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TELEGRAPH.

4 o'clock, P. M.

The Orator, Poet and Reader for the Big Show.

Sale of the Pennsylvania Navy Yard.

The Pennsylvania Central Probably the Purchaser.

A Horrible Affair in Chicago.

The Bodies of a Woman and Child Packed in a Barrel and Sent to the Express Office.

Lake Ontario Swallows up a Schooner and all on Board Perish.

Apalling Condition of the Herzegovinian Refugees.

Orator, Poet, and Reader.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The centennial committee on opening ceremonies have selected Wm. M. Everts for orator; W. H. Longfellow poet; and a grandson of Richard H. Lee, of Virginia, reader of the declaration of independence.

Sale of a Navy Yard.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—The navy yard in this city was to-day sold for one million dollars. The purchaser was J. Lowlier Welsh, who bought it for John C. Ballett, attorney for parties whose names he refused to divulge.

Dead Bodies Packed in a Barrel.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The body of a woman which was packed and sent in a barrel, together with that of a newly born child, to the United States Express Company's office here, yesterday, has not yet been identified and it is by no means certain that the woman was highly respectable. Kruger, the expressman, who took the package to the office was arrested this morning and pointed out the two men, Jackson and Darrow, who got him to do the job. These men are carpenters and it is asserted they have done a body snatching business; that Dr. E. H. Wilder furnished the bodies for which they got the barrel. Jackson and Darrow have been arrested and a warrant is out for the arrest of Wilder. A coroner's inquest will take place to-morrow.

Property Turned Over.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 2.—The stockholders of the Baltimore & Southern Steam Transportation Company have resolved to turn over the property to the directors for the benefit of creditors' indebtedness said to be \$120,000. Steamers will be run as usual.

Lake Schooner Foundered and Ten Lives Lost.

OSWEGO, Dec. 2.—The schooner J. G. Jenkins foundered in a gale Tuesday above Oswego, and all on board were lost, as follows: Capt. John Brown, of Oswego; 1st mate, John Smith; 2d mate, Sam. McDonald; seaman, H. Doran, John Stewart, Jas. Williams, Michael Brahtly; and Wm. Bonner, all of Oswego; and a woman cook from Buffalo. The vessel was insured for \$8,000, and the cargo for \$26,000.

Crémated.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Patrick Tourloy last night saturated the clothing of his wife with kerosene oil and set it on fire. The screams of the woman brought the inmates of the house to her rescue and the flames were extinguished. She was terribly burned however and is not expected to live.

FOREIGN.

HORRIBLE DOINGS IN THE LAND OF THE TURKS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A private letter has been received from Ragusa Dalmatia, Austria, from a lady who is an eye witness of the sufferings of the Herzegovinian refugees, containing the following: "Very many of the children had only one garment tied together and principally composed of patches, still one mass of rags, which seemed to make their nakedness more pitiful, and yet of all the refugees those at Ragusa are most fortunate, the best fed and clothed. There are at present in the district of Ragusa alone has about 12,000 refugees, nearly all women, children and old men. In Mortenozo there are fifty thousand, in Cratia and Servia thousands again, the whole number of fugitives amounting to nearly one hundred and fifty thousand. With the means received up to the present time sixteen or eighteen thousand people might be protected to the extent of a blanket a piece from the winter's cold, but there are remaining one hundred thousand or more and their food and the roof to cover them, to say nothing of wounded men brought in from the battle fields sick and dying, the child bearing women, the pest stricken people." The lady makes an earnest appeal for help to keep from death by cold and starvation a whole population whose sin it is that they are christians, christian dogs, rajahs, and adds: "My husband was on the frontiers of Bosnia where the river Save divides the Turkish territory from Austrian. He was entreated by the people of an Austrian village not to cross the river and enter the Turkish town, as he would certainly lose his life, but by allowing himself to be introduced as Merchant from Trieste he was unmolested. As he walked through the streets of Constantinople the headless babies of the christians lay all about the streets. On the river he had seen boats filled with refugees striving for dear life to reach the Austrian shore. The Turks fired into them and one of the boats sunk; others reached the shore covered with blood from the wounds of the fugitives, headless bodies of women were floating on the water, in the streets of the town the swine were feeding on the corpses of christian women."

A Suit for Damages.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The commissioners of the District of Columbia have brought suit against ex-Treasurer James A. Magruder of the board of public works and his securities, claiming fifty thousand dollars damages. The declaration sets forth that over fourteen millions was received and part disbursed by Magruder, but he refused to render an account as required. His case will not go on the trial calendar until the February term, and it is not probable it will be tried until the fall of '76.

Baptist Church Burned.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 2.—A fire in the Broadway Baptist church early this morning almost ruined the edifice, valued at seventy thousand dollars, loss two-thirds. The library of Rev. J. L. Barows, including a valuable collection for years was destroyed; loss seven thousand. Insurance on building forty-four thousand; and on library \$2,400.

Suspended.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Settling day at the stock exchange yesterday brought forth rather more than the usual number of failures. The largest was that of Bruggote Bros., stock and share brokers. Their liabilities are estimated at \$350,000. There were five other failures of less importance.

Fire.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 2.—A large barn filled with grain, owned by Oliver Mulford, at Hillsboro, was destroyed by fire last evening, loss \$15,000.

White Hall, Dec. 2.—Jas. McDonald's residence, with out-buildings, at Willsboro, burned last night. Loss \$50,000; insurance, \$10,000.

Railroad Official.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The directors of the Michigan Central railroad, have elected Samuel Sloan, vice president.

Telegraphic.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Southern Atlantic telegraph company, took place to-day. The affairs of the company were regarded favorably.

Boiler Exploded.

Tuesday evening the boiler of a portable engine belonging to Wm. Nelson, of New Harmony, Ind., exploded, instantly killing Thos. Nelson, engineer; Solomon Enlow, the Sawyer, and badly scalding several other workmen.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Probabilities for the upper Mississippi, and lower Missouri valleys, falling barometer, warmer south-east and east winds, increasing cloudiness and possibly light rain or snow by Friday morning.

The Purchaser of the Navy Yard.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—This afternoon John H. Green, one of President Scott's assistants, stated positively that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was the real purchaser of the Navy Yard, but declared they had not matured their plans for the future in relation to the property.

John Morrissey has bought the pool-selling privileges of the Louisville Jockey Club for five years at \$10,000 a year. This honest gentleman finds it necessary to earn a living, like the rest of us.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Money and Stock Market. New York, Dec. 2.
Money, 5@6 per cent.
Gold 114 1/2.
Governments dull and steady.
U. S. 5 per cent. bonds of 1881, 123 1/2
U. S. 5-20 bonds of 1882, May, 115 1/2
U. S. 5-20 bonds of 1882, July, 116 1/2
U. S. 5-20 bonds of 1882, July, 116 1/2
U. S. 5-20 bonds, new, 120 1/2
U. S. 5-20 bonds of 1882, July, 125 1/2
U. S. 5-20 bonds, new, 117 1/2
U. S. 5 per cent. 10-40 bonds, 117 1/2
U. S. currency 6 1/2.
Stocks dull and a little lower.
W. U. T. 70 1/2 St. Paul, 36 1/2
Pacific Mail, 41 1/2 St. Paul pd., 46 1/2
N. Y. Central, 105 1/2 Lake Shore, 42
Erie, 105 1/2 O. & M., 105 1/2
N. W. pd., 30 Wash., 5 1/2
N. W. pd., 5 1/2 Union Pacific, 76
Rock Island, 105 1/2

WHEAT—Fair demand; closing steady; \$1.05 1/2 for cash; \$1.00 1/2 for seller Jan. No. 3 85 1/2 c.
CORN—Steady, at 52c.
OATS—30 1/2 c.
RYE—Firm, at 70c.
BARLEY—97 1/2 c.

Chicago, Dec. 2.
WHEAT—Fairly active, weak and easier; \$1.08@1.03 1/2 for cash; \$1.04 1/2 for Jan.; No. 3, 87c; rejected, 78c.
CORN—Firm and a shade higher; 45 1/2 for cash; 48 1/2 for Nov.; 46 1/2 for the year.
OATS—Quiet and steady, at 30 1/2 c.
RYE—Easy, at 68@69 1/2 c.
BARLEY—Steady; 85 1/2 c for cash.
PORK—Weak and lower; \$19.25 for cash, \$19.10@19.15 for the year.
LARD—Steady; \$12.20 for cash; \$12.27 1/2 for the year.
WHISKY—Active sales; \$1.11@1.11 1/2; mostly \$1.11.

New York, Dec. 2.
WHEAT—Quiet and steady; No. 3 Chicago, \$1.14@1.15; winter red western, \$1.16@1.17.
RYE—Quiet.
CORN—Dull and heavy; Steam western mixed, 78@79 1/2 c; soft do, 74c; high mixed and yellow, 74 1/2@75c.
BARLEY—Dull and unchanged.
OATS—Dull and heavy; mixed western and state, 40@40c.
PORK—Firm, at \$22.50.
LARD—12 15-16@12 1/2 c.
WHISKY—\$1.14 1/2.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.
WHEAT—Lower; No. 3 fall, \$1.45@1.40 for cash; No. 3 fall, \$1.28 1/2 bid; No. 4 fall, \$1.00.
CORN—Lower and irregular; 42@48c for cash; 42 1/2 c for the year.
OATS—Lower to sell; 34 1/2 c bid for cash; 32 1/2 c for Dec.
BARLEY—Unchanged.
WHISKY—Shade lower, at \$1.12.
RYE—Unchanged.
PORK—Quiet, at \$21.00.
LARD—Nominal.

Live Stock Markets. Chicago, Nov. 29.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; Packers holding 4 1/2; market extremely dull at \$6.95@7.35; no indications of a change; packers, \$7.00@7.25; light, \$7.00@7.30; choice Philadelphia, \$7.00@7.00.
CATTLE—Firm and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, NOV. 29.

Hogs—Strong and higher. Receipts, 3,000; Yorkers, \$6.65@6.90; packing, \$7.00@7.35; extra, \$7.40@7.50.

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