

BY TELEGRAPH.

AMERICAN.

KEY WEST, Fla., 10.—A letter from Havana, dated Nov. 5, gives the following account of the execution of the *Virginus* prisoners at Santiago de Cuba. The four prisoners were shot in the place made famous by a previous execution, and in the usual manner, kneeling close to the slaughterhouse wall. All marched to the spot with firmness. Bambetta and Ryan showed marked courage, although the former was slightly affected toward the last, the two others quite broke down before they were bandaged, but the rest, up to the last, never flinched a moment, and died without fear or regret. Bambetta and Ryan were killed at the first discharge.

PATERSON, N. J., 10.—A collision is reported on the New York and Oswego Midland railroad, near Hancock, N. Y., this afternoon; the engineer and firemen and a lady passenger are reported killed.

NEW ORLEANS, 10.—There was an enthusiastic Cuban meeting yesterday, in which the surveyor of the port and other prominent federal officials participated. Resolutions were adopted condemning the barbarity of the Spaniards, and calling on the federal government to recognize the Cubans as belligerents, and requiring indemnity and apology for recent outrages on American citizens.

OMAHA, 10.—About six hundred Mormons, principally English, Welsh and Scotch, passed through this city, bound west this morning.

A dispatch was received this morning from Kansas, which states that two of the men who robbed the train on the Rock Island road, have been captured, and are in jail at Wellington, Ks.

BOSTON, 10.—Mayor Pierce, accompanied by several members of the city government and a few citizens, commemorated the first anniversary of the fire to-day, by an official visit of observation through the burnt district, and an inspection of the new buildings erected and the street improvements made during the year; the total number of brick, stone and iron buildings now erected or in progress is 335, of these 115 are completed and occupied.

A coroner's inquest to inquire into the death of Michael Doherty, in Coburn, Mass., resulted in holding Michael Doherty, son of the deceased, and his wife on a charge of murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, 10.—A dispatch from San Diego, to-night, says the leaders of the late revolt in Sonora had fled to the mountains with a large amount of treasure stolen by them during the troubles in that State.

The Apaches are still committing murders and robberies in the district of Ures.

A dispatch from Elko, Nevada, to-night, says that Indian Commissioner Ingalls, of Salt Lake, has been holding a grand council here the last two days, the object of the council being to lay before the Indians a proposition to be moved to a reservation within the next year, and also to distribute their annuities. This morning the Eastern Nevada Shoshones, together with a large representation of Piutes, assembled to receive their annuities. Over four hundred bucks were present. Soon after the work of distribution had commenced it was ascertained that the Piutes and Pashutes had allied, and were about to engage in a general fight against the Shoshones. The trouble originated, partly, on account of the distribution, and partly on account of former troubles. The Indian interpreter, however, ascertained the condition of affairs and a separation of the tribes and a redistribution had to be resorted to to restore good feeling. To-night the chiefs of all the tribes met to discuss the reservation question. The chiefs of the Pashutes and Naches refused to participate in the council, and withdrew; the Shoshones, however, agreed to send two delegates to look at the reservation, at Fort Hill, Montana, and, if suitable, they will emigrate in the spring.

MATAMORAS, Mex., 10.—Throughout Mexico to-day, they are celebrating the adoption of the additional articles to the national constitution, amongst which is the abolition of peonage, and the separation of church and state. The military paraded, orations were delivered, and the city is illuminated

to-night, amidst general rejoicing.

HAVANA, 10.—Advices from St. Thomas, to the 5th instant are received. News had reached that island that General Luperon, who retired from the leadership of the revolutionary forces of San Domingo two months ago, has been recalled by the insurgent chiefs, and will resume his old command. It is supposed that under his leadership the revolutionists will make a supreme effort, and either triumph or be annihilated.

NEW YORK, 11.—The employing and working tailors have agreed upon a five per cent reduction in wages, the old prices to be restored as trade revives.

The loss of the *Ismaïla* is fully credited at the Shipping Exchange. She sailed for the Mediterranean on the 29th of Sept., with a heavy load of freight, but no passengers; the last seen of her was on the 2d ult., when she was stopped off the coast of Nova Scotia by a sailing vessel short of provisions. The vessel and cargo are valued at nearly half a million.

The general railway and steamship ticket agents had a meeting to-day, and formed a permanent organization for the purpose of maintaining passenger rates, to secure protection against the movement of railroad managers, and to abolish the business of commission agencies. Every agent in this city was present, and steps will be taken to invite the agents throughout the country.

The suit of Gassaway B. Lamar, of Savannah, Ga., against Chas. A. Dana, was argued in the U. S. Circuit Court, to-day; Dana's defence is that the arrest was made in good faith, under orders from President Lincoln.

A boiler exploded at four this p. m., at the corner of South Avenue and 128th Street, used by Coyne & Bremer, contractors, on Fourth Avenue improvement. Seven persons were instantly killed and several wounded. All the killed had either the whole or portion of the head blown off.

The race at Fleetwood, to-day, between Judge Fullerton and American Girl, was won by Fullerton; time, 2:24, 2:24, 2:24, 2:24. The third heat was dead.

CHICAGO, 11.—The *Tribune's* Philadelphia correspondent telegraphs that Col. Thomas Scott informed him, this afternoon, that no more bills of the Texas Pacific Construction Company will be allowed to go to protest, and that Jno. Welsh will arrange an extension with the holders. Col. Scott says the failure of the company, for virtually it is a failure, is mainly attributed to the present scarcity of money in Europe and at home, and their consequent inability to dispose of their bonds, and thus meet their obligations. He is of opinion that their difficulties will shortly be settled to the satisfaction of all concerned.

One of the features of the recent election for county officers in this State was, that in twenty-nine counties, women were candidates on one or the other of the tickets for county superintendents of schools, and in three of these counties the candidates on both tickets were women. In the twenty-nine counties, eleven of the female aspirants were elected. In Mercer County Miss Frazier defeated Miss Walker, in Alexander County, Mrs. Brown led Mrs. Taylor, and in Cass County Mrs. W. H. Hinkley demonstrated the superiority of married women over single by beating both Miss Housekeeper and Miss Plaster.

JAMAICA, L. I., N. Y., 11.—Royal Sammis, Rudolph Sammis and all others implicated in the tarring and feathering of Kelsey, appeared before Judge Armstrong this a. m. Counsel moved for their discharge on the grounds that Queen's County had no jurisdiction in the case. The District Attorney said the grand jury of Suffolk county had been in session and found no bill against the parties, therefore he would not oppose their discharge. Thereupon Judge Armstrong discharged all the defendants, which releases them from all further trouble in the matter.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., 11.—The late strikers on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad, including the engineers, mechanics and blacksmiths, have withdrawn from their unions; the trains are now running regularly and everything is quiet.

RICHMOND, 11.—Judge J. C. Underwood, of the U. S. district court, was assaulted here to-day by Wm. McKeigh, formerly the owner of

property in Alexandria, Va., which was purchased by Judge Underwood under the confiscation act.

The S. S. *Atlas*, hence to-day, for Liverpool, had two hundred and sixty steerage passengers; a large proportion of them were mill operatives and artisans, returning to the old world for lack of employment here. Some forty factory operatives came on from Fall River to embark on the *Atlas*.

WASHINGTON, 11.—A telegram from Le Verrier, of the Paris observatory, announces to the Smithsonian Institute the discovery of a comet at Marseilles, by Copera, in right ascension sixteen hours 23 minutes, declination plus 27 degrees 26 minutes, with a slight motion towards the south-west.

The Spanish minister of foreign affairs, in his recent conversation with minister Sickles, expressed his disapprobation of the summary manner of the execution of the persons captured with the *Virginus*, and gave him the assurance that no effort should be spared by the Spanish government to show the U. S. that its friendship was more substantial than mere words.

STANOR, Ont., 11.—The fire this morning destroyed the North Western railway station, Randolph's mills and lumber yard, Summerfelt's hotel and four houses; loss \$200,000.

NEW YORK, 12.—The failures in the tea trade yesterday are attributed rather to the competition, which is growing up in the west, than to the panic. The Great Western marts, it is said, are receiving their teas mainly by way of San Francisco, and many smaller firms here have been wound up owing to this withdrawal of trade. The decreasing trade is mentioned as the cause of one of the heaviest importing firms advertising two vessels of their fleet for sale.

At a cabinet meeting yesterday a Washington correspondent makes the President say he had read that eighty Cuban insurgents, captured as prisoners of war, had been shot on the field, and while the report lacked confirmation, he was prepared to hear of its confirmation, after what had already occurred in Cuba; but he was satisfied that the Spanish government did not and would not approve of such butchery. It was a matter which an enlightened nation could not overlook. If, indeed, this method of warfare was necessary to support the Spanish republic, individually he could not wish such governments prosperity. If the Spanish people, in their effort to establish a Republican form of government, could not control their authorities in Cuba, then, in the interest of humanity, he thought it time to interfere; not to encourage the struggling Cubans nor to embarrass the Spanish republic in any way, but wholly in the interest of civilization and humanity.

HAVANA, 12.—On the 7th inst. the captain and thirty-six of the crew of the steamer *Virginus* were executed at Santiago de Cuba, and on the next day, the 8th, twenty-two more of the Cuban volunteers on the vessel were shot. Among the latter was Franchi Afaro.

The dispatch announcing the execution says that Alfaro offered the Spanish authorities a million dollars if they would spare his life. The Spanish say that Alfaro came to assume the Presidency of the so-called Cuban Republic.

CHICAGO, 12.—The *Tribune* has a Washington special which says that the prominent topic among capitalists and politicians is the California and Texas Construction company, and adds, this company obtained most of its political stool pigeon rights under the nose of the Credit Mobilier investigation, and while the charters of some Congressmen were being demolished others, with perfect indifference, were trying to be let in on the new Credit Mobilier.

ST. LOUIS, 12.—Near Beloit, Mo., last night, Henry Rae shot and killed his affianced, Mollie Wallin, and then blew his own brains out, on account of the refusal of the girl's parents to sanction their marriage.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., 12.—Stephen P. Woodwell, cashier of the Commercial National Bank, confesses to a defalcation of about forty-five thousand; the money was lost some years since by speculation.

NEW ORLEANS, 12.—The news of the massacre of the captain and crew of the *Virginus* creates great excitement. Captain Joseph Fry, commander of the *Virginus*, was a native of Florida, and aged 46. He

entered the Naval Academy in 1844, and remained in the navy until 1861, when he resigned and joined the Confederate service. He leaves a wife and several children, the youngest four years old.

MEMPHIS, 12.—For the first time since the 2nd of September, there has not been a single case of death from yellow fever.

It is reported that Paul Cicolla, ex-officio mayor, during Mayor Johnson's illness, was to-day expelled from the council by unanimous vote, for drawing relief supplies in the name of a poor widow and using them himself.

WASHINGTON, 12.—The consul general of the U. S. at Havana, telegraphs Secretary Fish that Havana papers publish a report of the execution of the Captain and crew of the *Virginus*, as telegraphed to the press from Havana to-day. On receiving the dispatch the Secretary immediately proceeded to the Executive Mansion and showed the telegram to the President, and soon thereafter a telegram was sent to the consul to verify the statement. The excitement against the Cuban authorities, which had somewhat lessened, has been revived by to-day's startling announcement. The news is the subject of earnest comment in official and diplomatic circles.

The *Mahopae* and *Manhattan*, ordered to be put in commission and to which officers are already assigned, will join the North Atlantic squadron. The vessels of the navy have been so much reduced in number that it has been found somewhat difficult promptly to reinforce our squadron in cases of emergency, but in the course of a few days all that can be made available will be sent to Cuban waters. In accordance with the determination of the cabinet meeting of yesterday it is stated that the President and all his cabinet fully agree that the Madrid government, being unable to force its authority in Cuba, that of the United States will be compelled to assert its powers in all cases where the interest of citizens of this country and its own honor requires decisive action.

LOUISVILLE, 12.—The Ohio Falls Car Manufacturing Company, which suspended some weeks ago, has arranged with its creditors, and will resume work in a few days.

OMAHA, 12.—An officer is here, with instructions to provide for the removal of that portion of the Modoc tribe now at McPherson to Indian Territory, without delay.

PHILADELPHIA, 12.—Orders have been received at the Navy Yard here to fit out the monitor *Manhattan*, for sea, by Friday next. A large force of men have been employed. It is understood that other monitors, at League Island, are to be made ready for sea at once.

NEW YORK, 13.—The New York Ship Owners Association declares that Captain Duncan, U. S. shipping commissioner has assumed to monopolize, in his office, the entire business of engaging and shipping cargoes, and for this purpose he has thirty-two agents employed, whom he pays out of the fees received instead of returning the amount of said fees into the U. S. treasury. One of the reports of commissioner Duncan shows that he used \$20,000 of the fees to pay his subordinates.

Police Superintendent Matsell says that Irving, of Nathan murder notoriety, has promised, if accepted as a witness, to make further revelations respecting the murder, and that the district attorney will inquire into the worth of Irving's story, and if found of any value, he will give him a promise that he shall not be tried on the pending indictments for burglary.

SAN FRANCISCO, 13.—The following has been received from Arizona vs. San Diego: "Gen. Vandevere has arrived at Prescott. Communication by telegraph is complete between Yuma and Maricopa. Captain Brown of the 5th cavalry has just returned from a scout in the Torto Basin country after Indians, who are still on the war path; he killed 40 Indians on the scout. Gen. Crook is on an inspecting tour to the Camp Apache reservation. The Indians generally are quiet. A new wagon road from Phoenix to Prescott and Verdi, 100 miles in length, has just been completed.

The trial of Harris, the mate of the *Sunrise*, for cruelty to sailors on that ship, was commenced to-day in the U. S. Circuit Court, before a jury; there are one hundred and nine distinct charges against him.

NEW YORK.—Rosenzweig, the abortionist, was finally discharged from arrest to-day.

TOLEDO, 13.—An excursion train from Detroit, via the newly opened branch of the Chicago and Canada Southern Railroad, arrived here this forenoon, bringing the Mayor and City Council, board of trade and other prominent citizens of Detroit.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., 13.—The jury in the U. S. Circuit Court, to-day, gave Henry Horst a verdict of \$8,000 against the Indianapolis and St. Louis Railroad Co., for injuries received while riding on their road on a pass.

BOSTON, 13.—The Cassimere mill, at Cavendish, Vermont, belonging to F. W. Whipple, of Providence, is burned; loss \$110,000, insurance \$100,000.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, 10.—The steamship *Kenilworth*, at Liverpool to-day, from Philadelphia, spoke the *City of Richmond*, with her engines disabled, Nov. 9th, in lat. 43 N., long. 60 W., all well.

A grand banquet was given at the Guildhall to-night in honor of the birthday of the Prince of Wales. The members of the cabinet were present. Gladstone responded to the toast—"To the House of Commons." In the course of his speech he alluded to the Ashantee war, and declared that the difficulty which had arisen on the African coast demonstrated the necessity of avoiding relations which entailed such disagreeable consequences. He remarked that it was no pleasure to him to stand securely in shore and see others laboring in the storm.

BERLIN.—A royal decree has been promulgated, relieving General Von Roon of the presidency of the Prussian ministry, and appointing Prince Bismarck in his place, and Herr Camphauser, minister of finance, vice-president.

LONDON, 11.—The steamship *City of Limerick* has gone to the relief of the steamship *City of Richmond*, to assist her into port.

A dispatch from Paris says it is reported that an extensive plot in favor of the Count de Paris has been discovered in that city. It is said that the authorities are in possession of documents by which a number of well known politicians are compromised. It is reported that a deputation of monarchists is about to proceed to Oldenburg, to request the Count de Chambord, to abdicate his claims to the throne of France in favor of the Count de Paris.

It is reported that William, Alfred and Arthur Burrs & Co., general metal merchants, have failed; liabilities said to be four millions.

A violent gale prevailed yesterday on the British and Irish coasts, and the harbors are filled this morning with vessels disabled or seeking shelter; no serious disasters are yet reported.

HAVANA, 12.—The *Voz De Cuba*, to-day, says editorially, that it is as humane as any body, more so than many who make ostentatious protestations of philanthropy, but it cannot do less than approve the energy that has been displayed towards all the rebels, and particularly those whom the filibustering steamer *Virginus* brought to make a more bloody war in Cuba. The court martial for the trial of those captured on the *Virginus* is still in session, working with all possible dispatch. Amongst the crew, disguised as firemen, were Ignacio Alfaro, Bosa, Arce, Varona, Castellanos, Pinedo, Molla, Boitel, and other persons of importance. Capt. Fry was manifestly aware of the object of the expedition, and the nature of the cargo, which he was tempted to take charge of by a large sum of money offered him, thinking that there were ninety-nine chances in a hundred of his landing in safety. It is thought that this will be the final effort of the insurrectionists. The captain and crew were shot by a squad of marines in the public square. Twelve of the insurgents were shot in front of the slaughter-house wall yesterday morning.

LONDON, 12.—The committee of the Stock Exchange have adopted a resolution that four shillings British for the American dollar shall be the rate of exchange after the third of November.

LONDON, 13.—Baron Lyveden died yesterday, aged 73.

There was a serious riot last night at a meeting in favor of home rule, in Kilkenny; the mob stoned the police, who charged upon them and made several arrests.