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THE NEWS.

GOLD closed last night at 146½.

DESERTERS from the regular army are becoming alarmingly frequent.

AT a meeting in Washington on the 14th Gen. Banks delivered an address strongly favoring negro suffrage.

Two national banks with a capitol of $200,000 each, have been established at Charleston S. C.

H. H. Collins, projector of the Russian American Telegraph, lectured on that subject in New York night before last.

ABOUT fifty vessels per week leave New York for points South of Baltimore and Washington.

A GEORGIA correspondent denies that the negroes expect a distribution of lands to be made among them on Christmas.

THE Custom House authorities of Rochester, N. Y., have seized a Canadian vessel containing contraband goods, such as silks, teas, whisky, dry-goods, &c.

THE Chinese are no more progressive than formerly. They have refused permission to officers, sent there by Russia, to build a telegraph line from one of their ports to Pekin.

THE Secretary of the Treasury is reported as saying that he will not only be able to go along the present year without further loans but will diminish to some extent, the public debt.

THE sale of government property at Alexandria, Va., is now in progress. Railroad and scrap iron bring good prices. A large number of buyers from the North and Northwest are in attendance.

THE proper authorities have decided that soldiers who re-enlist in the regular army within 30 days after their discharge from the volunteer service, will receive an additional $2 monthly pay—making the wages, $18 per month for privates.

THE French Minister at Washington has become somewhat alarmed at the war-like tone of the Congressional resolutions relative to Mexican affairs, and on the 14th sent his Secretary of Legation to France to report the state of affairs to the Emperor, and to bring back his instructions.

A NEW Railroad Company was organized in N. Y. on the 14th, for the purpose of building a Road from N. Y. City to Oswego over the Midland route, to be called the N. Y. & Oswego Midland Railroad Company, with a capital of ten million of dollars.

SECRET agents of the Fenians have returned from Ireland somewhat discouraged at the partial failure of the movement there, but hopeful of ultimate success. They report the existence of great excitement on the subject. Dublin presented a martial appearance—horse, foot and artillery soldiers abounding—during the late trials.

THE rebellion in Jamaica must certainly be very effectually suppressed. The latest advices repeat this piece of information for the twentieth time. England proposes to increase her despotism over Jamaica by making the members of its legislature life-officers—and appointed by the Crown.

SPECIALS to the New York papers from Washington state that in the event of the formal appointment of a Minister from the United States to the Republic of Mexico, the French Minister will withdraw from this country; also, it is conclusively settled that the Southern members will not be admitted to seats in Congress this winter.

ROBBERIES, in connection with the Detroit post-office, having of late become frequent, detectives were set to work, and on the 11th inst., ferreted out the robber in the person of John Sullivan, a clerk in the office for a year past, and of a respectable family in that city. The sum of $2,343,85 was found on the young man's person and in his room at his father's house, besides articles of value, such as gold watches, jewelry, postage stamps and checks. On being arraigned before the U. S. Commissioner he confessed his crime.

THE chapter of accidents, fires, &c., by telegraph this morning, is not so full as usual. A steam saw mill at Oswego, N. Y., burned on the 14th, loss $30,000; and a boiler-explosion happened at Lansingburg, N. Y., on the 14th, killing the engineer and using up $20,000 worth of property. The destruction of a lager-beer brewery by fire in Philadelphia, and the execution of two murderers at Chicago yesterday, complete the account.

At a meeting of the Union League Club, in New York, on the 14th, Signor Mackenna of Chili, said his country was the first of the South American States to embrace the idea of a world-encircling telegraph line. In 1850 a line was built from Santiago to Valparaiso. Those cities are now connected by two lines, and Chili has 900 miles of telegraph besides, under process of construction. *Sig.* M. was anxious that the United States should connect this country and that by a sub-marine line, and wrest from England the monopoly of the commerce in that direction.

The Murder of Mr. Gillett.

We print in our local column, on another page, an account of the inquest held in Toledo on Wednesday last on the body of Jonathan Gillett, formerly a prominent merchant of this city, who disappeared in January 1863, and who was at the time supposed to have committed suicide. It will be seen that from the evidence adduced before the jury they came unanimously to the conclusion that he had been murdered by parties unknown. We hope no pains may be spared, even at so late a day, to ferret out and bring to justice the perpetrators of this black crime.

Delane Denies the Soft Impeachment.

In a recent letter to a British citizen of New York, which is published in the New York *Tribune*, Delane, the editor of the London *Times*, thus denies the charge that he has been a subscriber to the Confederate Loan:

"I admit at once that I should, as a journalist, have proved myself unworthy of all public confidence had I bought either Federal or Confederate stock during the late civil war.

"I deny, however, most explicitly, that I ever applied for, ever had allotted to me, ever purchased or ever possessed, in my own name, or in any other, any Federal or Confederate stock, or had any personal or pecuniary interest whatever in the result of the late contest.

"If then, as you say, the United States Government has made this charge, I submit that it is bound in honor either to prove or retract it."

A destructive fire at Janesville, Wis., Tuesday night, destroyed nearly the entire block between Main and North Second streets.

Colonel Boynton, formerly of the 35th Ohio, has been appointed Brevet Brigadier General for gallant and meritorious services in the field.

The Irrepressible Conflict in the Irish Republic.

Terrible is the shindy in Seventeenth Street, New York City! The fierce Fayntans are by the ears. The O'Mahoneys and the O'Rourkes, the Connellys and the Fitzerrolds, the Lanigans and the Mulligans, are embroiled in deathly conflict. Internal and internecine conflict distracts the great Irish Republic. Its Senate and President are at swords points. The war-like preparations—the active energy—which erstwhile caused the bloody Sassenach and the cowardly Canuck to tremble and turn pale, are now wasted in internal dissensions. Terrible is the ruction! Donnybrook Fair is commonplace compared to it, the battle of the Boyne and the sanguinary struggle of Slievnamon sink into insignificance before it. Each faction is spreading proclamations and posters, appeals and addresses, before the people. Each is telling stories about the other, which, if half of them are true, prove both to be composed of the most precious set of scoundrels and liars unhung.

"It was not always thus." Only so long ago as in September, when the Fenian Congress assembled in Philadelphia, all was as harmonious as a honeymoon, and as merry as marriage bells. That Congress organized an "Irish Republic in America" amid the wildest and safest enthusiasm. It adopted a Constitution therefor. In pursuance of its provisions, John O'Mahony, the Head Centre of the F. B., an Irish patriot of long standing, and a participant in the fiasco of '48, was elected President of the new republic, and a Senate of fifteen members was chosen to exercise its legislative functions. Receipts rolled in at the rate of a hundred thousand dollars a month, and recruits came by thousands and tens of thousands. England trembled on her throne, and Canada shook from centre to circumference.

But, alas for the corruption and jealousies of rulers! The new nation needed a capital, and, as certain political reasons rendered it inexpedient to locate that capital in Ireland, an eligible site for it was found in the aristocratic precincts of New York city. A palatial mansion, magnificently furnished, with ebony and rosewood desks, velvet carpets, carved folding doors, and stained windows was selected. Here the O'Mahony and his cabinet, big with affairs of empire, organized revolution, fulminated thunder-bolts against England, and safely stowed away the funds. But trouble arose between the President and the Senate. Each desired the handling of the spondoolicks. The senators could not see why O'Mahony and his clan should have sole charge of the golden treasure which constantly flowed in from the offerings of Irish servant girls and Fenian navvies. Jealousy and wrangling commenced. The quarrel finally assumed definite shape in the refusal of the Senate to confirm the nomination by the President of an Agent of the Republic, whose signature was necessary, according to the constitution, to the validity of all its bonds. Upon this the unterrified O'Mahony appointed himself the Agent and issued the bonds on his own hook. The Senate—or the anti-O'Mahony faction thereof, numbering ten of the fifteen who composed that body—thereat assembled and by proclamation denounced O'Mahony and warned the public that his bonds were worthless. Eager for the fray, the Chief Magistrate responded with a couple of counter-proclamations, denouncing the Ten as "long-timed malcontents," excluding them from his palatial headquarters, and gently insinuating that they were bought with English gold. Not so to be scared from their fixed purpose, the undaunted Ten again assembled, and cited the O'Mahony and his Secretary of the Treasury, B. D. Killian, to appear before them for trial. These gallant statesmen treated the citation with defiance, and the Senate, after waiting twenty-four hours in vain for a response to its summons, met on Saturday last, and, after grave and solemn deliberation, found the O'Mahony and his Secretary guilty of treason, malfeasance and perfidy, and deposed them from office. W. R. Roberts, the President of the Senate, was chosen to the place from which the O'Mahony had been so rudely hurled. But the O'Mahony, with persistence worthy of a better cause, refuses to be hurled therefrom. He sticks to his palace, the richly-carved doors of which are slammed viciously in the faces of the Senators and their President, hangs on to the funds, and gives notice of an intention to lay the wholesubject before the Fenian Congress, an extra session of which is called to meet on the second of January. The new President has delivered his inaugural, and demanded possession of the brown stone mansion in which O'Mahony reposes his democratic limbs in aristocratic luxury—a demand which was of course contemptuously refused. Thus matters stand, and meantime the contest rages fast and furious. From the headquarters of both factions issue daily proclamations, numerous and terrible enough, were they cannon-balls, to annihilate an army. Charges and counter-charges, too numerous to be catalogued, are urged with such persistence and zeal that it were a pity to disbelieve them. Each party seems bent on proving the other to be made up of consummate swindlers and each, we must add, succeeds admirably in its object. The senators, on their part, want to know by what authority $18,000 of the contributions of poor Irish work-maids was paid for the rent of a palace for eighteen months; $5,000 more for repairs; and $5,000 more for furniture. They declare that the books of the Treasury are kept from public inspection, and that there is no possible security against the embezzlement by the O'Mahony clique, of the entire million of dollars which rests in its capacious vaults. Meantime the President and his party assert that the senators are jealous because they do not hold the power and the purse-strings; and that the former treasurer, now one of the Ten senators, loaned $180,000 of the funds while they were in his hands, and lost $76,000 more in gold speculation. Other charges, which we cannot find room to recount, are heaped high on the heads of both factions. So wages this fierce fight, which bids fair to eclipse the sanguinary contest, famed in history, between the Kilkenny cats; and meantime the minions of despotism, the Saxon tyrants, the proud Sassenachs who lord it over Ireland, are no longer shaking in their boots, but grow jubilant over the dissensions which distract the mighty Republic.

The public sentiment in Eastern circles is with O'Mahony; that of Western with the senators. For ourselves we see little chance for choice. Each party seems bent on plunder, and far more anxious to handle the funds of the Republic than to fight its battles. The only class who deserve sympathy are the deluded people whose hard-earned money, so lavishly contributed for a patriotic purpose, is at the mercy of such a pack of scoundrels as these men are proving each other to be.

So bursts the Fenian bubble. We predicted from the first that the movement would be a failure, but we did not expect to see our prediction so soon realized. The result shows how futile the entire enterprise was, and how unfit are the men who planned it either to establish or to govern an Irish republic.

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Spiritual Lectures.—Charles A. Hayden, Esq., will Lecture again at Sons of Temperance Hall, 184 Superior street, to-morrow (Sunday) at half-past 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. dec16:271

The Funeral of Rev. R. H. Conklin, late of Ashtabula, deceased in this city, will be attended in the Plymouth Church to-morrow afternoon, at two o'clock. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. S. Wolcott. The usual Sabbath evening service in the Church will be omitted. dec16:270

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Masonic Notice.—The officers and members of Oriental Encampment No. 12, K. T., are hereby notified to meet at Ivy Hall on Monday next, 18th inst., at 7 o'clock P. M., for drill.
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Festival at Armory.—The ladies of the Franklin Street Disciple Church will hold a Festival at the Armory, corner Pearl and Franklin streets, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Dec. 19th and 20th, 1865. Admission each evening fifty cents. Children under twelve years of age twenty-five cents on Wednesday evening. No extra charge for supper. Proceeds to be devoted to the benefit of the Sunday School and Church. The public are invited to attend. dec16:272

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Tampering with the Teeth is madness. Avoid the corrosive dentrifices, submit to no scraping, use nothing but SOZODONT. Orient herbs are its ingredients. It preserves the enamel. It removes all impurities. It strengthens the gums. It deodorizes a tainted breath. It is as harmless as water, and more valuable than its weight in gold. dec12

During the Holidays, C. Hanbrock, No. 38 Public Square, will sell Picture Frames, Looking Glasses, Mouldings, Cord, Tassels, &c., at a discount of from 15 to 20 per cent. dec13:273

Clover Seed! Clover Seed!!—200 bushels prime Clover Seed just received, and for sale at Upton Elevator by GARDNER, BURT & CO. dec13:274

Gent's Furnishing Goods.—Mott & Haight, have just opened a splendid assortment of Gent's Furnishing Goods for the fall and winter trade, at No. 141 Superior street, under the Weddell House. oct7:R8

Fruit House.—We are now prepared to sell all kinds of canned Fruit, Catsups, &c., Green Apples and Fresh Grapes. These Grapes are as fresh as when picked from the vines.
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Foreign Drafts.—We are prepared to draw direct on England, Ireland, Germany, Prussia, Austria, France, Switzerland, Norway, and all parts of the Continent of Europe in sums to suit purchasers. [dec1:270] E. J. FARMER & Co.

Winter Apples.—300 bbls. Greenings, Russetts, Spitzenbergs, and other choice varieties of Winter Apples in store and for sale by
PELTON, FRENCH & CO.,
n30:274 Ovitt's Exchange, foot of Superior st.

To Printers.—The best kinds of PRINTERS' NEWS INK for sale at Leader office.

To Oil Refiners.—We are prepared to do all kinds of Oil Refinery Plumbing in the most perfect and durable manner. Before engaging work elsewhere, Oil Refiners will find it for their interest to call on SMITH & COSBY,
Oil Refinery, House and Ship Plumbers,
n16:236 117 Seneca street, opposite City Hotel.

Study Economy by purchasing your FURS (either wholesale or retail) direct from the manufacturers. DECKAND & ENGELHART
Fashionable Hatters and Furriers,
154 Superior street, opposite the Weddell.

LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

FROM WASHINGTON

Southern Members not to be Admitted this Winter.

Anticipated Withdrawal of French Minister.

ARGUMENT IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Case of Garland, Pardoned Rebel.

THE CRAVEN COURT MARTIAL.

He is found Guilty and Sentenced.

The Secretary of the Navy sets Aside Proceedings and Releases Him from Arrest.

NEW YORK NEWS

A Citizen of Chili speaks in New York

About Telegraph Lines in South America.

FROM IRELAND.

Return of Secret Agents of the Fenians.

"The Pomp and Circumstance of War" in Dublin.

GENERAL NEWS.

Fire in Oswego, N. Y.—Loss $30,000

BOILER EXPLOSION IN LANSINGBURG, N. Y.

One Man Killed—Loss $20,000

NEWS FROM PARAGUAY AND JAMAICA.

Two Murderers Hung in Chicago.

Gold last night closed 146 1-4.

Associated Press Report.

General News.

Hung.

CHICAGO, December 15.—Fleming and Corbett, who murdered a man named Maloney, in Cicero, a year ago, were hung in the county jail this afternoon.

Fire.

OSWEGO, December 15.—The steam saw mill owned by Chalmer & Wilmot, situated in a cove on the East side of the river, in this city, was consumed by fire last night. The machinery connected with the ship yard, together with a considerable amount of lumber, shingles, bolts, &c., all belonging to the same firm, were also consumed. A strong North-west wind was blowing and the fire spread to the rigging of several vessels along the dock, but the flames were soon extinguished. The schooner J. L. Crocker, had her masts and bowsprit destroyed. Total loss estimated at $30,000.

Appointment.

FORTRESS MONROE, December 14.—Hennessy, formerly Major of the 5th Pennsylvania Cavalry and Judge Advocate of Norfolk, has been appointed Assistant United States Attorney at Richmond.

Boiler Explosion.

TROY, December 15.—This morning the boiler at J. G. McMurray & Co.'s brush factory in Lansingburg exploded, killing Phineas Ward, Engineer. It is supposed he was the only person in the building, which was badly shattered. The damage will be from $15,000 to $20,000.

Opened for Business.

PITTSBURGH, December 15.—The immense grain elevator recently completed in this city, was opened for business yesterday.

From New York.

Obsequies of General Morris.

NEW YORK, December 15.—The remains of Brigadier-General Morris arrived in this city this morning, and lay in state in the Governor's Room of the City Hall, where hundreds of persons viewed them. At about ono o'clock the remains were placed in the hearse and escorted, by a detachment of about 1,000 regulars, to Trinity Church, where the usual ceremonies of the Episcopal Church were performed, after which the body was removed for interment in the family vault. Brigadier General Van Vliet and General Van Buren and several prominent military and naval officers, acted as pall bearers.

Trade Along the Southern Coast.

NEW YORK, December 15.—The number of vessels sailing from New York to the ports south of Baltimore, Washington, Alexandria, &c., averages, at present, more than fifty in each week, and they comprise about two-thirds of all the vessels going to ports in the United States. The number of vessels going to the same ports in the week ending December 6, 1865, was fifty-four.

Russian Telegraph.

NEW YORK, December 15.—The London Telegraph states that the Russian government sent out two telegraph officers to ascertain whether it were possible to obtain permission of the Chinese government to establish a telegraph from Kiaculta to Pekin, but that the Chinese showed themselves averse to the scheme, and the officers have returned.

Telegraph in Chili.

NEW YORK, December 15.—Before the Union League Club in this city, last night, Signor Benjamin Vicura Mackenna, of Chili, speaking of the telegraph of his country, said Chili was the first country in South America to offer its cordial support to the great idea of encircling the world with the telegraph. Chili had its first line of telegraph between Santiago and Valparaiso in 1850, and now there are two lines connecting those cities. Chili now is building 900 miles of inland telegraph. When bigoted Spain began a vexatious and unjustifiable war, Chili ordered some 900 miles of telegraph to be immediately made to protect the country, and immediately sent her soldiers to the place threatened by the Spaniards.

The speaker said the only practicable telegraph route in South America from ocean to ocean was through Chili, and he thought a line would soon be completed on a plan similar to that of the overland route to Behrings Straits. There are two routes proposed, in both of which Americans are interested; one to follow the line of a proposed railroad 200 miles in length; the other is to lay a submarine wire from Panama to Valparaiso, following the route pursued by steamers. This line will connect at many intermediate ports, so that stations will be from 5 to 100 miles apart. There is a proposition to connect Mexican telegraph to Panama, by which news can be conveyed from United States of America to Buenos Ayres at the cost of a few hundred thousand dollars. South of Panama there is not a single commercial steamer that bears the American flag. That commerce has been entirely monopolized by a fleet of English steamers. Do not mind Spain nor her old admiral. Go there and we will find some one to open a door for us. In conclusion the speaker said that he was in favor of the Monroe doctrine and he hoped the United States would adhere to it.

Washington News.

Southern Representatives not to be Admitted

NEW YORK, December 15.—The Post's Washington dispatch says of the question of the admission of the claimants to seats in the House of Representatives:

It is now considered that it has been fully determined, the vote in the House adopting the Stevens' resolution by two-thirds being regarded as conclusive evidence, that they will not be admitted this winter.

The Contested Election Case.

It is now understood that the House of Representatives will take action early in January upon the contested election case in the Eighth District of New York. The evidence has been sent to the printer and will make a volume of over one thousand pages.

The Case of Garland.

WASHINGTON, December 14.—In the United States Supreme Court to day Mr. Carpenter, of Wisconsin, argued in support of readmitting Garland to practice without requiring him to take the oath of allegiance. He having been engaged in the rebellion, Mr. Crpenter contended, the pardon restored Garland to all his civil rights.

Attorney General Speed combatted the gentleman's position,