

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Costa Rica Affronted by the Nicaraguans.

NEW ALLIANCE TO BE FORMED

Latest From the Wheat Market—Prices Still Remain Nearly What They Were Yesterday.

New York, May 24.—A special to the World from San Jose, Costa Rica, says: Nicaragua has been provoking this country so persistently that war seems inevitable. The government here supposed the relations between the two states were friendly until Nicaragua suddenly stopped all communication.

President Iglesias is getting ready to resist an invasion from Nicaragua, but the army will not be called out until circumstances force it.

INTERESTING TESTIMONY.

The Goulds Claim They Are Unjustly Taxed.

New York, May 24.—Some of the testimony taken by W. L. Cannon, jr., referee in the certiorari proceedings in which the estate of Jay Gould and Jay Gould's children resist paying personal taxes here on the ground of non-residence, is interesting.

The Wheat Market.

CHICAGO, May 24.—The wheat market opened excitedly and irregular today. On the curb and open board early sales were at 78 1/2 for July, against 78 3/4 at the close yesterday.

Less Excitement in New York.

New York, May 24.—Wheat transactions up to noon today were just 5,230,

000 bushels, or about 13,000,000 less than they were yesterday morning. Prices danced about in a lively way.

WANT THE LAWS CHANGED.

Bigamy in the United States by Canadians Unpunishable in Canada.

QUEBEC, May 24.—Bigamy in the United States by Canadian citizens is one of the subjects to be grappled with next week at Toronto by the National Council of Women of Canada under the presidency of its founder, the Countess of Aberdeen.

But the Countess of Aberdeen and the ladies affiliated with her upon the executive committee of the National Council of Women of Canada are bound to have such provision made if by any means possible, and there have recently been some very sad cases of wife desertion in Canada and remarriage in the United States.

Working For Sibley.

New York, May 24.—In an interview Senator Stewart, of Nevada, said:

"I want to see ex-Congressman Joseph C. Sibley of Pennsylvania the next president of the United States, and I am advocating him as a candidate. He is one of the ablest men in the country, and I do not know one who is more honest.

The senator declined to discuss Senator Carter's visit to ex-President Harrison. He said he knew of Mr. Carter's talk, but had no comment to make.

Union Theological Seminary.

New York, May 24.—Charles Butler, president of the board of trustees, says regarding the boycott of Union theological seminary, by the general assembly:

Cinch Bugs in Kansas.

TOPEKA, May 26.—The ravages of cinch bugs in the wheat fields of Eastern Kansas have become so destructive that the farmers of many counties are applying to Professor Snow, chancellor of the state university, requesting him to send them infected bugs with which to stop the work of destruction.

An Alliance Proposed.

New York, May 24.—A special to the World from Managua, Nicaragua, says: The World correspondent is informed that steps are being taken towards the formation of an alliance between Nicaragua, Honduras, Salvador and Guatemala in consequence of the difficulties between this country and Costa Rica.

Will Answer Carlisle.

MEMPHIS, May 24.—Ex-Congressman W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, arrived here this morning, and was given a cordial reception by representative of the free-silver men.

Will Oppose Free Silver.

New York, May 24.—At today's session of the Democratic Editorial Association of New York, resolutions were adopted that the democratic press of this state pledge itself to oppose any legislation looking to the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

All druggists sell Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

LOTAN AND SEID BACK

The Jury Convicted Them of Conspiracy.

WAS OUT ONLY A FEW HOURS

Much Surprise Felt in Portland at the Result—New Trial Will Be Asked For at Once.

PORTLAND, May 26.—Ex-Collector James Lotan and Seid Back, the Chinese merchant prince, who have been on trial in the United States court during the past week, for conspiracy to smuggle Chinese, were found guilty by the jury last night. The verdict was very unexpected by the defendants and many of the attorneys in the case.

"We, the jury in the case, find the defendants, James Lotan and Seid Back, guilty as charged in the indictment."

The names of the jury were then called in turn, and the judge asked each if it was his verdict and if he was satisfied with it. Each replied affirmatively.

District Attorney Murphy asked that the defendants be remanded, saying that he had examined Seid Back's bond and found it faulty, as it does not describe the crime charged in the indictment.

RAISED BY HERMANN.

An Important Question Regarding Indian Schools on Reservations.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Representative Hermann, of Oregon has raised a very important question in the interior department in reservations where allotments in severalty have occurred.

Royalists Disappointed by the Result of Rickard and Walker Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—The steamship China arrived from Honolulu tonight, bringing the following advices under date of May 20th:

The correspondence between British Commissioner Hawes and the foreign office will soon close with the laurels in the hands of the foreign office. The claim made by the political prisoners, Rickard and Walker, has been completely refuted by the evidence submitted by the foreign office.

French Guiana and Brazil.

PARIS, May 26.—The governor of French Guiana cables to his government that, as a consequence of Brazilian freebooters capturing a French settler named Trajano and robbing other Frenchmen on the frontier territory between French Guiana and Brazil, the governor sent a dispatch boat with ma-

lines to restore order. M. Lunier, captain of marines, with only two men took a flag of truce to demand the surrender of Trajano. Cabral the leader of the freebooters, treacherously fired upon Lunier. A fierce conflict ensued, the marines coming to the assistance of the Frenchmen.

LETTERS BY STREETCAR.

CHICAGO, May 24.—Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock there will leave the hockwell-street power-house of the Madison-street cable line a neat white closed coach, and the street railway postal service conceived by Postmaster Hering will have its realization.

Buried in the Potter's Field.

CHICAGO, May 24.—A cousin of General Philip Sheridan will be buried today in the potter's field. This comes about not through any neglect on the part of the dead woman's friends, but is the result of a solemn promise made to her a month ago.

Margaret Hogan, who died tonight at the residence of Mrs. Fancher, in this city, was born in Ireland 67 years ago. Her parents were in prosperous circumstances after coming to America, and their daughter was reared in luxury.

No Action upon the Request.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—So far as can be ascertained no action has yet been taken by the war department on the request of the secretary of the interior that troops be sent to the scene of the threatened troubles on the Winnebago and Omaha Indian lands in Nebraska growing out of the settlement on those lands by the Flourney Real Estate & Live Stock Company and others.

English Praise for Cleveland.

LONDON, May 26.—The Observer, in an editorial on the retirement of Admiral Meade, applauds the singular moral courage of President Cleveland in the navy department in risking defeat at the polls for sake of friendship of England in dismissing Admiral Meade, and suggests that Lord Rosebery ask the government at Washington to reinstate Admiral Meade.

Electric Car and Wagon Colided.

CHICAGO, May 26.—A South Chicago electric car, drawing a trailer, ran into a wagon containing five persons at Seventy-ninth street and Yates avenue, tonight. The wagon was demolished.

The Wasco Warehouse Co. have on sale at their warehouse Seed Wheat, Feed Wheat, Barley, Barley Chop, Oats and Hay. Are sole agents in The Dalles for the now celebrated Goldendale roller mills flour, the best flour in the market and sold only in ton lots or over. 9-1f

SECY GRESHAM DEAD

The Sad News Not Entirely Unexpected

CRIME IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Another Murder as Mysterious as That in the Church—The Police Have no Clue as Yet.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Secretary Gresham died at 1:15 o'clock this (Tuesday) morning at his rooms at the Arlington house. Although his recovery was practically abandoned when his spell occurred a little before 6 last (Monday) evening, the most powerful heart stimulants known to medical science were injected periodically, and an infusion of normal saline solution was made through an open vein in the arm.



W.C. GRESHAM.

Still Gathering Testimony.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—The police are still engaged in gathering testimony against O. W. Winthrop, who was arrested last week in connection with the death of Mrs. Jennie Mathews, who died under mysterious circumstances at the grave of her child.

Heavy Rains and Winds Prevail in California.

ANDERSON, May 27.—A heavy rain and wind storm has been prevailing since Saturday afternoon, doing an immense amount of damage and causing many thousands of dollars' loss.

A Peculiar Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—A peculiar suit was filed in the superior court today. Dorothea Olsen, the plaintiff, says she is 66, and four years ago she married Peter Olsen, aged 23. Mrs. Olsen says she owned valuable property in Alameda and San Francisco.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

SATURDAY'S LYNCHING.

It is the All-Absorbing Topic at Danville.

DANVILLE, Ill., May 27.—Saturday's lynching is still the absorbing topic of conversation here. There is a possibility that those members of the mob who are known will be indicted by the grand jury.

"If the grand jury indicts the lynchers you can rest assured that I will prosecute them vigorously and fearlessly. The matter will be brought before the grand jury. What action it will take, I am, of course, unable to say. I believe in following the law in every case.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The wheat market opened excited and higher today and within a few minutes touched a point only 1/2 of a cent under top figures during the recent boom.

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