

## By Telegraph.

London, 8.

In the House of Commons Stanley said he could see no good result in a European Conference, without a previous agreement of the basis of deliberations. In the course of the evening the recent mail contract with the Cunard steamers was unfavorably criticized. The Secretary of the Treasury said he had contracted the best that he could, and had paid for the present. Parliament adjourned till February 18th.

New York, 9.

Advices from St. Thomas state that Admiral Palmer and the Danish Commissioner are to meet the Governor on the 8th, to complete the arrangements for the transfer. The people are pleased, but the merchants do not like the American tariff.

Little Saba is completely divided into parts and metamorphosed. St Croix is partially inundated.

There are appearances of an outbreak of cholera at Surinam.

The *Tribune* of Spain says the government of Spain is anxious about the proposal of the Washington Government to purchase St. Thomas, fearing it is its intention to get possession of Porto Rico and other Islands, even Cuba. It is understood that Seward's explanation has quieted the alarm.

No action has been taken relative to an appropriation to pay for Alaska. There is a strong pressure against the appropriation, but it will probably soon be voted.

## BREVITIES.

Omaha will be the terminus of five lines of railroad from the east.

Forget other's faults by remembering your own.

Sitka boasts a Lutheran as well as a Greek church.

The anti-prohibitionists of Massachusetts carried the recent elections.

Miss Braddon's novels have brought her \$150,000.

They were to have a bull and bear entertainment at St. Joseph, Mo., last week.

About one-half of the best choir singers of New York city are professional negro minstrels.

Only 143 bayonet wounds were officially reported from the field during the first three years of the rebellion.

When the Pacific Railroad and the Suez Canal are completed, we can steam it around the world in ninety days.

There are fifteen thousand printers in this country, of which about six thousand belong to the unions.

Dr. Barnes, the solar surgeon, of New York, cauterizes cancers and the like by concentrated sunlight.

A little girl in Pittsfield, Mass., recently asked her mother, "Did Jesus Christ get five thousand dollars a year for preaching?"

A printer in Texas has dubbed his infant son Brevier Fullface Jones. That boy will learn from a long primer, and be a minion of knowledge.

Chicago lawyers talk of making a discount on divorce fees where a large number of bills are wanted in one family.

The Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal Church has appropriated \$3,000 for the Utah and Idaho mission for 1868.

Frederick Hudson, late managing editor of the N. Y. *Herald* at \$10,000 a year, began in that office as a messenger boy at a salary of \$2 a week.

The organic act of Iowa Territory was approved July 12th, 1838. The population was then estimated at 22,000. Now there is about a million of inhabitants in the State.

Count Bismarck has just celebrated his "family day" by a dinner party, to which all the Bismarcks were invited. This custom is jealously preserved in Pomerania and the Mark.

The prairie fires in Kansas are raging with unusual violence this season, owing to the drouth and prevalent high winds. The flames sweep over the plains and surround the exposed settlements.

"What is the reason of a blow leaving a blue mark after it?" asked an inquiring young gentleman. "It is easily accounted for," answered a medical student; for you know that blow is the perfect of blows."

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Full Moon, 11th day, 4h. 41m. A.M.  
Last Quarter, 17th day, 8h. 5m. P.M.  
New Moon, 25th day, 4h. 10m. P.M.  
Perigee 12d. 7h. A.M. Apogee 27d. 1h. P.M.

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3	T						Feet & Toes	7 7	4 33
4	W							7 8	4 33
5	T							7 9	4 32
6	F						Head and Face	7 10	4 32
7	S							7 11	4 32
8	S						Neck & Throat	7 12	4 32
9	M							7 13	4 32
10	T						Arms, Should'rs	7 14	4 32
11	W							7 15	4 32
12	T						Breast, Stomach	7 15	4 32
13	F							7 16	4 33
14	S						Heart & Back	7 16	4 33
15	S							7 17	4 33
16	M						Bowels & Belly	7 18	4 33
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18	W						Reins & Loins	7 19	4 34
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