

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The former Brent.  
Crook's report.  
Another grand vizier.  
Philadelphia Wool market.  
Fire at Boston, \$75,000.  
Steamer burned on the Pacific coast.  
Throwing rocks at a train in Tallahassee. The congressional committee.  
South Carolina has two State governments—a clash expected.  
Morton says he went to Indianapolis on private business.  
Post office clerk discharged from arrest at San Francisco.  
Governor Grover going to Washington.  
Crisis in Denmark.  
Fire in Canada, four children perished.  
Not so much small-pox at Winnipeg.  
Concerning the holiday adjournment of Congress.  
Election frauds committee and telegrams.  
Reign of terror in Lower California.  
Congressional proceedings.  
Frost's ineligibility to the governorship of Missouri.  
Coal mine explosion at Newport, Wales. A number killed and wounded.  
Veltman, a forger, surrendered in Canada.  
Hampton and Chamberlain, Lamar explains.  
President Grant's views.  
Louisiana investigation.  
South Carolina investigation.  
Washington gossip.  
The Sioux commission justify the Indians.  
Crook justifies the whites.  
More artillery at Washington.  
Grant apologizes for the arrest of French attaches at Philadelphia.  
Mr. Orton not subpoenaed.  
Cuban war news.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The New York Graphic says the one line in the papers every day that "Commodore Vanderbilt is easier" costs each of the morning journals between \$30 and \$40 per week, an expense that has been maintained now and then with augmentations, since May.

A Missouri farmer, anxious for Tilden and reform, and despondent over the South Carolina business, went out and hanged himself from a tree which had fallen across a ravine.

Ireland does not feel the hard times badly, judging by the following: "Ireland is prospering. The bankers there say that the deposits in the saving institutions are largely on the increase, and that working classes and peasantry are doing well and saving money."

Plenty of shipbuilders in Scotland. Says an exchange, "At the launch of the steam frigate Nelson on the River Clyde, a few days ago, it was stated by one of the builders of the vessel that 40,000 men were now at work shipbuilding on the Clyde, and that the Clyde shipbuilding yards could construct the whole of the British navy in two years."

The New York Herald of Dec. 13 says: "Charles Madison, of 160 Greenwich Street, started the 8th of last July, as will be remembered, to cross the Atlantic Ocean to England in a dory. He told his wife at the time he was going to Philadelphia, to be gone a few weeks, but the poor woman soon discovered the reckless task he had undertaken, and she has waited ever since, with the hope deferred that maketh the heart sick, for his return. Her husband, of course, has gone to the bottom, and the woman and her two children are utterly destitute."

Referring to the construction of theatres, with special reference to the statement of the architect of the Brooklyn Theatre, Jackson, that it "was as well provided with means of exit as any theatre he knew of," the St. Louis Globe Democrat says, "The witness, however, could not have been ignorant of the fact that at least two of the principal theatres of New York, Booth's and the Opera House, are so well provided with entrances that, in case of extreme panic, the wide doors opening on the streets afford the amplest means of egress to every man, woman and child who could find sitting or standing room in the auditorium and galleries. But, if we except these two, and, perhaps, a few others over the country, the statement of the architect in regard to the means of exit of theatres in general is, unfortunately, too true. Almost without knowing it, the people of this country have, for years been attending theatres whose sole method of egress is by a narrow door leading to a flight of stairs often with two or three turns before the ground is gained."

HARD TIMES IN NEW YORK.

The hardest of the hard times for the season are at hand. Many of our citizens think the times are hard here. So they are to some, to those who have no work and no provision ahead to subsist upon. To such, times are hard, no matter where they may reside, and the truest philanthropists in such cases are those who furnish work and pay to those who need the same. Work of some sort or other can generally be had, but it needs to be accompanied with a little certain and useful pay to render it profitable or acceptable to the worker.

After all, it seems that the times are much harder in other parts of the country than they are in this Territory. Take the commercial capital of the Union, New York, for instance. "Times are hard there, judging by newspaper reports.

The New York Herald has been noticing the condition of things in that particular in that city, and noting a number of sad circumstances illustrating it. It is stated that there are in that city nearly 50,000 working men out of employment, many of whom have had little or nothing to do for three months past, and expect little or nothing to do for three months longer. From statements made by George Blair, President of the New York State Workingmen's Assembly, and by mechanics of different trades, also from other sources, the following table has been compiled, by that paper, showing the number of working men now out of employment in that city, the figures being rather below than above the reality—

Trades.	Out of Work.	Trades.	Out of Work.
Laborers.....	600	Mill Hands.....	200
Building.....	3,000	Box Makers.....	200
Common.....	8,000	Shoemakers.....	200
Coal.....	2,000	Carpenters.....	200
Construction.....	1,000	Painters.....	200
Bricklayers.....	2,000	Plumbers.....	200
Carpenters.....	2,000	Steam Fitters.....	200
Stair Builders.....	400	Brass Finishers.....	200
Painters.....	1,500	Gold Beaters.....	200
Boilers.....	200	Carpet Weavers.....	200
Paper Hangers.....	100	Jewellers.....	100
Shoemakers.....	200	Gold Beaters.....	200
Hatters.....	200	Carpet Weavers.....	200
Tailors, custom.....	1,200	Theatrical Carpenters.....	50
Dressmakers.....	800	Penitentiary.....	50
Horse-shoers.....	200	Cigar Makers.....	100
Cabinet Makers.....	1,000	Cigar Makers.....	100
Fano Makers.....	400	Other occupations.....	4,000
Cigar Makers.....	2,000		
		Total.....	45,775

Mr. Blair said that thousands of families were already on the verge of destitution, and the situation was really becoming destitute. Trade was dull all over the country. The best thing to be done was for the Government to put the men to work on public works of permanent utility. Contractors took advantage of the dull times to reduce wages and employ boys instead of men. There was a large class in the community who would place no limit of pay below which they would consider it unjust to ask a man to work.

The Trustees of the Relief Fund of St. John's Guild, of that city, recently made an appeal to the public, in which they said: "The fourth winter of the hard times is upon us with greater severity than any of its predecessors. There is no immediate prospect of work for the great multitude of the unemployed, and many of the people who have heretofore been considered in moderate circumstances are now living from hand to mouth. Their little savings have been expended long ago and cold and hunger now stare them in the face at the very threshold of the winter. Hundreds of pitiable cases of utter destitution have already been brought to the notice of the volunteer visitors of St. John's Guild, and its resources being wholly exhausted, the Guild now appeals for contributions to meet the emergency. New York never failed to respond grandly to a call for charity where it is needed, and our citizens must know that never within the recollection of the present generation have the necessities of the hour been so urgent. Delicate women and little children are suffering at our doors for the necessities of life. Without fuel, food, or clothing to shield them from the rude blasts of winter, they are utterly helpless. If charity does not come to their rescue they must freeze or starve. The terrible outlines of this sad picture cannot be overdrawn. Only immediate relief will save the lives that now plead silently, but pitiously, for the gifts of charity."

"If at any time it is more blessed to give than to receive, it is doubly so now at this happy holiday season. The hearts of those who dwell in comfortable homes will surely be opened at the cry of their destitute neighbors. During the last three years St. John's Guild has assisted 16,840 families, composed of 74,880 individuals, besides caring for 68,346 sick children and their mothers in the Floating Hospital. This great work has been accomplished with the expenditure of \$211,794.31."

By Telegraph.  
TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES  
CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.  
WASHINGTON, 19.—Windom, from the committee on appropriations, reported, unamended, the invalid pension bill for the year ending June, 1878. Placed on the calendar.

The Chair presented a communication from the Secretary of State transmitting a list of persons not United States citizens, holding consular offices, to whom salaries were paid during the fiscal year ending June, 1876. Ordered printed and bound.

A number of private bills passed. Objection being made to taking up Cameron's resolution for the adjournment of both Houses from Friday to January 3d, Cameron withdrew the motion.

HOUSE.  
WASHINGTON, 19.—Woods, from the ways and means committee, stated that the House will adjourn on next Saturday, the 27th, and from Saturday, the 27th, to January 3d.

Government has treated the Sioux with unparalleled liberality, which they have repaid by raids along the borders of the reservations.

The Holiday Adjournment.  
The ways and means committee decided to report a resolution for the adjournment of the House from Saturday next to the following Wednesday, and from the 30th inst. to the 3rd of January.

Frost and his ineligibility to the governorship of Missouri.  
The Senate sub-committee, today, took testimony in the case of the alleged ineligibility of Frost, the democratic elector of Missouri. Thomas Brougham, a member of the Electoral College, testified that Frost was not present when the college met and the votes for President and Vice-President were cast, and the college elected Atwood to act in place of Frost.

An Incorrect Statement.  
The statement that Mr. Orton has been served with a subpoena to appear in New Orleans on the 26th inst., with copies of the telegrams sent by Secretary Chandler and others, is incorrect. Up to 12 o'clock today, no notice had been served upon him and there is no certainty that one will be.

\$75,000, Fire.  
BOSTON, 19.—The residence of Hollis Hunnewell was burned last night; loss \$75,000, insured.

Wool Market.  
PHILADELPHIA, 19.—Wool quiet and firm, California fine and medium, 19 @ 25, coarse 19 @ 25.

The Election Frauds Committee.  
NEW YORK, 19.—The House committee on election frauds continued its session today. MacDougall offered a resolution asking that subpoenas, duces tecum, be issued to the president of the Western Union Telegraph Co., requiring the production of all telegrams sent or received through their offices, in relation to the late election, by A. R. Hewitt, D. S. Magone, Fernando Wood, John Morley, John Kelly, S. M. Weed and W. D. Pelton. The chairman said he could not entertain the resolution in its present shape, as they were only empowered to inquire as to the cities of New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City and Philadelphia.

On motion of Waddell, a substitute was adopted, the republicans voting against it. It was then that subpoenas be issued requiring the President or other officials of the W. U. and A. and P. Tel. Cos. to produce all the telegrams sent and received by the same parties relating to fraudulent registration and fraudulent voting at the election of the presidential electors or members of Congress.

The Consular Appropriation Bill.  
The House appropriations committee have completed the consular appropriation bill. It appropriates \$1,135,000. About \$40,000 less than last session's bill, the reduction being in the pay and expenses of the consulates. The bill makes no changes of ministers or their salaries or consulates.

The House Louisiana Investigating Committee.  
NEW ORLEANS, 19.—The House investigating committee recalled Wickliff, who was cross-examined by Hurlbut. He said the organization of regulators was gotten up in New Orleans in 1864, and he knew anything about the constitution or mode of procedure of the organization. Had a conversation with Col. Powers, who was in command of it; don't know of its existence since this campaign was opened; have no knowledge of armed bodies of men moving about over the city at night; think the change of the vote of West Feliciana parish due to the interest taken by the whites and the arguments used by them, promising just and economical administration; the proper application of the school fund in the event of the democratic success; know of no threats of discharge or anything of that sort being uttered; received circulars from Col. Patton, chairman of the democratic State committee, in which he said, "You cannot convince a negro by reason, but may by positive statements of what will be done if elected; do not agree with the views of Col. Patton. He found negroes readily convinced by argument. He employed neither means or violence them to vote the democratic ticket."

WESTERN.  
STEAMER BURNED.  
SAN FRANCISCO, 19.—A private dispatch via Fort Yuma says the Colorado River Steamer Navigation Company's steamer Montana, plying between here and Mexican ports, was burned off Cape Harrow, in the Gulf of California. The passengers and crew were saved. The vessel is a total loss.

The Deposed Governor of Lower California.  
Villagrana, the late governor of Lower California, deposed by the revolutionists, is now in this city. He refuses to state the object of his mission; but it is reported that the Mexicans here, in order to gain government, will be appealed to to contribute men and money to aid in recovering the national government on the frontiers. It is also stated that Villagrana will leave on the next steamer for Mazatlan to seek the aid of Gen. Arce for suppressing the revolutionists in Lower California.

A San Diego dispatch says Senor Leon, secretary of Gov. Villagrana, arrived this morning. He reports a reign of terror throughout the frontier. Many families are coming over the line with their effects. Moreno has levied a direct tax of \$24,000 on the people for the support of his government.

FOREIGN.  
GREAT BRITAIN.  
EXPLOSION OF BRENT'S TOWER.  
LONDON, 19.—Minister Pierpont has been notified that Brent's term of commitment expires to-morrow.

Consols 94 3/8; bonds 65 1/4; 67 1/2; new 5's 106; Erie 98, bid 19.

GERMANY.  
APRIL INCREASE.  
BERLIN, 19.—The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank shows an increase of 511,000 marks.

FRANCE.  
PRESIDENT GRANT'S APPEAL.  
PARIS, 19.—Minister Wamburne has presented President Grant's appeal to the Duke de Cases, minister of foreign affairs, for the arrest, at the Palais National, of the Duke de Cases.

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- Pop Guns,
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- Toy Watering Pots,
- Toy Cups, fancy,
- Wooden Whistles,
- Mozart Accordions,
- Grand Pianos, 7 1/2 Octave,
- Gymnasts,
- Colored Preachers,
- Sewing Machine Girl,
- Steamboats,
- Steam Engines,
- Italian Opera Harmonicons,
- Naritik Gold Watches,
- Revolving Chimes,
- Centennial Toy Bells,
- Mounted Charm Bells,
- Single and Double Trucks,
- Tin Animals,
- Railroad Trains,
- Shepherd's School Slates,
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- Buggy Whips,
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- Chinese Acrobats,
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- Doll-Room Sets,
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- French Toy Bells,
- Racers on Platforms,
- Hay, Coal, Wood and Dump Carts,
- Peddlers' and Express Wagons,
- Mechanical Locomotives,
- Revolving Hoops,
- Magic Lanterns,
- Alphabet Blocks,
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