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A CONTINGENCY NOT PROVIDED FOR.

The death of Horace Greeley suggests the possibility of a contingency arising which we believe is not provided for in the Constitution of the United States.

The "contingency not provided for" is not owing to any omission in the Federal Constitution. That instrument provides for the choosing of Presidential Electors by the States, and pursuant to this provision the States of the Union chose Electors on the 5th of last month.

Gold in New York, 112 1/2; greenbacks, 88 1/2 @ 89. Yankee Jim's, Cal., Dec. 2.—A daring robbery was committed here last night. M. B. Tubbs closed his saloon at midnight, put the keys in his pocket, and went to bed.

CONGRESS.

The second session of the 42d Congress met yesterday, and President Grant's fourth annual message was handed in. We have not even a synopsis of the message as yet; but expect to receive it to-day, and will publish it to-morrow.

The Attorney-General of the United States has presented a report to the President, regarding the application of a man named Barney Woods, who is now under sentence of death for a commutation of his punishment.

W. W. Smith died at Eureka on Saturday. Of the deceased the Sentinel says: He came to White Pine with the rush four years ago and at one time was Marshal of Shermantown.

Extensive fires are raging in Lower California. Fifty square miles of territory have been burned over.

Salt Lake City, Dec. 2.—The richest ledge of silver and galena ever known to exist in this country, was struck in the Trinity mine, at Galena, near this place, yesterday. The mine is the property of Messrs. Blossom & Thomas Thompson, of this place.

Salk Lake, Dec. 2.—A well known diamond broker of this city, named Wiel, is said to be the party who, with Harpending, of San Francisco, and Arnold, put up the diamond swindle; and efforts are making here by legal process to bring the guilty parties to justice.

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To FRIEND LANNAN:—I received yours of the 25th inst. I have all my life been doing what people called vastly foolish, impolitic acts, and I did not dispute their judgment.

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have on the nomination four years hence.

New York, Dec. 1.—A St. John's (N. B.) dispatch gives an account of the violent storm there on Friday night. Yesterday it was doing great damage to the shipping in the harbor and wrecking a number of vessels outside, with considerable loss of life.

The remains of Greeley were brought to this city from Pleasantville on Saturday evening, and are now at the residence of Thomas Sinclair. The two daughters of Greeley and Mrs. Gibbons accompanied the remains to this city.

The Herald mentions that the Union League have hopes that President Grant will take part in the funeral obsequies of his late distinguished rival in the political field.

The office of Surveyor of the Port, now vacant, will be filled under the civil service rules.

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voted to the condition of affairs on the Mexican border; and the attention of Congress is called to it.

The matter is much discussed among papers as to the proper course for the Greeley and Brown Electors to pursue in view of Greeley's death. Quite a number of Democratic papers urge the view that as they cannot cast their votes for the deceased, they are at liberty and should cast their votes for some representative Democrat, and Hendricks of Indiana is mentioned by a number of papers in this connection.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The Emperor, by decree, has created 25 Peers out of the ranks of Government officials, generals and land-owners.

Paris, Dec. 1.—The resignation of M. Lefranc, Minister of the Interior, was tendered yesterday, immediately after the result of the debate in the Assembly was declared, and has been accepted by the President. A Cabinet Council was held to-day, which lasted three hours.

London, Dec. 2.—An orderly meeting was held at Hyde Park yesterday. Odger and Bradlaugh were the principal speakers. A resolution condemning the Public Parks Regulation Bill was adopted.

At Hamburg the longest day has seventeen hours and the shortest seven. At Stockholm the longest has eighteen and a half hours and the shortest five and a half. At St. Petersburg the longest has nineteen and the shortest five hours.

A case has just been tried in a San Francisco Court in which one Fannie Simpson was indicted for arson. There was no question of the guilt of the defendant; but it appeared in the indictment that the house burned was the property of Alfred Borel, when the stipulated fact was that it belonged to Alfred Borel & Co.

New Advertisements.

ALVA C. BISHOP, M. D. S. L. LEE, M. D. Drs. BISHOP & LEE, Physicians & Surgeons, Main Street, POCHE, NEVADA.

Notice to Stock Subscribers.—The Pioche Phoenix Mining Company. Notice is hereby given that the third and final payment, for subscription at Pioche, for shares of the Pioche Phoenix Mining Company will be due on December 5th—payments to be made at the State Bank of Nevada.

Check Stolen.—RAYMOND & KLY CHECK IN FAVOR of — Hanley, for \$120, was stolen from the undersigned yesterday. All persons are cautioned against negotiating the same, as payment has been stopped.

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List of Letters REMAINING IN THE POSTOFFICE AT Pioche, Nev., Dec. 1, 1873. If not called for in one month they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C.

- Abraham Miss D, Auman Geo F, Acocke Jos, Alexander S, Adams A, Adams A, Ahaugh Sam I, Barrett O, Baker John T, Black W, Batten Court Mrs 2, Blackburn G W, Bird M W, Bennett Wm, Burrows John 2, Butterfield Geo W, Bone J, Caldwell S, Carner A, Converse & McMahon, Carnoe J S, Canam M G, Cole Hiram, Cole Hiram, Dewing Mrs M, Dugdale E, Dowdle A F, Donnelly Jas 2, Dodd Wm, DeKay A, Evans W H, Early Thos 2, Finley G, Finn B B, Flynn P, Francis de Souza M, Goodrich H M, Gorham C M, Harper W E, Haggart Mrs M, Hewitt John, Hicks D W, Higgins A, Hamilton R, Hughes W O, Holdbrook A, Hocking S, Hodson J D, Hubbert C, Johnson W M, Jones J, Jackson L D, Kelley John, Kelly D, Kummer O F, Lawson John, Leary T P, Landmark A, McCarril P 2, McCarty C, McCreezy Jas, McCullough J M, McLenn G 2, McMillan W, McNeil A E, Matton S, Manghan J W, Marshall E, Marshall E, Mitchell Thos, Meehan E C, Miller J, Mochnat Jas, Moudoff H S, Norton D C, Nowell S B, Nelson Thos, Olds E, Otis Geo W, Phillips T W, Phillips J H, Peterson J, Price F P, Pitzer D, Reed O H, Rafferty J, Rattelle D, Rourke M J 4, Rogers J W, Roy J F, Scott L S, Schofield R O, Seguin T, Severance D, Starr D, Small Frank, Small John, Taylor W H, Twobling H, Tracy Thos, Waseley Walter, Wand P H, Woodruff W.

Orient Silver Mining Company—Location of Works, Ely Mining District, Lincoln County, Nevada.—Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said company, held on the twenty-sixth (26th) day of November, A. D. 1872, an assessment (No. 1) of Twenty-five (25) Cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, Room 25 Hayward's Building, California street, San Francisco, California.

Harper Silver Mining Company—Location of Works, Ely Mining District, Lincoln County, Nevada.—Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said company, held on the twenty-third (23rd) day of November, 1872, an assessment (No. 1) of TEN CENTS per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, No. 306 Montgomery street, San Francisco, California.

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