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is the number of soldiers estimated to have perished in the Crimea, cannot have exhausted the military resources of an empire containing sixty millions of inhabitants.

Is a Pacific Railroad Possible? It all turns upon a question of water.—The road can be built, no doubt; but whether the iron horse can find drink enough to sustain him on his long journey, is the unsettled question at Washington.

The road will have to traverse three distinct kinds of country. The first three hundred miles, after leaving the Western borders of civilization, is rolling prairie, covered with luxuriant grass, watered by occasional streams, and tolerably supplied with timber.

Next come six hundred miles of arid desert, waterless, treeless, as unproductive as a bank of ashes, except that at long intervals small streams are found coursing narrow valleys, and giving life to a few stunted trees and a little coarse grass.

Timber, of course, can be bought and transported, but the expense will be something prodigious. A cross-tree, value here twenty-five cents, doubles its cost by being transported a hundred and fifty miles.

Money can do all this, however. But money cannot transport the enormous quantities of water that will be required for the locomotives.

THE WAY THE ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH WORKS.—In speaking of the electric telegraph, we suppose that there is, in every message transmitted by its agency, a sort of journey accomplished by the current, as far as the wires may reach; and to us it is a matter of astonishment that some elemental substance, set in motion at London, shall travel in the brief space of one minute to Glasgow.

"MILITARY."—At Ashland, Pa., Dec. 1st, an Irish and an American military company got into a collision, the Irish firing on the Americans, and the Americans charging bayonets upon the Irish, killing two of them.

The State of North Carolina has distributed among the several counties of the State, during the past year, the sum of \$180,000 for the support of Common Schools.