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ROLLIN P. SAXE,

George Chetwynd. Durham, speaking at a dinuer, suggested Jockey Wood was seiling races and insinuated that HAZARD POWDER the owners of the horses riddes by Wood were implicated. Chetwynd censidered the insinuation upon him-

Office, 63, Pine St., New York. self and sent a message to Durham de-Constantly on hand a complete stock of this manding an apology or a fight. Dur-weil known and justly celebrated ham refused to do either. Chetword ham refused to do either. Chetwynd will appeal to the jockey club to take action in the matter.

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BOSTON, Dec. 21 .- The first half of the three ball carom billiard match between Harvey McKenna, of Detroit, and Harry Eames, of this city, was played here tonight. McKenna was to

make 5000 to Eames' 500, and only half of either score to be made in one night. McKenna won the string; took the spot ball and missed. Eames made one. McKenna slipped up on an easy masse after scoring three, and Eames iuplicated the score, leaving the balls in splendid position in the upper left hand corner, and McKenna took them in hand, had them on the rail and never stopped playing except for a brief rest until he had completed his first 2500 points, making a remarkable run of 2479, beating the

THE BEST BILLIARD RECORD.

WORLD'S RECORD

at this style of play. In making this play he carried the balls six and onetimes around the table, leaving them in as good position as at any time during the run, and apparently good for 2,500 more when the play is resumed tomorrow night. The whole run oc-cupied an hour and thirty-five minutes. The best previous record to this evening was 1,531, made in Paris in two nights by Vignaux.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.-A close game of ball was played this afternoon between the Chicagos and Philadelphias. It was won by the former club with a score of 4 to 2. The battery for the Chicagos was Ryan and Carroll. Foutz, pitcher for the St. Louis Browns, was in the right field. Crane and McGuire were the battery for the Philadelphias.

CASUALTIES. The Semi-Daily Explosion, -Steamer

Burned, Etc. CHICAGO, Dec. 21.-Reports from Leavenworth, Kansas, indicate much suffering in the west from lack of fuel. The demands on the mines are far greater than can be filled, and messages come in hourly demanding and appealing for fuel. The farmers are burning

corn, furniture and parts of their houses to keep from freezing. Great distress is reported from Mead and Clark counties, where several persons have been frozen to death. At Digh-ton a mother and three children sought refuge at a neighbor's, and were frozen to death while crossing the prairie.

A HEAVY NORTHER. NEW YORK, Dec. 21 .- The steamer

amana arrived here today from Cape Hayti, reports that a heavy norther swept over the West Indies on the 6th, 7th and 8th Insts., causing much dam-

Th and 8th insts., causing much dam-age. In all some seventy vessels were wrecked. A coasting schooner, name unknown, capsized while making Cape Haytien and thirteen of the crew were drowned The British steamer Victa lost eight of her crew in the same storm. The British man-of-war Wrangler arrived at Turk's Island on the 7th inst. badly damaged by the storm. The French vessel Chasseur arrived at Cape Haytien on the 8th

AN EXPLOSION.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 21.-Shortly before half-past three this afternoon a terrific explosion occurred in front of the Poole Flour Mills, which was felt for a long distance A few seconds after other explosions followed in rapid suc-cession. Instantly flames burst from the mill and the rear walls fell in. The fire

duce the tariff, and avering that withdry goods establishment and Yeager & Co.'s toy store burned tonight. Loss, \$75,000. Three firemen were badly injured.

"A Fearful War Impending."

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 21.-The Grashdanin, semi-official organ, condemns the British government for supporting the triple alliance against Ros

sia. It believes, however, that the visit of Lord Bandolph Churchill to Russia will influence England's policy. the committee on foreign relations, t says, Lord Randolph Churchill will possible, have an interview with the zar.

PARIS, Dec. 21.-Le Temps says the Russian government has informed the llied powers that the movement of roops in Poland has ceased.

LONDON, Dec. 21 .- A dispatch from Belgrade says: King Milan, in ad iressing the deputies at the recent Servian celebration, said: "The horizon is dark and a fearful war seems to be impending. Servia must be pre-pared to defend her interests."

WASHINGTON.

200 Belgian Miners to Take the Places of Strikers,-Postmaster

Barratt Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 .- The Presi holidays. dent today transmitted to Congress the report of Edward Atkinson, who "was specially designated by him to go to the financial centres of Europe in order to learn the feasibility of establishing by an international standard, a fixity of ratio between the two precious metals in the free coinage of

both." Atkinson summarizes the reresults of his inquiries under four heads

AS FOLLOWS:

First-There is no prospect of any shange in the present monetary system of the European states which can modify or influence the financial pol-icy of the United States at the present time. Second-There are no indications of any change in the policy of the mancial authorities of the several states visited by me which warrant any expectation that the subject of a bi-metailic treaty for a common legal tender could, with the free coinage of silver, be seriously considered at the present time by them. Third—There is no inducation that the subject of bi-metallism has received any intelligent or serious con-sideration outside of a small circle in each country named as a provide or each country named, as a probable or

POSSIBLE REMEDY

for the existing causes of alleged de-pression in trade. Fourth-There is pression in trade. Fourth-Inere is no considerable politically organized body of influential persons in either country with whom a combination or co-operation were desirable on the part of a similar body in the United States, for promoting any definite or practicable measures of legislation to practicable measures of legislation to bring about the adoption of the bi-metallic theory according to the commonly accepted meaning of the term. The discussion is as yet almost wholly personal and without concernation of purpose or the presentation of any well-developed method capabic of beng acted upon. Atkinson's most important conclu-

ion is that it would

BE UNWISE

and inexpedient for the United States again to take the initiative in premoting action for the general adoption of the bi-metallic legal tender coupled with the free coinage of sliver, for the rea-son that such action is misconstrued arrived at Cape Haytlen on the 8th with her main and mizzen masts gone.

and may tend to retard rather than to promote the object aimed at. Secretary Fairchild took official no-tice of the report that 200 Belgian min-

before the 4th of January. Therefore, out a measure of tariff protection sufhe did not see that the public interests ficient to secure the American market, would be advanced or promoted by re-fusing the House the adjournment the business of wool-growing cannot be successfully carried on. which it asked

Plumb said that the House could not acjourn without the concurrence of the Senate.

Butler expressed contempt for the disgusting spectacle which the Senati was presenting for effect and the hypocrisy- exhibited today. There was not a senator who did not know that all that was said about the Senate re-

reported a resolution directing the maining in session was absolute bosh Secretary of State to furnish copies of and hypocrisy. It was the flimsiest, all correspondence with the Mexican shallowest hypocrisy he had ever wit nessed

Plumb resented the position of pubic censor assumed by the senator from 50uth Carolina.

HOUSE.

government since January, 1886, re-specting the Weil and La Abra claims; also to state what amount has been paid by Mexico under the convention for the adjustment of the claims; the was hardly worth while for the Senate amount distributed, amount undistributed, and the reason for withholdto deny the House the usual privilege ing the same. Adopted. The resolution offered yesterday by Butler, for the appointment of a select of adjournment, but he did not agree with him as to the character of today' debate. On the contrary he (Sherman committee of five to investigate the condition of the five civilized tribes was very much interested in it. It had brought to the attention of the Senate of Indians was adopted.

THE DEBATE ON ADJOURNMENT. Allison called up the holiday recess

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

SENATE.

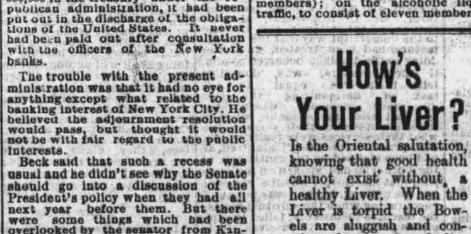
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.-Morgan from

and alarm about the dition, because, fortunately, there resolution and moved its adoption. was now a surplus of some \$55,000,000. Plumb thought there was no reason why Congress should adjourn for the If it were true that there was such a holidays. He referred to the resolu-tion that Congress should not adjourn state of alarm as was expressed by the President, certainly the democratic until some dispesition of the treasury surplus was made, and said he didn't, Mouse does not believe that there is aby occasion for alarm. He believed that the language of the President was entirely too strong. It was right and proper for republican Senators to Icall agree with the President's statement that the responsibility of non-action in the matter of surplus would rest with Congress. The primary responattention to the folly of the House o Representatives adjourning withou sibility for the condition of the treaseven an organization. The surplus o ury rested with the President who dis regarded the law which required him to spend the surplus in the purchase of the national debt. The President in his message omitted to state that \$55,000,000 was less than was in the reasury at other periods of the pres ent administration. He thought it but right that the humbug by which it was the last Congress passed a law requir-ing him to pay \$10,000,000 a montu in sought to frighten the country should be punctured, exploded, or explained

purchase of the public dest and 3 W 8V that the President had put that bill in After further discussion the resoluhis pocket, thus preventing its becomtion was concurred in: Yeas 37, nays ing a law. The Secretary of the Treasury was today depositing \$40,000,000 alleged surplus with the National banks to be loaned to the The Blair educational bill was taken up as unfinished business and after an executive session the Senate adjourned.

people at such rates as their necessity migat compel them to pay. Bonds of the United States could be purchased at a rate which would yield 2% per WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. - Randall

cent, and, yet, instead of using a part of this surplus for that purpose, it, was given to the National banks to be used for their profit. The President had forgotten that the river and harbor bill which appropriated \$14,000,000. from the committee on rules, submitted a partial report. The report recommends the adopting of the rules of the Forty-ninth Congress until further orders, with the following changes: A standing committee is established, to had forgotten that the river and harbor bill, which appropriated \$14,000,000, had falled not because of any lack of action by Congress; the deficiency bill, covering over \$8,000,000, had also fall-ed last session because of the neglect of the descention mainting in the consist of thirteen members, to be known as the committee on merchant, marine and fisheries; the addition of a delegate on the committee on private land claims is recommended; private of the democratic majority in the House of Representatives, and these two sums would have made a very com-fortable addition to the current funds land claims is recommended; private bills are to be presented through the clerk and given proper reference by that officer; the following select com-mittees are provided for: On reform in the civil service; on election of President and Vice-President and Representatives in Congress; on the eleventh census; on Indian depreda-tion cleims (each to consist of thirteen of the people at this juncture. He (Plumb) never did agree with the re-publican policy of the Treasury De-partment, but that policy was not un-der the suspicion of being unduly in-finenced by the New York banks. Just fluenced by the New York banks. Just nuenced by the New York Danks. Just as fast as there was a surplus of \$i9, 000,000 in the treasury under the re-publican administration, it had been put out in the discharge of the obliga-tions of the United States. It never had been paid out after consultation with the officers of the New York tion claims (each to consist of thirteen members); on the alcoholic liquor traffic, to consist of eleven members.

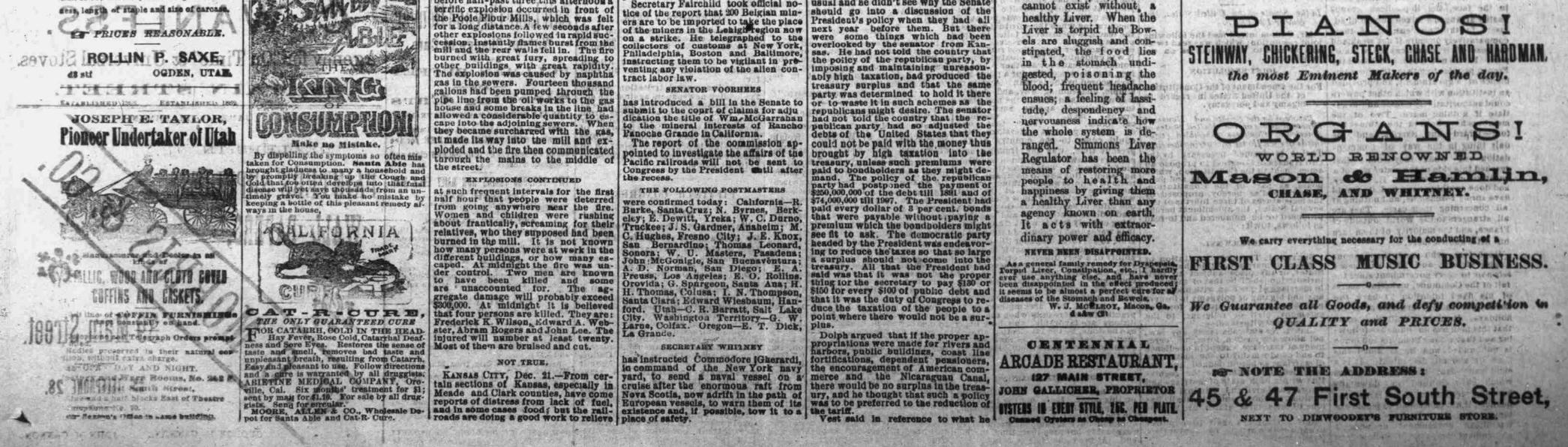


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