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## TRANSPORTATION.

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## REPLY RECEIVED.

### England Sends a Messenger to Secretary Olney.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The reply of Lord Salisbury to Secretary Olney's note of instructions to Ambassador Bayard relative to the Venezuelan boundary dispute, was delivered to Secretary Olney at noon today. Sir Julian Pauncefote presented the note in person, reading its contents to Mr. Olney as is the custom when important documents are presented. For some reason the state department officials took steps to prevent the fact that the note had been delivered gaining publicity, but without avail. At the British embassy there was the same indisposition to give any publicity to the proceedings.

All inquiry as the nature of the note failed to secure a response from any official, and it probably will be preserved as an official secret, as far as the Washington authorities are concerned, until the president, upon his return, had an opportunity to consider it and send it to congress. It is known the note is on the general lines indicated in the Associated Press dispatches this week.

## NEW YORK BANKS.

### The Weekly Showing of Their Holdings and Business.

New York, Dec. 10.—The New York Financier says:  
"The statement of averages of the banks of New York city for the week ended December 7, shows a continuation of the liquidation on loans, which has been a marked feature of this statement for twelve weeks past. The loss in loans since September 14, has been no less than \$38,000,000. The loan item for the week ended December 7 is only \$9,000,000 in excess of the lowest point reached during the present year, or April 8, last. Deposits, however, on that date were only \$500,000,000, against \$521,000,000 for the week just ended. If the gold receipts of Saturday had been figured in the statement, deposits would have shown a decrease, but the heavy movement from the interior is clearly shown in the gain of \$1,095,900 in cash by the banks. This expansion promises to continue for some time to come if the domestic exchange figures are a criterion. Of the cash balances it might be noted that \$1,220,400 of the total amount was in specie, the total now held by New York banks aggregating \$67,371,900, or a gain of nearly \$7,000,000 since October 12. The total gold holdings, however, are \$14,000,000 less than reported last February."

## Insurgents Advancing on Santa Clara.

Havana, Dec. 10.—In spite of the reported defeat of Maximo Gomez and Antonio Maceo by General Suarez, General Navarro and General Aldecoa, the last-named being understood to be in pursuit of the insurgents, who were believed to be caught between the columns of troops commanded by these generals and that of General Aldave, it is now stated that Gomez and Maceo have united their forces and, instead of being in flight, in the province of Puerto Principe, are advancing through the province of Santa Clara. General Aldave, as already stated, was said to be in pursuit of the insurgents after they had turned his flank and crossed the line between Ciego de Avilla and Morton, in the province of Puerto Principe, on their way to Santa Clara. Maceo and Gomez, it is now stated, have already passed the road from Igua, on the frontier, to Telasco, a little north of Santa Spiritus.

## The Horse Show a Success.

San Francisco, Dec. 10.—The horse show ended tonight, after a most prosperous week. All day and night the pavilion was crowded with well-dressed men and women, who gazed at each other, and incidentally at the horses. The show has been a great financial success, and will be a yearly event in San Francisco. Walter Hobart, the young millionaire, was the chief attraction of the show. He entered the largest number of horses for competition, and drove and rode them himself. He carried off nine-tenths of the prizes.

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## FIFTY-FOURTH SESSION

### Daily Proceedings in Senate and House.

## IMPORTANT BILLS INTRODUCED

### Appointment of Members on Various Congressional Committees—The Senate.

Washington, Dec. 7.—There was a good attendance when the senate met for alleged complicity in the Cuban revolution, and directing him to procure a copy of the record in the case if it is not on file at the department.

Gallinger of New Hampshire introduced a resolution declaring it as the sense of the senate that it was unwise and inexpedient to retire greenbacks.

Mitchell of Oregon introduced a resolution, which was agreed to, calling on the secretary of the treasury to inform the senate why the construction of the public building at Portland, Or., for which an appropriation was made by the last congress, was not proceeded with.

Cell of Florida addressed the senate in advocacy of his resolution for the recognition of the belligerent Cuban insurgents, and for strict neutrality of the United States in the war.

By Flynn of Oklahoma—Providing for free homesteads upon public lands in Oklahoma; also, for the opening of Indian territory under the homestead laws.

By Morse of Massachusetts—To repeal the interstate commerce law.

By Bowers of California—Prohibiting the appointments of aliens to office under the government.

By Southard of Ohio—To enclose and improve the sites of certain forts, battlefields, and graves of American soldiers and marines in Maumee valley.

By Flynn of Oklahoma—A resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for information why the W. A. Indians lands in Oklahoma have not been allotted.

By Hainer—Amending the act, for the inspection of live cattle, etc., by giving the secretary of agriculture authority to have all carcasses, condemned as unfit for food under the act of March 3, 1891, so disposed of as shall effectively prevent their use as human food; also a bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors confined in Confederate prisons.

Washington, Dec. 9.—When the house met today, Perry, Dem., of Arkansas, and Boatner, Dem., of Louisiana, belated members, were formally sworn in, and a motion for a committee to pass on the members' mileage accounts was passed.

Baker of New Hampshire asked unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of a resolution calling on the secretary of agriculture to report whether he had expended the whole or any part of the appropriation made by the last congress for the distribution of farmers' bulletins. McMillin of Tennessee objected.

Walker of Massachusetts offered a petition in form of a resolution, from the naturalized Armenians of the United States, nine-tenths of whom, he said, lived in his district, and requested it to be printed in the Record.

After reciting the alleged oppression and outrages of the Turkish government, it concluded:

"Resolved, That the people of the United States, through their representatives in congress assembled, hereby express their deepest abhorrence and condemnation of the outrages thus committed on their fellow-citizens as well as the Christian subjects of Turkey."

"Resolved, further, That this house, composed of immediate representatives of the American people, pledge its support to the government in every measure justified by international law and common humanity to vindicate the rights of our fellow-citizens and their families in Turkey, and to hinder and prevent, as far as practicable, the continuance of the outrages and massacres in that land."

The petition was referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

## Pacific Cable Company's Organization.

New York, Dec. 10.—A meeting was held today at the office of the Central & South American Telegraph Company for the purpose of completing the organization of the Pacific Cable Company. This company will be independent of the Mexican Central & South American Telegraph Company in its organization, but they will have relations which will be mutually advantageous. The projected cable will connect San Francisco with the proposed American naval station at Pearl River harbor, in the Sandwich islands, Japan and China, Australia and India. A committee on plan and scope was appointed.

## The Southern Pacific Reduction.

Sacramento, Dec. 10.—Orders have been given at the railroad shops here to discharge 500 men tonight. That will leave 1,400 men in the Sacramento shops. This is the heaviest lay-off the company has made here for many years.

## NORTHWEST BREVITIES

### Evidence of Steady Growth and Enterprise.

## ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

### Rejection of Bids for the Construction of the State Capitol at Olympia—Oregon News.

The wool clip in Lake county this year exceeded 1,000,000 pounds.

The water works at Klamath Falls has at last been placed in operation.

The can factory, at Astoria, is receiving orders from all parts of the Northwest, for cans for next season.

A large amount of building has been done at The Dalles in the past summer. Over twenty-five residences have been built and a number of business structures, besides many additions and enlargements.

A remarkable discovery was made while digging a well near Eugene Junction recently. At the depth of 170 feet a cedar tree was found. The grain of the wood and knots are still plainly visible.

Lightning struck a Tillamook Rock telephone wire, during a recent storm; running along the wire; it went into the office at Fort Stevens, illuminating the place and scaring those who were in the office, but did no damage.

The price of cattle in Eastern Oregon is steadily going up, and those stockmen who have sold will be more than recompensed for the trouble they have had in keeping them. Horses are not so numerous as they were a few months ago. For a month or two they were dying with a fever at an alarming rate, in certain portions.

Three large ice storage houses are being erected at Perry for the purpose of storing ice with which to supply the market along the O. R. & N. Company's line. The O. R. & N. Company have put in a spur near Perry, and these storage houses are being erected so that ice can be easily taken from the river and then, during the warm season, to the cars for shipment.

Washington.  
A new tannery is to be erected at Moose, in Yakima county.

The name of the community of "Hog Heaven" has been changed to Oakdale.

Walla Walla is agitated over a question whether it has a legal right to license gambling.

Camps of the new order, called the Native Sons of Washington, are being organized at Port Townsend.

The Oregon Improvement Company handled during the year, ending December 1, over 250,000 tons of coal.

A new wooden eave factory has just been started in Seattle, for the manufacture of gutters of all kinds, wooden conductors, etc.

A number of farmers along the Columbia river in Yakima county are building water wheels for the purpose of irrigating their land.

A saw mill with a capacity of 200,000 feet a day, is to be erected at Everett or Seattle by the Weyer-Hauser syndicate, the most extensive lumber dealers in the world.

Sturgeon fishing is now taking the place of salmon fishing on the Columbia and Snake rivers for a few months. Nets will be used more this year than ever. They run from 600 to 900 feet in length, and the meshes vary in size from twelve to nineteen inches.

The agricultural college, at Pullman, now offers a short course in agriculture. The course includes a year of twenty-four weeks. Special attention is paid to agriculture, horticulture, botany, chemistry, entomology, mathematics and languages. The expense of the course is very slight. Tuition is free, room rent \$17 a year, board at the dormitory averages \$8.12 a month, and the expenses for books is small.

The state capitol commission has again rejected all bids for the erection of the new capitol owing to the provisions in the bids which surround the payment of the warrants. The building is to be erected from the proceeds of the sale of 129,000 acres granted by congress for public building purposes, and the warrants so state on their face. No lands have yet been sold, and the bidders feared the warrants would not always bring par.

## Idaho.

A mill is to be erected at the Viola mine in Black Horned district. It is said that State Treasurer Bunting is interested in this deal.

A company composed of young Indians of the Kamiah settlement are planning to engage in the general merchandise business at that place.

A hundred head of horses were recently sold in Jordan valley at \$75, or 75 cents per head. This is said to be the lowest price ever paid for horses anywhere.

The estimated wheat crop of Northern Idaho and Eastern Washington is far short of the average. It is estimated that it will be 10,000,000 bushels. Last year it was double that amount.

The Irrigation of the Lewiston plats seems to be assured for the near future. It is one of the finest tracts of unimproved land in the Northwest. Two thousand, six hundred acres of land were purchased by Eastern capitalists, and all the preliminaries have been arranged for a big ditch.

## Montana.

Butte has now over \$300,000 in outstanding warrants.

The town council of Havre, have put down an artesian well and have secured a flow large enough to supply water

## for a town five times the size of Havre.

The hunting season for the whitetail deer, blacktail deer, mule deer, mountain sheep, Rocky mountain goat and antelope is rapidly drawing to a close. It is unlawful to hunt after December 15.

Montana, like Washington, has a capital problem to consider. Its legislature has authorized the issue of \$1,000,000 in warrants, secured upon the lands granted by the general government, to build the building, but there is no present income from the lands to pay interest on them, or is there likely to be for some time to come. So the warrants do not and the building cannot go on.

## British Columbia.

A large corporation is being formed in the East to open the marble quarries of Chicago island next season.

It is reported that the Kaslo & Slokan Railway have bought the Silverton town site and have decided to extend the road to that point.

The Fraser River Industrial Society has decided to secure a site as near the mouth of the river as possible for cannery purposes, and to accept one of the three lots offered by the city of Westminster, for wharfage, fish house, office, etc.

A new sealing company has just been incorporated under imperial charter as the Victoria Sealing and Trading Company, with a capital of £100,000. The stockholders are all Victorians. Already a fleet of seven schooners has been secured.

The scheme to build an all-rail route through British Columbia into Alaska is again being discussed; this time it is to go by way of Kamloops, the North Thompson and Barkerville, through the heart of Cariboo. The distance to Barkerville from Kamloops is about 350 miles. Such a line would be of great advantage in opening up and developing the gold fields of Cariboo, in which section of the country, it is believed, there still is to be found more wealth than has yet been produced.

But if such a road is to be built it will be by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, for the construction of which line a charter is already held by parties in this city, but who are supposed to be acting for the C. P. R. people in the East.

## EDITORIAL PITH.

### The Third Term Idea—John Sherman and His Book.

[New York Herald.]

Without Mr. Cleveland the Democrats cannot win; with him they may win. It was his great popularity, firmness, and wisdom that wrested the presidency from the Republicans four years ago, and had the Democratic leaders heeded his warnings and followed his counsel there would not have been a Republican tidal wave this year.

His strength with the masses saved the party from defeat in 1892, and it is the only thing that can save it from defeat in 1896.

### Cleveland Is Wanted.

[Pittsburg Press.]

The greatest and most influential Democratic newspapers of the country today are outspoken in favor of the president's re-nomination. One need only mention the New York Herald, the New York World, the New York Evening Post, the St. Louis Republic, and there are others by the score, not omitting the Pittsburg Post.

### Bear in Mind, however, that "national issues" mean Cleveland.

Nothing more. He is the only "national issue" the Democrats have had in a dozen years. No principles. No platform. No leadership. Just Cleveland. And now wherever they "fight it out on that line" they get thrashed out of their boots. The moral of which is, "Rah for a third term!"

### John Sherman's Book.

[New York Tribune.]

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### What John Sherman lacks in magnetism he makes up in recollection.

### Must Not Mexicanize the Office.

[Chicago Times Herald.]

There is no written constitutional barrier against President Cleveland remaining president of the United States for as many terms as he can manage to get and keep office. Secretary Morton is right. Yet it must also be true that the people of the United States are not disposed or prepared to Mexicanize the presidency of the United States, with or without law, no matter how able an official the president may be.

### Not a Presidential Possibility.

[Minneapolis Times.]

However sincerely we may admire Mr. Cleveland's many great and good qualities of backbone, brain, and heart we cannot and should not let that admiration blind us to the fact that he is no longer among the presidential possibilities. His has been a strong administration, you will say, a consistent administration, an administration with a policy and a principle, so far as Mr. Cleveland himself is concerned.

### Unappeasable Rancor.

[New York Sun.]

Mr. Sherman has had a continuously successful career, and it would seem that he ought to be grateful to the Ohio men who have kept him in office so long. The main object of his book, however, appears to be complaints. He records the events of his life, not with the kindly spirit of the philosopher looking back with tolerance from the summit of his career upon what he has achieved and what he has fled on, but with the unappeasable rancor of the man who is not grateful for winning much, because he has missed the great object of his heart's desire. A sore toe in print is not an alluring or a dignified spectacle.