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## TELEGRAPHIC.

### Eastern Despatches.

Bolled Down for The Astorian.

A PLAGUE BREAKS OUT IN THE SOUTH IN CONSEQUENCE OF DISINTERMENT OF YELLOW FEVER CORPSES.

DISEASED MEAT BEING SOLD IN BROOKLYN--THE MERCENARY WRETCHES.

BUT FOR ALL THAT "SMALL FAVORS THANKFULLY RECEIVED."

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 11.—The Courier Journal's correspondents report no yellow fever in the south, but some sort of sickness seems to have been caused by the disinterment of the bodies of persons who died of yellow fever.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The Brooklyn health officers charge that a number of cows suffering from pleuro pneumonia have been taken from the stables and slaughtered at the abattoir. The carcasses are now under guard until veterinary surgeons investigate them.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The river and harbor appropriation bill reported to the house to-day contains the following appropriations for the Pacific coast: Oakland, \$30,000; Wilmington, \$11,000; Willamette and Columbia rivers, \$45,000; Coos Bay, \$49,000; Upper Columbia river, \$10,000; canal at the Cascades of the Columbia river, \$50,000.

### Foreign Despatches.

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THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES "ON IT."

THEY UTTERLY ANNIHILATE SOME OF HER MAJESTY'S BEST.

WHAT ENGLAND PROPOSES TO DO ABOUT IT.

SPIKED GUNS WOULD NOT SHOOT ON THE DAY THEY WERE WANTED.

A SERIOUS REVOLUTION BROKEN OUT IN ANTIOQUAL.

THE SAILORS STRIKE IN LIVERPOOL FORBODING DAMAGING RESULTS.

ALL PAPER MONEY TO BE DESTROYED IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE PLAGUE.

CANALS TO BE CLOSED AND HOSPITALS ORGANIZED.

ST. VINCENT, Jan. 30.—On the 21st inst. a British column consisting of a portion of the 24th regiment, a battery of artillery and 600 native auxiliaries were utterly annihilated near Tuquela river by 20,000 Zulus, who captured a valuable convoy of 102 wagons, 1,000 oxen, two cannon, 400 shot and shell, 1,000 rifles, 25,000 rounds of ammunition, 60,000 pounds weight of provisions, and the colors of the 24th regiment. It is estimated that 5,000 Zulus were killed and wounded in the battle. Among the killed on the British side are two majors, four captains, twelve lieutenants and a quartermaster of the 24th regiment; two captains of the royal artillery; a colonel, captain, four lieutenants, sergeant and major of engineers, besides twenty other British officers commanding native levies. Seven attacks, sub-

sequently made by the Zulus, have been repulsed, and the colony is now somewhat recovering from the utter consternation which at first prevailed. Lord Chelmsford, commander of the expedition, has been forced to retire in consequence of the defeat. It is estimated that 500 soldiers were killed besides the officers stated. Governor Sir Bartle Freere has sent to England for reinforcements. The mail steamer for England was dispatched a day earlier than usual with a request for six regiments of infantry and a brigade of cavalry. Details of the disaster show that the guns were spiked before they were captured.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A summons was issued this morning for a cabinet council to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon to deliberate on the reverses to British troops in Zulu land. News of the defeat has caused a sensation throughout London.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The cabinet council to-day decided to send six battalions of infantry, two regiments of cavalry, two batteries of artillery, a company of engineers, three companies of army service corps, and a company of army hospital corps, to reinforce Lord Chelmsford.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—A dispatch from the Star and Herald of Panama, says that a serious revolution has broken out in Antioqui.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11.—Striking laborers have appointed a deputation to learn the views of the Steamship Owners Association, but the deputation is prohibited from making any compromise. Not a single vessel sailed from Liverpool for foreign ports on Monday. Several hundred sailors have formed a union. The number of strikers of all classes now here is estimated at from 50,000 to 60,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.—Gen. Louis Melikoff has proposed to the governors of Astrakhan, Samari and Saratoff that all paper money circulating be exchanged for new, through the Kama Volga bank, and destroyed. The attention of medical authorities is concentrated on Selitreno and neighboring districts. The St. Petersburg sanitary committee proposes to cleanse the canal and organize large hospitals which can be anchored in the Gulf of Bosnia.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

### FISHERIES.

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Which will be sold at the very lowest prices.

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### COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. Capital \$12,500,000.

MATT H. SIBSON, Agent, Astoria, Oregon.

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ORGANIZED IN 1863. Total Losses Paid Since Organization. \$3,680,435 95. E. C. HOLDEN, Agent, Astoria Oregon.

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OFFICE—North-east corner of Stark and First streets, PORTLAND, OREGON.

Net Cash received for Fire Premiums in 1877.....\$335,511 04

Assets, Jan. 1, 1878.....\$578,065 85

Liabilities—

Losses unpaid.....\$3,738 37

Dividends ".....1,307 00 5,595 37

Surplus for Property Holders.....\$572,470 47

Losses paid in Oregon in six years.....\$114,516 72

I. W. CASE, Agent, Astoria, Oregon.

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