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## CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

Salt Lake and Colorado River E R Co-Mineral land fund bill.

public land, made a written report upon the amendments to the bill to incorporate the Sait Lake and Colorado River R. R. Co. He also reported a joint resolution for the relief of settlers on public lands, extending for one year longer the time for making their pay-On motion of Pratt, the House bill granting pensions to southers of 1812,

was made the special order of Wednesday next. Nye, in accordance with previous

notice, addressed the Senate on the bill to create a fund to be known as the mineral land fund, and for other purposes. The bill provides for turning over to the Sutro Tunnel Co. the pro-States from the sale of the mineral lands, \$50 000 to be paid upon the com-pletion of every five hundred feet, and the tunnet to be completed within ten

the Suire tunnel, stated that Comstock lade, to which the tunthe Comstock lode, to which the tunquet was to be constructed, had yielded
since its discovery ten years ago, 5120,
000,000, almost equaling the total yield
of suver in the whote Republic of Maxico. The mines of the lode now reached
perpendicularly twelve hundred feet,
the suggests the authorization and use of an export stamp, of a character similar to the tax stamps now in
user which stamps shall be of a denomination sufficient to cover the expense
of mandling, storing, gauging, &c.; and perpendicularly twelve hundred feet, and the obtacles encountered in mining foreshadow an early abandonment of it. One difficulty in mining was principally the enermous expense of pumping water and hotsling ore, for which diffy these after and hotsling ore, for gestions are likely to be put in formal which fifty three steam engines are emgood, at an expense of several millions of dollars per annum. Another great obstacle was the increase of heat below the surface, the thermometer at 1,200 feet below the surface standing at 110 degrees, making it almost impossible for men to work without impairing their health.

class iron steam ships, together with the 24th are confirmed.

Ship-yards, machine shops, reiling Gen, Faidherbe reached Fine on hip-yards, machine milts, wharves, decks, etc., and milts, wharves, decks, etc., and cure the government the use of the enme for postal, naval and other purposes; referred to the committee on commence. This is the same bill introduced into the Senate by Cenkilog.

Paine introduced a bill to allow imported railroad from the port of entry to the hond from the port of th

The Illinois members of Congress are informed, that no special election will be held to fill the vacancy occasioned by Gen. Logan's election to the Senate,

oneer Paper of the Rocky Mountain Region.

Presidio reservation, San Francisco, supported by a lobby, is in the House and has been put in shape in a bill introduced by Axtell. The land is worth two million dollars, and has been occupled by government since the acquisition of California. It is now proposed that government should relinquish it without payment, in order that it may be seized by "ring" speculators, who endeavored to squat on it some years ago, but were promptly driven off by the military authorities. Axtell's bill gives to the city, far a park; eight hundred only on the 2th of February.

United States to keep 250

forts and barracks. The Tehauntepec surveys appear to be guing on very satisfactorily. Captain Shufeldt and his party are in the mountains east of the Tarifa; and Lieut. Comthe Almoica river. The problematical supply of water at the spot which Capt. Shufeldt is now surveying, is a great drawback to the success of a canal route, and his present explorations will doubt-

less decide that point.
In reply to the official invitation exin behalf of the Fenian prisoners, repites that owing to the dissensions among the delegations, he and his companious refuse to accept any public in-vitation until the remainder of their A dispatch dated the 17th, reports comrades arrive here. Only five of the exiles are on board the Cuba: John Mo-Clure, Henry Mullady, Jeremiah O' Donovon Rossa, Charles Underwood O'Connell and John DeVay.

### TENNESSEE. Accidentally Killed,

NASHVILLE, 19.—Hugh Patterson, the German princes and free towns, for us to restore the German Empire after NASHVILLE, 19.-Hugh Patterson,

### OHIO.

Lincoln statue COLUMBUS, 19.-The Lincoln menorial statue in the rotunds of the State House, was unveiled to-night. Speeches were made by prominent gentlemen.

### WASHINGTON. About the fishing question-Nomina tions-Revenue affaire.

WASHINGTON, 20 .- The nominations were sent to the Senate to-day of Leroy L. Dyer, to be Indian sgent at Grand Ronde, Oregon, and Joel Palmer, te be agent at the Siluthe agency, Oge-

It is believed that in the negotiations for the settlement of the fishery ques-tion, Gen. Schenck will be instructed tion, Gen. Schenck will be instructed to make the proposition that the fisher-men of the United States shall be put on an equal footing in all respects with those of the British provinces; and that they shall have the same rights to fish in the Canadian waters, to land and cure their fish, and to refit in Canadian ports. In short, that the difficulty shalt be settled at once and forever, by the abrogation of all former treaty stipulations, and the repeal of all Canadian laws reserving any fisher y ground for the exclusive use of Canadian fishermen. In return for such concession on the part of Canada, some important consideration, of repulsed with great loss, and commence.

some important consideration, of course, will be expected from this government; and it is thought that the United States could afford to pay what ever reasonable sum may be demanded for a full settlement of the vexatious

Commissioner Pleasanton's recon dation in favor of the repeal of the means committee, turns out to have been made with the knowledge and approval of the President. This gives fresh interest to the matter, and will probably serve to bring the question of repeal before Congress at this session. The Commissioner is also very confident in the system of permitting export whisky, in lieu of the present prohibitionary drawback, requirements can be instituted which can be successfully enforced, and will relieve the exletting staguation in the distillery busi-

## FOREI GN NEWS.

GREAT BRITAIN. German looses in the battle with Chausey-Binmarck has partially re-Stendy progress of humbard french retreating —renewed

Dawes introduced a bill to aid in the liament until the 10th of February, and

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NEW YORK.

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NEW YORK, 20.—The Fentan axiles were taken from the Cuba this morning in a tender, and conveyed to the Cunard dock, Jersey Cuy. They immediately proceeded to Sweeney's hotel, where they engaged rooms and penticipally secured them. They retired a id refused to see anybody.

ALBANY, 20.—The chief of police and several detectives, this morning took Filkins into the presence of Halpine, when the latter unhestimingly exclaims when the latter unhestimingly exclaims with the filling continued the rough out three days, during which the German. The fillings mambers of Congress are

but his successor will be chosen at the regular State election next fall. The governor thinks that the State can better afford to have one representative less than her quota during the short session of the 42nd Congress, than to pay the expense of holding a special election this winter.

The scheme for plundering government of eight thousand acres of the Presidio reservation, San Francisco, unwounded prisoners.

The investment of Longwy is complete, notwithstanding the attempt of the garrison to prevent the placing in position of the German batteries.

The Germans on the 5th inst. dispense a force of 15,000 gardes mobile near Langress. The German loss in the battles with Changey is officially stated to be 177 officers and 3,203 mem, tilled and wounded. The Franch loss beside their killed and wounded 22,000 unwounded prisoners.

Lonnon. 18: eve.—Bourbaki, felegraphing on the lith, says he continues his advance towards Belfort.
Faidherbe continues marching on
Coxlie. The French, in taking St.
Quentin, seized two guns and baggage;
and the French prisoners left by the
Gormans.

It is confirmed that Pruseis abandons abstaining from capturing French mer-chant men for the sake of neutral mer-

Myenne.

The Journal of St. Petersburg, in a recent editorial, criticises in caustic language the reply of Beust to the note of Gortschakoff. It says the policy of mander Bartlett is at the head waters of Austria is not calculated to secure the the Almoica river. The problematical friendship of Bussia or the western

A dispatch from Versatiles says the French are retreating from Laval, and the Germans are in full pursuit and are already past the town of Verges, four-teen miles east of Laval. Two thousand tended to the Fenian exiles, on behalf additional prisoners are taken. Alenof the city authorities by the Hon. con was occupied by the Germans on Richard O'Gorman, O'Donavan Rossa, the night of the 16th. Gen. Werder maintained his position southward of Belfort on Monday, against renewed attacks from the French. The German

> renewed fighting to-day along the The King of Prussia, in a letter to Prince Henry of Luxembourg, counsels him to be prudent and cautious, and ameris that Prussia never intended to attack the independence of Luxem-

A proclamation by King William, says: In consequence of the appeal of tancogs railroad, was killed near Estells Springs, last evening, by being thrown from a train.

a laps of sixty years, we announce that we consider it our duty to Fatherland to accept the imperial dignity henceforth. We and our successors will forth. We and our successors will bring to the title of Emperor the hope that God will vouchsafe a blissful future to Fatherland, and, under our auspices, its ancient splendor. We assume the dignity, conscious of our duty, to pre-serve with German fidelity, the rights of the Empire and its members, to maintain peace, and strengthen the independence of Germany, in the hope that the German people will reap, in a lasting peace, within our boundies the fruits of our bloody battles, and be safe against the renewal of French attacks. God grant that we and our successors may protect the Empire, not by warlike conquests, but by words of peace, freedom and civilization.

## HUNCARY.

Ven Beust friendly to Prussis. PESTE, 16.—During the debate on the budget to-day, Baron Von Beust de-fended the policy of friendliness to-wards Prussia; and spoke with gratifi-

VERSAILLES, 19.—Bourbaki, on the 17th, renewed his attack against Werder's entrenched position, was again repulsed with great loss, and commenced a retreat southward.

The bombardment of Paris is strong-Granville accepts the offered indem-nity for the English vessels sunk in

French agents in Ireland are buy-The Woolwich gun has been tested successfully with a charge of 130 lbs of powder; It is said the result is unpre-

HAVRE, 18.-A small French force was attacked yesterday, near St. Ro-maine, by the Prusians, and the vil-lage shelled. The enemy was repulsed with considerable loss.

The Uhlans entered Balbees and levied a contribution of 100,000 france. The money not being forthcoming, the invaders seized the mayor and chief citizens, and carried them off as hostages for its payment.

The force of 50,000 men, that left Cherbourg to reinforce the army of the Loire, failed to join it, the railway to Alencon having been out by the ene-

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