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Telegraphic Dispatches

Reported for the "Tri-Weekly Post," by the W. U. Tel. Co.

Monetary and Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—The *Post* says gold is depressed by the failure of a well known firm who have been carrying four millions in coin.

Flour 10@20c better, closing with advance. Wool declining; domestic fleece, 60½@62½. Leather a shade lower; California light, 31; middle, 33½; heavy, 35@36.

The *Commercial* says the money market shows a continued tendency towards firmness.

European Items.

HALIFAX, Nov. 21.—The Africa brings dates to the 11th instant: At the Lord Mayor's banquet Earl Derby said he could vouch for America, and would speedily know how to quell the agitation which now existed within it, and that peace would reign from one shore to the other.

Several persons of position in Palermo have been arrested, among them the Bishop of Moncale, for conspiracy in the September insurrectionary movement.

Victor Emanuel continued his visits, and was engaged inspecting the principal places, receiving enthusiastic ovations.

Gladstone had another interview with the Pope and the Cardinals. The London *Morning Herald* says his object is to reconcile him to the fate which awaits him, but that he has completely failed in his efforts. Earl Clarendon had also reached Rome, and would soon have audience with the Pope.

St. Petersburg telegrams say that the rumored alliance between Russia and Prussia is totally unfounded.

Maximilian.

HAVANA, Nov. 17.—The French steamer La France, from Vera Cruz, brings news from the City of Mexico to the 9th inst. Maximilian had not yet returned to the capital, and it was still doubtful what would be his future course. The *Estafette* of the 8th, plainly advises Max. to abdicate, and the same paper of the 9th says Max. was at Corona, and would be in Mexico soon. A large amount of his baggage arrived at Vera Cruz on the 5th.

Gold in the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The treasury yesterday held ninety-one and a half millions in gold, including twenty-one and a half millions in gold certificates.

Crete Affairs.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The High Assembly of the island of Crete have dispatched a special envoy to Peru to protest against the report of the submission of Crete to Turkish authority.

Fenians in Jail.

TORONTO, Nov. 21.—Thirty-two Fenians remain in jail awaiting trial, which will take place next month. Seven Fenians have been sentenced.

Cornell Resigns.

CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—Charles G. Cornell has resigned in a public letter, and denounces Judge Whitney as prejudiced and unfit to act as referee in the matter of the charges preferred against him (Cornell) by the citizens association.

Fenians, Floods, Etc.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The *World's* special by cable, from Manchester the 20th, says very severe oppression is still a ruling feature in this market, and orders previously telegraphed to the United States for the purchase of cotton have been wholly withdrawn.

The *Herald's* special says ten suspicious characters were arrested yesterday under habeas corpus. The United States government has instructed its Consul to appeal for a new trial of the condemned Fenians. These condemned prisoners are supplied with one substantial meal per day, our Consul paying the expenses.

The *Times'* special says there are less than 15,000 troops in the entire department of Washington, which includes Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and West Virginia.

The route of the Kansas Pacific railroad having been changed from the Republican Fork to the Smoky Hill Forks, the commissioner of the land office has directed that some 3,000,000 acres of land within the limits of the abandoned route be restored to settlement under the pre-emption and homestead laws.

A Paris letter says the *Moniteur* contains six columns in small type, giving the details of disaster by the late inundations in the South of France. The most salient fact is that $12,000,000 will be required to repair injuries done public works alone. Thirty-two English miles of road between San Juan de Maurine and the Italian frontiers, and thirty miles over Mount Sennis, including one of the principal bridges of the Victor Emanuel railway were destroyed.

Official Election Returns—Change of Overland Mail Route.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Illinois official majorities by congressional districts are: 1st district—N. B. Judd, Rep., 9,580; 2d district—Farnsworth, 1,289; 3d district—Washburne, 8,060; 4th district—Harding, 2,561; 5th district—Ingersoll, 8,772. Total, 54,957, or 1,150 less than Logan's majorities reported yesterday. Frauds are alleged in the 9th district, which being corrrected it is claimed that Lippincott, Republican, would have forty-four majority over Ross, whose seat will therefore be contested.

Next week the route of the Overland California mail will be changed from St. Louis to Chicago, and will go via the Northwestern Railroad to Woodbine, Iowa; thence by stage 35 miles to Council Bluffs and Omaha; thence by Union Pacific railroad to its present terminus, 285 miles. The gap of thirty-five miles between Woodbine and Council Bluffs will be filled by the first of January, and the running time from New York to the north fork of Platte river, all rail, will be six days. The Union Pacific company have completed the bridge across the North Fork, and make their present terminus on the west side of the North Fork, where their workmen are encamped waiting the resumption of operations next spring. No more work will be done on the railroad until next March, but Durant is confident he will complete 300 miles in the first one hundred working days.

Under the new arrangement, mails will leave Chicago at 7 p. m., containing the New York morning mail of the day previous, and connecting with the Overland coaches.

Two Chicago men, one of them a late respectable merchant, have been arrested for a villainous conspiracy to burn the steamer Morning Star on Lake Erie. Their object being to get a paltry insurance of $10,000 on bogus freight. Their tool got drunk and bungled the job.

Great Decline in Stocks, Prices, etc.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Flour dull and heavy and 15@25c lower. Trade brands closing very heavy. Wheat dull, heavy and nominally 5c. lower. Money active and firmer. Gold irregular and unsettled. Government stocks heavy and half per cent. lower.

The *Post* says the panic in Wall street has entered on a new phase this morning, on rumors that Government was selling both coin and 5-20s. These rumors and other depressing causes produced a general loss of confidence, and resulted in the heavy and most sudden fall which Government securities have received. For a considerable time fancy stocks could not be sold at any price, and some of the clique combinations have apparently been broken up and their stocks sold. Rumors of new failures are current, but none of importance are authenticated. Railroad shares are weak and desponding. The Harmony Fire and Marine Insurance company have determined to go into liquidation, with assets amounting to $300,000, sufficient to meet all claims.

Telegraph Lines Increasing.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The Western Union Telegraph company have just opened their newly completed Overland line to California via Denver City, Bridger's Pass, and where the Overland stage route is now traveled. This is an addition to the old line via Laramie and South Pass. The new line is constructed in a superior manner, and there will probably be little interruption in communication with the Pacific coast.

Cholera.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The packet ship Mercury, from Havre, Oct 20th, arrived last evening, having lost thirty-four out of 450 passengers by cholera. The ship is now at quarantine.

The *Express* says there is a general fear of business paper, owing to the numerous reports of failures in all directions. The Government for sometime past has been selling gold moderately, and also calling on national banks for currency, in order to be strong enough to meet any demands from banks on clearing house certificates. This is the main cause of the stringency in money, and as these operations have now ceased, there's every reason to believe the worst is over. Capital will soon flow this way freely to find employment.

The Chamber of Commerce to-day adopted a memorial to Congress for the abolition of tax on cotton.

President and Politics.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The *National Republican* says, apparently by authority, that the President being necessarily engaged on an important publication preparatory to the assembling of Congress, he will have no time to give the slightest attention to applicants for office, who are therefore referred to the heads of different departments.

Gen. B. S. Alexander, long in command of the defenses at Washington, will soon leave for California to superintend the construction of docks at San Francisco.

Admiral Dahlgren is about leaving Washington to assume command of the South Pacific squadron.

England and the United States.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—Lord Stanley, in reply to a letter in regard to ships seized by the U. S. Government, points out that no arrangement can be made to consider such claims.

The *Times* of this morning says that, although the Federal Secretary of the Treasury believes the bonds of the United States will be paid in gold, it would be better if Congress secured such payment by law.

The Admiralty court in the case of the rebel cruiser Rappahannock, has ordered that representatives of the United States Government give security in the suit where they are plaintiffs.

The Old Story about Max.—Surrat in Italy.

PARIS, Nov. 21.—It is said the French government has received news that Max's reign is virtually ended, and it is further reported that Government has stopped the shipment of stores to Mexico.

John H. Surratt, one of the accomplices in the assassination of Lincoln, was discovered during papal service at Rome under the name of John Watson. He was arrested upon the demand of Gen. King, the American Minister, but afterwards ran the guard, leaped over a precipice and escaped into Italian territory. Italian authorities are endeavoring to recapture him.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Stocks opened lower, but since a meeting of the board are higher.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The story of the outrage upon the wife of Rev. David A. Wasson, of Boston, was false. It appears that a negro intending robbery, locked Mrs. Wasson in a room to prevent her giving an alarm, but she escaped by the window and the negro was captured.

The Alabama Legislature has elected Gov. John A. Winston U. S. Senator by a majority of four votes, over Geo. S. Houston, whose nominal term expires the 4th of next March.

Alexander Walker, formerly editor of Cincinnati *Enquirer*, now residing in New Orleans, has recovered a verdict of $25,000 as fee for saving 2,800 bales of cotton for a rebel widow, by his personal influence with rebel authorities who had ordered the cotton burned.

Gov. John Evans, Senator-elect from Colorado, yesterday donated $25,000 to the Northwestern University at Evanston, near Chicago.

LEGISLATURE---THIRD SESSION.

House—15th Day.

MORNING SESSION—NOV. 21.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M. Speaker Mayhew in the chair.

Smith gave notice of a bill to remove the Capital of Montana to Helena.

McManus gave notice of a bill to authorize John Lenan to establish a ferry across Hell Gate river.

Gorham introduced a bill to incorporate the Brown's Gulch and Silver Bow Ditch Company. Referred to Committee on Incorporations.

Esler introduced a bill to incorporate the town of Fairbanks.

Donegan introduced a bill to incorporate the Bannack City and Fort Lemhi Wagon Road Company. Referred.

Mimms introduced a bill giving to the school fund one claim on every quartz lead hereafter discovered. It was opposed by McCullough, Rogers and McMurtry, and supported by Mimms and Jordan, and rejected.

Andrews introduced a bill authorizing J. C. Kerley and others to coastruct a water ditch from Monmouth Gulch to Red Mountain City. Referred.

Rogers reported favorably on the bill incorporating Missouri River Boom and Lumber Company.

McMurtry reported favorably on a bill relating to notaries public, and adversely on a bill maintaining possessory rights in the public domain.

The bill authorizing Wilson and Eddy to maintain a ferry across the Missoula river passed to a third reading. Yeas 13, nays 8.

The Council joint resolution inquiring into certain printing executed by John P. Bruce, was passed by a unanimous vote.

The House adjourned at 12 m.

AFTERNOON SESSION—NOV. 21.

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m. Speaker in the chair.

McManus introduced a resolution recommending that resolutions, memorials, etc., be transmitted to the Hon. D. C. Holbrook, delegate from Idaho, on account of the absence and negligence of S. McLean, delegate from Montana. On motion of Van Hagan, it was postponed indefinitely.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, Johnson in the chair, and considered the bill to incorporate the Missouri river boom and lum-

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