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**SAN FRANCISCO, 18.**—The memorandum of the steamer *Great Republic* report that during the latter part of the passage there was a moderate breeze with a heavy swell from the north-west. Reports from various points on the coast, from Santa Cruz to Cape Mendocino, mention a similar heavy sea without wind, the waves rolling up to the beach one to three hundred feet beyond the usual high water mark, in some instances with sufficient force to carry coasters from their moorings. This fact, in conjunction with the recent slight earthquake shocks felt in this vicinity, is thought here to indicate a great convulsion in some distant quarter of the globe.

**NEW YORK, 19.**—About \$34,000 worth of laces, silk and velvet trimmings, jet, gold beads, etc., lately imported from England, and undervalued in the invoice presented to the customs officers, were seized yesterday in free store warehouses, at the store of one Livingston, in Broome street; the capture of the original invoices led to the discovery of the attempt to defraud the revenue.

**WASHINGTON, 19.**—John H. Nichols, clerk in the city post office, has been arrested on a charge of purloining letters.

Ex-Senator Chandler had a long interview with the President this a.m., and accepted the appointment of Secretary of the Interior. As soon as Mr. Chandler had signified his acceptance, his commission was made out, and a note was sent to Chief Justice Cartier, of the District Supreme Court, to appear at the White House at noon. The Chief Justice accordingly proceeded to the Executive Mansion and administered the oath to the new secretary. The cabinet then met, and Chandler took his seat at the table.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs has received dispatches from the Indian agent at Green River, Wyoming, dated the 16th inst., saying that the Shoshones have had a battle with the Arrapahoes and whipped them.

**TORONTO, Ont., 19.**—Eight stores in Orangeville were burned yesterday; loss \$30,000.

**NEW YORK, 19.**—The directors of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. held a meeting this p.m., and ratified the sale, recently negotiated, of four of their old wooden side-wheel steamers, the *Costa Rica*, *Oregonian*, *Golden Age* and *Nevada*, to the Miltza Bitsche Company of Japan. This company receives a subsidy from the Japanese government and represents it. The steamers sold were run between Shanghai and Yokohama, in opposition to the line of the Miltza Bitsche Company; the Miltza Bitsche Co. offers to run the steamers bought so as to connect with the main line of the Pacific Mail.

Jacob Sonderman, who, on April 19, shot and killed Louisa Leiberman, has been convicted of murder in the first degree.

A special to the *Sun* from New Haven reports that processions of the Odd Fellows' encampments of Connecticut and invited encampments from Providence, were insulted and pelted with stones by the students as they passed Yale College, and they charged upon the students with drawn swords; several of the students were slightly wounded. The faculty of the college have expressed regret at the unfortunate occurrence.

**MILWAUKEE, 19.**—About a week ago the sheriff of Portage county, named Baker, was killed by two brothers, Amos and Isaiah Courtwright, whom he attempted to eject from a building; this a.m. about forty masked men went to the jail at Stevens Point, took out the Courtwrights and hung them; the whole affair was quickly executed. There is no evidence of the identity of the perpetrators.

**BUFFALO, N. Y., 19.**—Thomas Keenan and Benj. Dickey, aldermen, were to-day arraigned in the superior court, criminal term, for misconduct in office, in selling to the city, and auditing their accounts for work and supplies furnished; they were held to bail in \$2,000 each.

**ALBANY, 19.**—Governor Tilden has instructed the district attorneys throughout the State to prosecute all persons guilty of the improper use of money at elections, on pain of dismissal.

**WASHINGTON, 20.**—Secretary

Chandler took possession of the Interior Department this morning, and had brief conferences with the Assistant Secretary and some of the chiefs of bureaus.

**BUFFALO, 20.**—The first Centennial train left here for Philadelphia this a.m.; the cars were gaily decorated, and there was much enthusiasm. A dispatch from Emporium says that the train arrived there on time, 129 miles in three hours and thirty minutes. The stations along the line were gaily decorated and salutes were fired, etc. The excursionists numbered some hundred representative men from Buffalo, and about the same number from other cities.

**CHICAGO, 20.**—A Washington special says that information received from New York is to the effect that the recent reduction of 54-100 of a cent per pound in the drawback on refined sugars exported, has completely stopped the exportation of refined sugars from the United States. Refiners claim that some strange influence must have been exerted to effect the reduction, because they heard from European sugar merchants, a week before it took place, that the reduction was to be made, while no American refiner was consulted on the subject, either by the secretary of the treasury or any of his experts. They regard the secretary's action as hasty, while he, on the other hand, says that it is merely experimental and by no means conclusive. In view of the distress likely to be occasioned by this change, and the fact that the Canadians have already begun to absorb our immense sugar export trade, the secretary of the treasury has insisted that the collector of the port of New York shall proceed, without delay, to organize a commission of experts for the purpose of making tests that will show, with exactness, the loss of weight on raw sugars in the process of refining. It was represented to the secretary that the old drawback allowance involved a bounty of one half cent per pound to the refiner, hence the reduction of the drawback.

S. J. McCann, of Omaha, whom the Red Cloud report so severely assailed, does not propose to be made the head villain or scape goat; he arrived here this morning, and has begun to prepare an answer to the statement of the commissioners; if McCann does what he says he can he will prove that the commissioners have been even more careless than they charge Prof. Marsh to have been. In the presentation of his evidence McCann proposes to prove, by the official record, that the three vital charges against him are false.

**NEW YORK, 20.**—The Long Island Baptist Association, in session yesterday, adopted a resolution deprecating sectarianism in public schools.

The estate of the Broadway dry goods firm of Rice, Goodwin and Walker, which failed a year ago, will, it is said, pay one cent on the dollar.

Jacob Sonderman, convicted yesterday of shooting Louisa Sildenswald, who had rejected his offer of marriage, was sentenced to-day to be hung on the 10th of December; the judge characterized the defence of insanity excited by passion as a flimsy pretense.

**BOSTON, 20.**—Wool, in California business, has been fair at 20 @ 35 for Spring, as to quality; super and X pulled wools range from 37 @ 50 cents per pound, as to quality.

**WASHINGTON, 20.**—The President, to-day, appointed Charles S. Varian, U. S. Attorney for Nevada. As soon as the routine business which had accumulated at the Interior Department was disposed of to-day, Secretary Chandler received a large number of calls from persons of more or less prominence, who came to pay visits of ceremony or to tender personal congratulations. Among the first of the callers was Col. John Mosby, of Virginia.

**LITTLE ROCK, 20.**—The sheriff of Arkansas county left De Witt, the county seat, on Sunday morning, in charge of two prisoners, sentenced to the penitentiary; one of the men was under sentence of death for the murder of Inman, a year ago. While waiting for a boat at St. Charles, a band of masked men took charge of the sheriff and his posse, and shot and killed one of the prisoners, who was sitting by the fire in chains.

**NEW YORK, 20.**—The great trotting match for five thousand dollars a side between Prospero and Honest Dutchman, came off to-day at Prospect Park; Prospero won in

the first heat, time 2:23; Honest Dutchman was distanced.

**MONTREAL, 20.**—The men of the Prince of Wales' rifles have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for Friday night and imperative instructions have been issued that every man be present. The object of this sudden call is not known, but it is generally surmised that it has some connection with the Guibord burial.

The great hall of the Cooper Union was filled last night with enthusiastic men and women, who desire that the Bible should be read in public schools, and that the school fund shall not be used for sectarian purposes. The audience sang an opening ode to the tune of the Star Spangled Banner. The Rev. J. S. Willis plead for the continued maintenance of the Bible in public schools. It was inseparably woven into the warp and woof of the public schools; as a matter of policy the Bible should be retained, to instruct the youth in those principles of morals that a liberal system of education lays before him. He said that he was willing to accept Prince Bismarck's compromise, and allow the Catholics to be taught from the Donati Bible, and the Protestants from the St. James Bible, for there was not much difference any way.

**CHICAGO, 21.**—A Washington special says that a statement is made that a new mixed commission is about to assemble at Halifax, to arrange the final settlement of the Canadian fishery question. The Joint High Commission, when in session, made an effort to adjust the difficulties with Canada and the U. S., and failing, agreed to the appointment of a new commission, one member to be appointed by Great Britain, one by the U. S., and one by the two countries.

They could not agree, and it was determined to leave the nomination of a third commissioner to the diplomatic representative of Austria at London. The privileges contended for by American fishermen are the right of taking, curing and drying fish in the waters of the Canadian Dominion without being restricted to any particular distance from the shore, with permission to land to dry their fish, make purchases, etc. The provisions of the reciprocity treaty induced Canada to pass the very laws against American fishermen, calculated to drive them from their usual fishing grounds, and many vessels were seized and brought into Canadian ports as prizes in 1870, notwithstanding the Canadians enjoy the same privileges on American waters as the Americans do. The American members of the Joint High Commission suggested that the United States might be willing to pay a million dollars for the privilege of fishing forever in Canadian waters, but the British members deemed the sum as entirely inadequate. The Americans replied that they did not regard the privilege as valuable, but that the United States wanted it because it was desirable to remove all causes of irritation between the two countries. The commissioners who meet at Halifax are Sir A. T. Galt on the part of Great Britain, and Lt. Governor Clifford, of Mass., for the U. S.; the third commissioner has not yet been named.

**BOSTON, 21.**—Fred. Hudson, for many years managing editor of the *N. Y. Herald*, died this a.m., at his home at Concord, from injuries received on the railroad track, at five yesterday p.m. It seems that Mr. Hudson was approaching the Monument St. crossing of the Middlesex Central Railway in a covered buggy, with Judge J. P. Keys, who was driving; the flagman warned them of the approach of a train and they stopped till the engine passed. Being engaged in conversation, and not thinking that cars were coming after, and that a flying switch was always made at this crossing, they started to cross when the cars struck the hind wheel and threw Judge Keys into the street, and rolled Mr. Hudson and the buggy along the track twenty feet, and down a slight embankment. An examination showed that Judge Keys, although considerably bruised and stunned, was not seriously injured; Mr. Hudson's injuries, however, proved fatal, and he died this a.m. Mr. Hudson was 56 years of age.

**NASHVILLE, Tenn., 21.**—The *American's* Franklin, Tenn., special, to-day, says that Col. John House & Son, of Mannery, were both killed, in a personal altercation, by one Griffin, this morning.

**BALTIMORE, 21.**—By a collision

of freight trains, last night, on the Baltimore and Ohio railway, near Martinsburg, the engines were badly wrecked and five cars and their contents burned.

**FOREIGN.**

**LONDON, 18.**—The case of Alexander and William Collie, charged with obtaining money under false pretences, came up again to-day in the Guildhall. William Collie appeared. The prosecution stated that they were unwilling to proceed in the absence of Alexander Collie, who had absconded, but they trusted that they would soon have both of the defendants arraigned. The case was adjourned till the 18th of December.

The steamship *Faraday* intends sailing to-day or to-morrow, to repair the injury to the Direct U. S. cable. It is expected that the repairs will be completed about the 10th of November.

It is reported that sixty tons of small arms for China have been shipped from London as merchandise and landed at Shanghai. The British government is investigating the matter.

Advices from Milan this evening announce that the reception of the Emperor William was everywhere most enthusiastic.

London newspapers announce the failure of Messrs. J. H. W. Dudgeon, engineers, of the Sun engine works, at Millwall, and of the iron and shipyard at Cubittown; the liabilities are estimated at half a million dollars.

The *Standard*, this morning, publishes a special from Vienna, in which it is said that a force of six hundred Dalmatians had attacked a Turkish village, but were defeated after a serious encounter.

The *Mark Lane Express*, in its review of the corn market, says—“In consequence of the recent heavy rains, seed time is much more promising; the dampness has affected most of the new large foreign arrivals, and has checked the upward tendency in price, but holders are still indisposed to make any concessions, trade is therefore inactive. At Paris the prices are rather lower, while in France wheat is steady and dearer. Belgium is unchanged, Holland is firmer, and Germany steady and inactive. Vienna is inactive, but Odessa is firm. The averages are a shilling and two pence higher, the bulk of that sold being fully three shillings inferior in price to the previous crop.”

**PARIS, 18.**—A banquet was given yesterday in honor of ex-President Thiers, at Areachon, in the Gironde. M. Thiers delivered an address in which he said the republic must be maintained. He did not think the radicals were as black as they were painted, and he believed if they gained power they would pursue a different course from what their opponents suppose. M. Thiers also said he desired the dismissal of all functionaries who do not respect the republic. This, he thought, was necessary in order to render the elections really representative. He denied that the republic would isolate France, and said that she may count upon the sympathy of Europe. The European policy of the future will be peace and non-intervention. Thiers also advocated a liberal and modern system of education.

**MILAN, 18.**—The Emperor William, accompanied by Von Moltke, the Secretary of State Von Bulow, and other dignitaries, arrived this afternoon. Victor Emanuel, the Crown Prince and Princess, and Prince Amadeus, accompanied by the president of the council, Signor Minghetti, and the minister of foreign affairs, Signor Visconte Veosta, received the Emperor and suite at the railway station, where the members of the royal household and representatives from the two chambers were in waiting. The minister of war, Signor Ricotti, and the minister of the interior, Signor Cortelli, were also present. It is expected that the Emperor will remain here three or four days.

**LONDON, 19.**—The *S. S. Faraday* sailed to-day, to repair the direct U. S. cable.

The *Morning Post's* telegram from Berlin says it is stated in naval circles that Prince Frederick Fritz will visit the Centennial at Philadelphia, and that a German squadron will escort him there.

**MUNICH, 19.**—A royal decree gives effect to the imperial laws introducing compulsory civil marriages.

**PARIS, 20.**—M. Rouher, in a speech at Ajaccio on the sixteenth, attacked Thiers and the Orleanists,

and censured President Mac Mahon; he also said that the Bonapartists were in favor of universal suffrage, and are content to appeal to the people for an expression of the national will.

**HAVRE, 20.**—A telegram has been received here from Valpariso, announcing that a terrible fire has taken place at Iquique, Peru; three-quarters of the town are said to have been destroyed.

**LONDON, 20.**—Two hundred dwellings, a synagogue and five schools, in Widsy, Russian Poland, have been burned; some persons perished and 3,000 are homeless.

**LONDON, 20.**—The weather, to-day, is tempestuous. Recent rains have swollen the rivers and dams in Devonshire, causing inundations; the loss is considerable. Torquay, Teignmouth and Dawlish were flooded, and much damage was done to property.

Rev. Wm. Edward Jelf, B.D., is dead. The death of the Very Rev. Walter Farquharson Hook, D.D., F.R.S., is also announced.

**SHANGHAI, 21.**—Mr. Wade, the British minister in China, has informed the foreign legations that while negotiating at Peking he insisted upon a better observance of treaties by the Chinese, especially with regard to the taxation of trade. China promised to institute an inquiry and prepare a report as a basis for further negotiations. No new trade convention was contemplated, as none could be operative that was negotiated by a single minister; all the foreign representatives must join in such a negotiation.

**BERLIN, 20.**—In the matter of the Count Von Arnim the supreme court has endorsed the verdict of the Kammergericht; the Count is to pay the costs.

**LONDON, 21, 6:15 a.m.**—The *Echo* says that a large portion of the bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England yesterday will be sent to Canada.

Later reports state that extensive floods have occurred throughout Lancashire, Warwickshire and elsewhere in England. The midland railroad between Sheffield and Doncaster, is submerged, in some places to the depth of five feet, traffic is consequently seriously interrupted, and for many miles absolutely stopped. Many low lying houses in Birmingham have been inundated, the water in some cases being several feet above the first floor; the water stands ten feet deep on the tracks at the Walsall railroad station.

A special telegram from Berlin says that the Turkish government have declared their willingness to give the great powers any guarantees compatible with the nation's dignity for the fulfilment of her financial programme.

The *Times* says that the Kashgar envoy at St. Petersburg has conceded the establishment of a permanent Russian agency.

**PARIS, 21.**—A fire in the arsenal at Brest caused two hundred thousand dollars damage.

The work of sinking a shaft 100 metres deep, will be begun next week near Cahis, this will be a preliminary operation upon the Channel tunnel.

**National School Singer**, published by A. S. Barnes & Co., New York and Chicago. This is a work of 128 pages, and contains 152 pieces, words and music, including song lessons, school songs, and occasional songs. Most of these are of a very simple character, easily learned, and suitable for children. It is a very cheap work, and would be found very useful and entertaining in schools and in families.

**DIED.**

In Salt Lake City, October 20th, of inflammation of the bowels, CHARLES ROBERT, son of Thomas L. and Eliza Porter, aged 1 year, 2 months and 3 days.

In Salt Lake City, October 20th, of cancer of the bowels, THOMAS JAMES, son of Thomas and Hannah Porter, aged 11 months and 29 days.

In the 16th Ward, Oct. 21st, of old age MARGARET WILLIS, aged 84 years, formerly from London, England. *Millennial Star*, p. case copy.

In Fillmore City, Millard Co., October 16, ELIZA, daughter of Thomas and Caroline Swallow, aged twelve years, four months and nine days. *Millennial Star*, please copy.

At Mendon, Cache Co., September 18th, of summer complaint and teething, LIZZIE MARY, only daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Gains, aged ten months.

In South Jordan precinct, October 20th, MARY ANN, daughter of James and Martha Shields, aged ten months and twenty days.