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TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

THE GRAND ARMY DISSATISFIED.
WASHINGTON, July 26.—Prominent members of the Grand Army of the Republic today said that the organization would have raised \$30,000 to build a monument for General Grant at Arlington or at the Soldiers' Home, but it is doubtful whether an effort will be made if the remains are buried in Central Park. One of the officers says that the Grand Army will not build a monument in Central park as an adjunct to the zoological gardens and the obelisk.

PROFESSOR HILGARD'S DISMISSAL.
WASHINGTON, July 25.—Professor Hilgard said today, concerning his suspension from the superintendency of the coast survey, that he did not care to have the matter settled by the newspapers, nor to enter into a public controversy on the subject; but that it should be settled in the department where it belongs. If his office was wanted he could stand dismissal without murmuring, but he objected to going out under a cloud, with charges of irregularities which had no foundation. The books and records of his office, he said, would speak for themselves, and he was willing to abide by the result of a thorough investigation. Being asked as to the facts connected with his suspension, Hilgard said that in June last he received a communication from the first auditor, stating that charges of irregularities had been made against the management of the coast survey. These charges were not specific, but in a general way indicated payment of salaries to persons who performed no services, allowing unnecessary traveling expenses to those connected with the survey, for the benefit of their families, and unnecessary expenditures for money appropriated for maintenance of the coast survey. No instance of alleged irregularities were cited, but Professor Hilgard replied to the first auditor indignantly denying the charges in toto, and asking for specific instances. He received no reply, until he was informed of his suspension from office, yesterday. Professor Hilgard added that if the mind of the first auditor had been poisoned against him he had nothing to do with that. All he asked was a careful investigation, made by those who were competent to understand the workings of the office and its necessities; that the office is governed by rules and regulations, which were remodeled by Secretary Sherman only a few years ago, and all expenditures are made in accordance with them.

GENERAL GRANT'S BOOK.
NEW YORK, July 25.—The first check which Charles L. Webster & Co. will pay as royalty upon General Grant's "Personal Memoirs" will be for a larger amount than any publisher has hitherto given an author at any time. The largest sum ever paid an author to the present time was \$100,000, about the amount Lord Macaulay received for his "History of England." The profits given Mrs. Grant for the first edition of her husband's work will be from \$150,000 to \$200,000, and the publishers believe she will receive from it in all about \$600,000. [Not \$50,000, as incorrectly announced a day or two ago.]

"The general's book bids fair to have the largest circulation of any book ever printed in this country," said Webster. "We have now about 4000 agents canvassing for it throughout the country. We expect to have at least 5000 out before its publication, December 1. The agents have not covered the whole territory, or nearly all of it, but their general success has been astonishing. Many of them dispose of thirty or more copies a day. No publication ever announced has sold so rapidly in advance as this has done. Sales have been equally great in the east and west. Our orders from the south have not been as large as from the north, but we did not put agents in the field so soon, nor have we as yet begun to cover the ground so thoroughly there. The first edition was originally intended to be 500,000, but we subsequently changed that to 1,000,000, and it is now probable that 2,000,000 copies will be issued at first, the largest first edition ever printed. The paper to print it on will weigh in the neighborhood of 600 tons, which is far more, I believe, than was ever ordered for any edition of a work of this kind. No one book binding firm in New York could handle so vast an edition at one time, so we will divide the work among several, and for further convenience we will issue the second volume about three months after the first one, to give us ample time to handle it."

PACIFIC COAST.

CHARGES TO BE INVESTIGATED.
SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—Some weeks ago it was announced that the leaders of the local democracy had formulated grave charges against the customs service in San Francisco, and that they had asked that the accusations be made the subject of a formal investigation by the secretary of the treasury. It was stated to secretary Manning that some of the custom house officers detailed to enforce the restriction act had not honestly discharged their duty. The secretary's attention was directed to the fact that the number of Chinese arrivals had increased in a surprising manner within the past year. This increase was in a considerable manner within the past year. This increase was in a considerable manner charged by the democratic accusers to corruption of custom officials with Chinese money. While it has been generally known that such charges were forwarded to Washington there has been much doubt as to whether the treasury department would take serious cognizance of them. A belief that the allegations were inspired by Buckley for the purpose of making room for some of his followers would, it was thought, destroy much of their intended effect. Custom house people have affected to make light of the charges, and seemed to think that the treasury department would regulate the work of Buckley's literatures to the waste basket. This inference has proved totally erroneous, however, for a letter has been received by Secretary Manning, formally acknowledging receipt of the charges against the custom house service, and promising official inquiry into the alleged frauds.

THE LEGION OF HONOR.
SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Judge Hunt rendered a judgement today in favor of Nellie C. Millard against the supreme council of the American Legion of Honor for \$5,000. The action was brought by the widow of Eugene A. Millard. The defense set up was that the deceased was delinquent in the payment of assessments at the time of his death. Evidence showed that he had failed to pay a number of assessments upon the days when they became due. At a regular meeting a motion was made to reinstate him, he having been suspended. This motion was carried, but the grand commander held that action was illegal. Subsequently he paid all his arrears, which sum was transmitted to the supreme council. Notwithstanding this the defense claimed that he was not in good standing in the order when he died. Judge Hunt ruled that he was.

STAGE ROBBED.
NEVADA CITY, July 27.—The stage from Washington was stopped by two highwaymen this morning, three miles from here, and within one mile of the Central house. There were five passengers on board. The robbers compelled them to get out of the stage, and while one stood guard his pal relieved the passengers of their money and other valuables. From H. B. Current and his two sons \$139.50 was taken, besides two pistols. Mrs. Wade, a widow, was obliged to hand over \$40 and her jewelry. From the driver, George Grisette, \$200 was taken, most of which belonged to other parties.

FIVE MEN BURNED.
BAKER CITY, July 28.—The county jail burned at 2 o'clock this morning. It is supposed to have been fired by Fred Winkelman, the murderer of Louis and Allen. Five prisoners were burned to death, to-wit: John Cooley, murderer of G. W. Plumb; Louis Miller, W. A. Land and Sam Brown, alias Mausfield, each held for larceny. The bodies are burned to cinders, and are unrecognizable. Winkelman was taken out alive, but badly burned.

DISASTROUS CLOUDBURST.
DENVER, July 26.—The heaviest flood ever known in Cherry creek came down at 6 this evening. The Denver and New Orleans bridge at Wewatta street, which had been weighted with a train loaded with coal cars, was carried away. The Broadway, Curtis and Holladay street bridges are slightly damaged. There is no loss of life, and the damage will not exceed a few thousand dollars.

Tribune-Republican's Colorado Springs special: One of the most disastrous cloudbursts ever known in this section of the state struck a point a few miles north of this city last midnight. But for the fact that the storm struck the crest of a hill where the water flowed in opposite directions, the loss of life must have been appalling. Several railroad and wagon bridges in the vicinity were carried away, and a large amount of track was swept out. The house of B. A. P. Eaton, superintendent of schools in the northern part of the city, was lifted from its foundation and carried down stream with great velocity. In the house at the time were Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, who had just retired for the night. As soon as the former realized the situation, he jumped from the door of the floating dwelling, instructed his wife to do the same, and after a hard struggle succeeded in reaching a place of safety. Instead of jumping, the wife clung to the house, which struck the Denver and New Orleans railroad bridge 100 yards below, and was dashed to pieces. Diligent search failed to discover any trace of Mrs. Eaton's body.

GENERAL NEWS.

FRESH TROUBLE AT CLEVELAND.
CLEVELAND, July 28.—The quietude which had broken in Eighteenth ward was suddenly settled this morning by an attack upon two inoffensive laborers. As early as 4 o'clock a gang of strikers, armed with clubs, began to assemble in the vicinity of the mills, and at 7 o'clock several hundred men were on the ground, and conducting themselves in a very excited manner. There were no officers on duty, and the crowd thought they were masters of the situation. Several men who had been employed in the yards of the mill, cleaning up and making repairs, were set upon by the mob, and two or three men were badly beaten. Shortly after the assault Sergeant Thompson arrived on the ground, having jumped off the train when he saw the crowd of strikers. He dispersed the men unaided, and they scattered with mutterings.

MEETING OF CATTLEMEN.
KANSAS CITY, July 28.—A representative meeting of cattlemen interested in Cheyenne and Arapahoe leases was held here this afternoon, at which a memorial was adopted asking President Cleveland to extend the time for removing cattle from the Cheyenne and Arapahoe reservations. No specific time of extension is mentioned in the petition. The board of trade of Kansas City passed a resolution recommending the memorial to the president. A committee of five was appointed to go to Washington and present the memorial. The committee will start to-morrow.

WHERE THE REMAINS WILL REST.
NEW YORK, July 25.—The site chosen for General Grant's tomb is on a sort of promontory on the Hudson river, and is the highest point in Manhattan. The outward swell of the promontory begins at One Hundred and Twenty-second street and the river bank, and returns to its regular line at One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street. The summit of this elevation is almost a level plateau of something more than twenty acres. On the river side the descent is abrupt. At its foot, 200 feet below, are the tracks of that branch of the Hudson River railroad that runs into the West Thirtieth street depot. On the northwest is the ferry to Fort Lee, and on the north and northeast the red brick stores, houses and manufactories of Manhattanvale cluster around the base of the hill. If the observer looks to the north he has opened before him the long vista of Riverside park, of driveways, hewn stone walls and ancient oaks and maples, on the Hudson. The spot suggests revolutionary war memories. Fort Lee is opposite, the old fort in Central Park is on the southeast, Fort Washington is on the north, and the highlands near West Point shut in the horizon beyond the Tappan zee. No structures can be erected to break the uniformity of the view, as the water front and park belong to the city. The temporary tomb to receive the body will be built of brick.

MILLS SHUT DOWN.
FALL RIVER, July 28.—The first week of the shut down begun to-day. Twenty-two of the fifty-four mills in the city are silent and 8,400 operatives are idle.

SUNSTROKE.
ST. LOUIS, July 28.—There were four fatal cases of sunstroke here to-day, with a dozen others less serious. The mercury stands at 95 in the shade.

FACTORIES SHUTTING DOWN.
ATLANTA, GA., July 28.—Pursuant to a resolution adopted at yesterday's convention in Augusta, two cotton mills in Mississippi, one in Tennessee, one in North Carolina and one in Georgia, agreed to-day to close their factories from August 15th to September 15th. Three thousand hands will be deprived of employment.

DISEASED CATTLE.
ST. LOUIS, July 28.—Notwithstanding the orders from the Interior and War Departments regarding the passage of Texas cattle, the farmers of Colorado and Kansas manifest an interest to disregard them. They insist that the secretary of the Interior has no authority over their lands, which are private property, and where the owners have reason to fear diseased cattle, they will refuse them passage. It is believed the secretary has no right to compel an obedience to his order, and that the president will not use troops to force a passage for the cattle.

GRANT'S BIRTHPLACE.
CINCINNATI, July 28.—Michael Hersch, Jr., present owner of the house at Point Pleasant, Ohio, in which General Grant was born, says he would naturally prefer to have the house remain where it is, but he is not able to keep it if offers come to make it an inducement to let the house go else where. He has had one offer of \$1,000 from a gentleman from Cincinnati, but would not consider it. He says he could sell the house piecemeal for relics, and, in fact, had sold a window catch for \$5, and a good many splinters from the weatherboarding, which had to be renewed. He was careful in repairing to leave the interior intact.

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THE HIBBS CASE.

VICTORIA, July 28.—Hibbs was before the supreme court yesterday, and will be up again to-day. Both the United States and the prisoner are strongly represented by counsel. After the reading of the depositions, which occupied considerable time, Dimick, assistant postmaster of Portland, and J. J. Murphy, postoffice inspector, were called as witnesses. The latter testified to the admission of Hibbs at the time of his arrest. He states among other things that Hibbs admitted issuing 376 fraudulent money orders, and the receipt of \$15,000 or \$20,000 upon the same, claiming that the offense he had committed was not forgery.

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36 Ladies embroidered mull handkerchiefs, 35 cts, last year \$1.00.
120 Pair ladies seamless hose 25 cts, regular 3 for \$1.00.
18 Ladies dressing saques 50 cts, regular \$1.00.
30 Ladies corsets 50 cts, some worth \$1.00.
24 Pair Childrens fine shoes 75 cts, worth \$1.25.
30 Mens percale and Cheviot shirts 90 cts, worth \$1.50.

We will make a reduction of 10 per cent. in all dry goods, dress goods, mens, youths, boys and childrens clothing, furnishing goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps, fancy goods, etc., etc.

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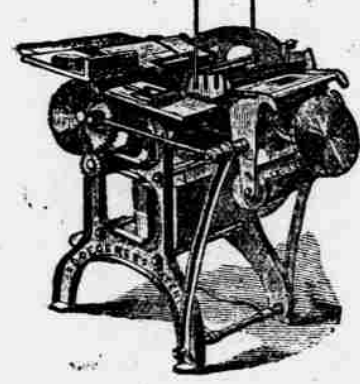
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