criminal.

CINCINNATI, July 8th.—Price, to be hanged to-morrow, grows more vicious. Yesterday he made an ugly assault on a fellow prisoner, whom he mistook for a reporter. He is constantly watched to keep him from doing mischief.

Death of Colonel Pelton.

NEW YORK, July 8th.—Colonel Pelton, the nephew of Tilden, died at the Everett House this morning. The remains were removed to the residence of ex-Governor Tilden. Pelton has been ailing for some days, and on Monday was taken seriously ill, death resulting from embolism of the heart at 3 A. M.

The Nicaraguan Canal Enterprise.

WASHINGTON, July 8th.—Chief Engineer Menocal, of the Nicaraguan Canal Company, who has just returned from Nicaragua, reports that several important improvements have been made in the route heretofore contemplated for that enterprise.

Dissenting Opinion—Fire.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 8th.—Judges Niblack and Scott, of the Supreme Court, filed an opinion to-day, dissenting from the majority in the case involving the validity of the adoption of the amendments to the State Constitution.

The Hoosier State Flouring Mills were partially burned to-day. The loss is estimated at $25,000.

Silver and Stocks.

NEW YORK, July 8th.—Silver bars, 114⅜; money, 2@3; Government's generally steady; stocks closed quiet and steady; Western Union, 103⅝; Quicksilver, 38⅝; Mariposa, 1⅛; Wells-Fargo, 106; New York Central, 128⅜; Erie, 39⅛; Panama, 180; Union Pacific, 87; Union Pacific bonds, 112; Central Pacific, 73; Central Pacific bonds, 112; Sutro Tunnel, 1⅛.

The Weeding-out Process.

CHICAGO, July 8th.—The *Times'* Washington special says: A general inspection of the Departments is being made, for the purpose of weeding out all who are not professed loyal Republicans, without regard to clerical capacity.

FOREIGN NEWS.

House of Commons.

LONDON, July 8th.—In the House of Commons to-day Premier Gladstone said the news of the Russian defeat by the Chinese was not confirmed, and was not believed either by the Chinese or Russian representatives. In the event of war breaking out, he said, the Government will avail themselves of Russia's offers to enter into communication respecting British interests.

Norwood (Liberal) asked whether the Government, having declined to introduce a bill to remove the doubt as to the legality of Bradlaugh's affirmation, would, as an act of justice to Bradlaugh and his constituents, undertake his defense in any action brought against him.

Gladstone said: "His constituents know that the return of a member is subject to law; therefore the Government is unable to interfere."

Bradlaugh disclaimed responsibility for Norwood's questions, and said he had no doubt of the legality of his affirmation.

Sir Henry Wolf (Conservative) asked whether the Government had communicated with the other Powers relative to the coercive measures in the event of a refusal of the Porte to accept the recommendation of the Berlin Conference.

Gladstone said the Government's policy continues to prosecute a faithful fulfillment of the Berlin treaty. As the decision of the Conference has not yet been presented to the Porte, it would be a want of respect and deference to the Porte to presuppose that it will oppose the unanimous voice of Europe.

LONDON, July 8th.—It is rumored in the lobby of the House of Commons to-night that the Marquis of Lansdowne, Under Secretary for India, had resigned, in consequence of not being able to conscientiously support the compensation for disturbances bill in the House of Lords, and also on account of being himself a holder of lands in Ireland. Lord Elcho (Liberal Conservative), in consequence of the rumor, asked in the House of Commons whether it was a fact that Lord Lansdowne was no longer a member of the Government. The inquiry was received by the opposition with cheers. Mr. Gladstone replied "Yes," whereupon the opposition cheers were renewed.

Public Tranquillity Again in Danger in Ireland.

LONDON, July 8th.—The London correspondent of the Edinburg *Scotsman* says he hears that the Government has received information from Ireland that unless the compensation for disturbances in Ireland bill passed, public tranquillity will be endangered. The land agitation is still kept up, and branches of the Land League are being formed in every town in the west of Ireland. The tone of the speakers at the meetings is suggestive of lurking mischief which will have to be closely watched. It fairly indicates a political purpose beyond the mere acquisition of land, and to which the latter object is subordinate but contributory.

The Irish Land Agitation.

DUBLIN, July 8th.—There can be no doubt that Fenianism is engrafted on the land agitation, and imparts to it its most effective organization and formidable character. The peasantry have been trained to move in military order, and understand how to act together as disciplined bodies, and every opportunity is taken to collect arms.

The Compensation for Disturbances in Ireland Bill.

LONDON, July 8th—The *Times* in a leading article this morning, points out that the majority for the Government on the second reading of the compensation for disturbances in Ireland bill fell 100 short of the united Liberal and Irish strength. The apprehensions excited by the bill in the minds of many Liberals have not been removed by Gladstone's impassioned and ingenious pleading. The reluctance to accept the bill has not been based solely on the belief that it will be unjust to the Irish landlords in its immediate operation, but on the question in all its length and breadth.

The New Amnesty Bill—Anti-Jesuit Decrees.

PARIS, July 8th.—The new amnesty bill voted by the Chamber of Deputies yesterday consists of a single clause, as follows: "All persons condemned for participating in the insurrection of 1870 and 1871, and who shall not have been pardoned up to July 14, 1880, shall be considered as amnestied." As the Government intends to pardon all, with certain exceptions, this bill is the same in effect as the one the Senate rejected.

Le Parlement, the organ of Senator Dufaure (Republican), says: We believe the Senate will not accept the humiliating position prepared for it by a number of Deputies. Journals of the Right also say they believe that the Senate will adhere to Bozerian's amendment. The organs of the Left profess to think that the Chamber of Deputies showed a conciliatory spirit in not voting amnesty pure and simple, and say they believe the Senate will accept the proffered compromise.

The *Republique Francaise* congratulates the Government on the effect of the decrees in ridding the Minister of Justice of sixty Ultramontane Procurateurs, who resigned. The relations with the Vatican are being strained. The expulsion of other orders may be delayed until after the fete, on July 14th.

The Right of Association.

PARIS, July 8th.—In the Senate to-day the report of the committee on Dufaure's motion, respecting the right of association, was read. It expresses the opinion that the motion constitutes a step in a liberal direction in advance of the existing statutes, inasmuch as it secures State control, establishes equality, and while granting no favor to religious congregations, does not place them under any particular disability. The committee, desiring to put an end to the vexed questions, proposed that the motion be taken into consideration. The Senate thereupon voted that the motion be declared urgent.

The Amnesty Bill in the Senate.

PARIS, July 8th.—In the Senate to-day Premier De Freycinet introduced the amnesty bill as it was adopted by the Chamber of Deputies yesterday. The bill was referred to a committee.

Will Probably Pass.

PARIS, July 8th.—It is thought that the amnesty bill will now pass the Senate by a small majority.

Russia and the Berlin Conference.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8th.—Russia does not intend to separate herself from the other Powers regarding steps that may be necessary to give effect to the decisions of the Berlin Conference.

Sad Condition of Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8th.—The *Golos* raises its voice in view of the Chinese difficulties to point out the sad condition of the country, and how much worse it will become in the event of another war demanding a drain upon its already exhausted resources and retarding the introduction of reforms. The press has for several weeks been full of complaints of the ravages by locusts, flies, beetles and worms; of hunger and poverty among the peasantry; the rapid increase of the price of everything; increase of the cattle plague and the large spread of disease, etc.

Indemnity Resolved Upon.

MADRID, July 8th.—The Council of Ministers resolved to indemnify the owners of the American steamer Octavia, which was illegally captured in the waters of Porto Rico.

Chung How Reprieved.

LONDON, July 8th.—The following telegram, dated Pekin, July 2d, was received in London yesterday: Chung How, the Chinese Embassador to Russia who negotiated the Kuldja treaty, has been reprieved, to show that China does not wish to hurt Russia's dignity, and desires a continuance of friendly relations.

The Chinese and Russians.

BERLIN, July 8th.—The Chinese Charge d'Affaires at St. Petersburg has officially assured the Russian Government that China does not wish to go to war with Russia, and that the rumors of operations by Chinese on the Russian frontier are absolutely inventions.

"Murder Will Out"—The Little Frog-Catcher's Assassin Captured.

MONTREAL, July 8th.—Lewis Dufrannon was arrested in this province recently for a violent assault. It now turns out that he murdered in California some time ago a young French woman named Jennie Bonnette, called "The little frog-catcher of San Francisco." The Canadian authorities have communicated with those of California.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The funeral of Philim Toole, the dead fireman, took place at St. Louis yesterday, and was largely attended.

The President has appointed James M. Adams of Walla Walla, W. T., Receiver of Public Moneys at Yakima, W. T.

Clem Estes (colored) shot dead Joseph H. Estes (white), a farmer near Cascade Village, Va., yesterday. The affair grew out of a case of trespass.

At Denver, Col., Wednesday night, a shooting affray occurred between Elmer Hayman and Thomas Stevens. The latter was fatally and the former slightly wounded. The shooting was the result of a family feud which has existed for some time.

Cardinal McCloskey writes to the New York *Evening Post* that the widely-published congratulatory dispatch purporting to have been addressed by him to General Hancock is a forgery.

The loss by fire at Lee & Murdock's mill and storehouse at East Douglass, Mass., will reach $130,000, partly covered by insurance.

A Berlin correspondent, discussing the relations between China and Russia, says: There seems to have been an idea of purchasing ships and cannon in America and putting American seamen against the duller landlubbers forming the bulk of Russian crews, but there is little prospect of the scheme being carried out before the war is over.

Goschen, the British Embassador at Constantinople, has waived his claim to give protection to the fugitive slave recently received at the British Embassy, on condition that he shall be sent to Egypt.

The Chesterfield stakes at Newmarket, England, were won yesterday by Lorillard's Iroquois. Voluptuary and Panique ran a dead heat for the second place.

The Czar's yacht Lividia was successfully launched at Glasgow, Scotland, Wednesday, in the presence of Grand Duke Alexis, Prince Lobanoff, Russian Embassador to England, Admiral Popoff, and several thousand spectators. Three Greek priests sprinkled the vessel with holy water.

The Porte has received information that the Bulgarian Commission is concerting a plan of action in the event of a rupture between Turkey and Greece.

The dory Little Western, from Gloucester, Mass., June 13th, for London, having on board Captain George P. Thomas and Frederick Norman, was spoken June 30th. They refused to board the steamer Bulgarian.

A Vienna dispatch says the news published in London that the Porte had sent the Powers a protest against the decisions of the Berlin Conference is absolutely unfounded.

A dispatch from Pera says the Porte still hesitates as to what attitude it shall assume toward the Berlin award. Its ultimate decision will greatly depend upon Goschen's ability to impress the Sultan and his Ministers with the conviction that the Powers will resort to force if necessary. If the Turks see the slightest chance of division among the Powers they will resist the occupation by Greece of the territory awarded.

There was some panic in the Berlin and Paris bourses Wednesday owing to the uneasy feeling in regard to the attitude of the Porte.

The Postoffice Department has issued orders for the establishment of a free-delivery service at Leadville, Col., commencing August 1st.

PRESS EXPRESSION.

What Some of the Papers of the Coast Find to Talk About.

In spite of the repeated warnings of all the newspapers of this county, we find many voters who have not yet re-registered. Unless every voter goes in person to the Clerk of the county, or one of his authorized deputies, and again registers, he cannot vote at the election in November. And unless this duty is performed before the third day of August, five weeks from now, he will not be put on this year's register, and his vote is lost.—[Colton Semi-Tropic.

The dullness in stock transactions cannot, so far as the Bodies are concerned, be attributed to the condition of the mines themselves, for a healthier appearance in any camp was never presented than is seen in a large number of our mines. To residents of Bodie the tenacity shown by stock speculators in San Francisco and New York in hanging on to their money, and refusing to purchase as good stocks as were offered, is something quite unaccountable. [Bodie Standard.

"Name the bones of the arm?" This is one of the questions asked by the County Board of Education at the recent examination of applicants for teachers' certificates. It is a type of the whole vicious system of testing the knowledge of both teachers and pupils. No wonder that twenty-nine out of thirty-five would-be teachers stuck fast on such snags as this about the bones of the arm and were left high and dry on them. How does a person's failure to remember the names of bones affect his or her ability to teach?—[Santa Clara Journal.

It must be affecting to hear the Confederate Brigadiers sing "Rally 'Round the Flag" and other patriotic songs as they proceed in their congenial employment of bulldozing niggers and rotten-egging Republican meetings in the South. "What's in a name? A rose by any other name would smell as sweet," and so the Democratic party stinks just as bad in the nostrils of Union men as though it hadn't tried to mask its natural scent with Hancock perfume.—[Calaveras Chronicle.

The narrow-gauge over the mountains, if built at all, will be constructed by a company as a business investment, and will not need go begging for money to build it. As business men, they will not need any help in the way of "jaw-bone." They will examine the volume of business—present and future—that will naturally come to the road, and when satisfied on this point, from information carefully compiled, they will put it through. If the surveyors, upon careful examination, shall report that the Sonora route is preferable, both as to cost, feasibility and probable revenue resources, over the Big Tree route, then it will go this way. If otherwise, then it will go by the Big Tree route. All the fuss we may make or fail to make will not have a feather's weight in deciding that common sense and practical business base. It does not retard the project for our citizens to cry over