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Last Night's Dispatches.

EASTERN.

BANGOR, Me., 2.—The present long-
continued term of cold weather in this
section is unprecedented in the last
thirty years.

NEW YORK.—Some eighteen hun-
dred emigrants arrived at Castle Gar-
dens yesterday. A number had been de-
dicated for this inclement season. Ger-
mans and Italians generally reported
having suffered intensely throughout
the voyage from cold and ill treatment.

The total loss by the burning of the
Fifth Avenue Theatre will reach from
\$250,000 to \$300,000. The Treasurer, with
great difficulty, managed to save the
revenue received from the sale of the
valuables in the safe. The Fifth Avenue Hotel was damaged about
\$5,000. When the fire broke out
the attaches of the house were found
playing upon the flames through the
broken end of the hose pipe. The
Theatre belonged to the widow of Col.
Jas. Fish. Augustin Daly, the lessee,
lost \$50,000, wholly consumed. The
general opinion was that the fire was
caused by an overheated furnace.

CINCINNATI.—At Springfield, O., on
Tuesday night, Nancy Burlington, 40
years old, was brutally murdered by
her drunken husband.

AUGUSTA, Me., 2.—Governor Perham
was inaugurated to-day. His annual
message shows a healthy condition of the
financial, agricultural and manufacturing
interests of the State. The present
state debt is \$7,187,900. The Governor
advocates an increase of wages to female
teachers, and raising the public
schools to a higher standard, so that the
present high schools and academies
become unnecessary. The Governor
is glad to see that women are
admitted to the colleges of the
State. On the temperance question he
expresses the opinion that the law pro-
hibiting the sale of cider has failed to
meet the expectations of its friends and
should be modified.

WASHINGTON.—The balance in the
Treasury in coin is \$74,859,275, in cur-
rency, \$9,876,578; With reference to the
increase in the public debt it should
be said that it is more nominal than
real. When the accounts are made up
at the middle of January, it will be shown to be
an absolute decrease of the debt prob-
ably between three and four million.
Among the returns wanted are the
bond account and other revenues from
all distant custom houses. Government
expenses are charged as soon as the
warrant is issued for payment and
often long before the money is drawn,
the returns for receipts from distant
places are often not returned till long
after they are in the hands of the
proper officers.

NEW YORK.—In the Stokes case
to-day, Jenife Turner testified to a lady
picking up a pistol on the stairs at the
time of the murder and giving it to a
gentleman.

The remains of a boy were taken from
the ruins of the Centre street fire this
morning.

BOSTON, 2.—A letter received here re-
ports the loss of the ship *Seawright* of
Boston, north of Grand Guaire, R. I.,
Nov. 29. Eight men were lost and the
Captain and his wife saved.

George Washburne was incarcerated
to-day. His address says that while the
disaster caused commercial embarrassment
the public finances are gratifying,
the funded debt had been reduced
two millions during the year. The total
funded debt is now about 27 million.
He considers the labor question
and the first importance.

NEW YORK.—Stokes was allowed to
be interrogated where he stood, as to
whether he in company with Louis
Morrie, had ever threatened to kill
Fisk, and he answered in the negative.
The prosecution then called Louis
Morrie and offered to prove through
him that Stokes held Fisk in com-
munity as a cur and a coward, had fre-
quently threatened to shoot him, had
failed to meet him at hotels
to shoot him, had frequently im-
posed on him to shoot Fisk, and once was
going to shoot Fisk with his own hands
as he drove in his carriage, but the tes-
timony was excluded.

The search for the bodies in the ruins
of Centre Street terminated to day by
removing the remains of a boy, James
Bain, the seventh victim.

Of the Fifth Avenue theatre com-
pany Miss Clara Morris lost about \$2,500
worth of wardrobe, and Chas. Elmer
lost \$1,000 worth.

It is stated that Daly will leave the
Broadway theatre.

WASHINGTON.—Senator Sumner was
stabbed last night, but is better this morn-

The second inauguration of President
Grant will probably be the occasion of
the most imposing military display wit-
nessed in Washington since the grand
review in 1865. The government
troops stationed in this vicinity will for
the first time appear in their new uni-
forms.

PITTSBURG.—An express train going

west of the Western Pennsylvania

Railroad, yesterday p.m., was wrecked

by a freight train at Townsend station.

One passenger, a little girl, was in-
stantly killed, and one other severely
injured.

The counterfeiter, Thos. King, has
been pardoned by the President, in
consideration of important revelations.

Davis, *Reynolds*, *Wooden* mill,

at Grand Rapids, were burnt
yesterday; loss \$20,000. Insurance \$16,000.

LANSING.—The Legislature organized

yesterday. James H. Stone, Secretary

of the Senate, Chas. M. Crowell,

Speaker of the House. This morning

the retiring governor delivered a mes-
sage.

ST. LOUIS.—The ice gorge still holds

fast here, but the prospects favor a
speedy break up.

HENDERSON, Texas.—The centre

span of the two hundred feet bridge, on

the Austin Branch Railroad, has been

swept away.

CLEVELAND.—Daniel Stearns, one of

the founders of Berea, died this morn-
ing.

ATLANTA, Ga., 2.—The passenger

train on the Macon and Western road

collided this morning, forty miles out.

Eight negroes were killed, and ten

negroes and three whites injured.

Carroll Patti and troupe were on board

when the shaft ran through, and

Carroll was active in giving relief to

the wounded.

WASHINGTON.—Madame Schiebel

was married at the Austrian Legation,

to Mr. Savage, formerly U. S. consul at
Marselle.

At seventy of the most distin-
guished members of the bar of the Sup-
reme Court of the United States have
addressed a letter to ex-Associate Justice

Nelson, expressing their deep

regret at being compelled to part with

his training, impartiality, and integrity as a jurist.

The new police board of this district
was organized to-day, and adopted resolu-
tions to grant liquor licenses to all

applicants whose property was vouch-
sored for, but to enforce strictly the law

against Sunday or after midnight sales
of liquor in bar rooms.

PHILADELPHIA.—The Boston Club

met from the President returning thanks

for their warm endorsement of his action

regarding the appointment of the Postmaster at Philadelphia, in the inter-
ests of the civil service.

AUBURN.—This afternoon seven con-
victs succeeded in escaping from the

State Prison, by digging through a wall

where a shaft ran through, for the pur-
pose of turning the machinery in the

Prison.

WESTERN.

SAN FRANCISCO, 2.—An accident in

the press prevented the issuing of the

first edition of the *Bulletin* this even-
ing and delayed the second edition
several hours.

To-day a process was issued by the

United States District Court against the

treasure of the Sacramento, which was

supposed to be in the Bank of Califor-
nia, but the officers found that it had

been paid over to the parties to whom

it belonged, and none of it was in the

bank.

Jesse Hamilton, a farmer living four

miles south of this city, sustained

a fracture of his left leg by a kick from

a horse on Tuesday.

SANTA BARBARA, 2.—Quite a sensation

was created here yesterday morning

by the statement in the *Times* that

scarlet fever was prevalent in the town.

I have to-day committed five cases

of physicians of the town and each

declares that he knows of not a single

case of scarlet fever in the town.

A fever of a mild type, accompanied by a

slight eruption, but not contagious, has

been somewhat prevalent for a few

weeks past, but no case has proved fatal,
so far as I can learn. James Johnston,
editor *Press*.

The new hotel is expected to be open

to the public in about 10 days.

MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, 2.—The Tolosa stage

was robbed between Chapultepec and

the capital and robbed.

The robbers coolly started into the capital ahead

of the diligence.

The journals say Santa Anna is ex-
pected to be here yesterday.

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