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TELEGRAPHIC

(FROM THE PORTLAND DAILIES.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Deputy freight agents of three trunk lines running west have been notified of a reduction of rates on sugar and coffee to thirty cents a hundred pounds to Chicago; other points in proportion, for car loads to one consignee. It is believed by merchants that it is merely the beginning of cutting down rates.

HABRSBURG, Feb. 25. The local option bill passed the house last night.

AUGUSTA, Maine, Feb. 25.—An injunction having been granted against executing Gordon and Wagoner, the Isle Shoals murderers, on the ground of the unconstitutionality of the law requiring the governor to fix the date of their execution, the governor has reprieved both men for four weeks.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 25.—Philip Slafer, for the murder of Van Valkenburg, near Sandy, about a year ago, was given the choice of being shot, hanged or guillotined, as preferred by law. Expressing no preference he was sentenced to be hung on the 25th of June.

JACKSONVILLE, Feb. 25.—A petition has been sent to the Senators from Oregon, urging the establishment of a daily mail to Yank ledge, and steps are being taken to push the road to the mines at once.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—The ice in the Schuylkill at Manayunk broke up yesterday afternoon. During the night the river rose rapidly 20 feet above the usual height, and only four feet below the highest point ever reached, submerging the lower part of the town and forcing occupants to abandon them and their contents. The gas works overflowed and the streets were in darkness. All the mills except one have suspended, throwing at least 2,000 persons out of employment.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 26.—An Annapolis letter says Gordon Clade, a naval cadet, was expelled from the Naval Academy Wednesday for refusing to "fence" with a colored cadet.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—It is stated that Bartlett, the attorney of the Pacific Mail Co., left this morning for Minnesota to attach the property of Wm. S. King, with a view to recover the amount received by him in connection with the subsidy.

The President nominated Jas. S. Tyner, of Ind., Second Assistant Postmaster-General.

In the House when the clauses were reached appropriating \$10,000 for the purchase of Miss Bansom's picture of Gen. Thomas, and \$25,000 for Carpenter's painting of the Signing of the Emancipation Proclamation, objections were made that the appropriations were not made by existing laws. Garfield suggested that the points were not well taken, but the chair ruled they were and they were stricken out.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 7.—The library drawing began this morning. The managers announced last night that only 38 per cent of the

tickets being sold, the prizes would be scaled in same proportion. The capital prize—\$95,000—was drawn by ticket 89,271; the second—\$38,000—drawn by ticket 10,075.

CHICAGO, March 1.—A New York special says Victoria Woodhull has addressed a letter to the Herald and Times, threatening them with libel suits for misquoting Tracy's opening speech in which he was made to speak of her as the most notorious prostitute the world has ever known. The report of the Tribune and other papers give the expression as the most notorious preacher of free love, etc. The Woodhull expresses her purpose to have a settlement with whoever is responsible for this slander on her, whether it be Tracy or the papers.

Delos W. Champlin, a young member of the board of trade of this city, drew the capital prize of \$38,000 in the Louisville lottery.

An Inter-Ocean Washington special says the statement that the President would not call an extra session if the river and harbor appropriation bills failed, is an error, as far as the latter bill is concerned. Should that fail the cabinet hold that an extra session would be absolutely necessary.

A terrible northeast snow storm has prevailed here since early morning. The snow is drifting badly and cannot fail to seriously impede railway travel.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The Secretary of the Treasury to-day issued a proclamation for one million coupon bonds of 1862, upon which interest will cease June 1st, 1875.

The President has signed the civil rights bill.

STOCKTON, March 1.—At a meeting called by the Secretary of the Democratic county convention, held at National hall, Saturday last, it was resolved that the Democratic party, distinct from other parties, ought not to make any nominations for county or district officers in San Joaquin county, or for members of the Assembly, or in the 16th senatorial district or 3d congressional district. The Independent party, as constituted in 1873, ought to make nominations for such offices.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Henry Ward Beecher, in his lecture room talk last night, touched the scandal in substance as follows: "For thirty years I have preached to you and have tried to expound the word of God. In my old age, my Father has seen best to afflict me with severe and prolonged trials. I am not half so anxious about the result of this trial as that I shall live during its continuance and after its termination, and I pray that my example may be that of a trusting follower of Christ Jesus, and I pray that your prayers may be answered simply that I may be known to men as a Christian." The termination was: "Help us to live, that we may be able to say: 'Thy will be done; if they are with us, who can be against us.'"

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 26.—Gov. Booth started East this afternoon. Hundreds of friends and neighbors of the Governor assembled at the residence of the late executive to pay their respects. Many accom-

panied him to the depot. A special car filled with friends conveyed him to Roseville junction, where they parted, from the Senator with good-bye and wishes for a pleasant journey.

Governor Pacheco yesterday re-appointed Gen. Foote Adjutant General and re-commissioned the entire staff of Gov. Booth.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27.—The Los Angeles distillery which has for some time been in the hands of the revenue officers on suspicion of defrauding revenue, was permitted to resume operations for the purpose of working up the stock on hand. The presence of Supervisor Foulke and Deputy Collector Mayhew, of San Francisco, in the city yesterday, led to various rumors, the facts of which are these: In an obscure corner of the distillery the officers dug a shaft and struck a vertical iron pipe with a plug in the end. At the depth of six feet, the pipe ran off in a horizontal direction about 100 feet, communicating with a wooden tank about 10 feet deep by 16 feet in diameter, in a small shed used for storing grape boxes. Another tank similar to the first, was found further on under a wagon shed both full of brandy. The tops of both tanks were about 18 inches under ground. The two tanks contained about 30,000 gallons of brandy. The total amount discovered is about 60,000 gallons on which the government revenue amounts to \$40,000, none of which has been paid.

HAZLETON, P., Feb. 27.—This morning the miners who are on a strike, about 300 strong, drew the fire from under the boilers and stopped all the pumps, set fire to the engine house and shot the engineer, at Buck Mountain, eleven miles from here. The man is not seriously injured. It is almost impossible to get men to keep the pumps going, the police assisting to do so at Eeley and Upper Lehigh. There are apprehensions of rough times around here. Men are gathering in large numbers. At Highlands, three miles from here, a serious disturbance took place. Two men were badly beaten. The report says one cannot live. The police have been sent to Buck Mountain to start the pumps.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Henry C. Bowen said to a reporter last evening that he had not sought notoriety in the Tilton-Beecher case and only sustained the same relation to it as any other private citizen and nothing more. It was not his quarrel and he was not in any way a party to the suit, while amenable to criticism for his action and conduct in the daily affairs of life, he had not identified himself with this trial, and had not taken any part in its proceedings, and therefore had believed it his duty to rebuke Gen. Tracy for his uncalled for and unjust criticism in his opening speech. If either party should call him he would obey the order of the court; but otherwise, it was far from his wishes to have anything to do with the trial.

CINCINNATI, March 2.—The west bound passenger train on the Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Lafayette railway last night was thrown from the track near Lawrenceburg by a broken axle and a tramp who was stealing a ride on the forward

end of the postal car, was instantly killed. No others were injured. Nearly all the roads are running passenger trains on time today. The passage of freight trains is generally suspended, but probably everything will be running as usual by to-night.

CHICAGO, March 2.—Special dispatches from Sioux City say there is great excitement in that vicinity and Dakota over reports brought by two returned Black Hills miners, both of whom are well known and reliable men. They represent gold plentiful, and that the miners now in these hills have had no trouble with Indians, and have wintered comfortably. An immense emigration to the hills is expected this summer.

GUADALOUPE, March 1.—Chavez was seen and recognized at Los Gracios, 14 miles from here last night. He was under an assumed name, and had several men with him. From his actions it is supposed he is contemplating a raid on one of the stores at that place, but all precautions have been taken to nip his scheme in the bud.

YREKA, March 2.—The weather for the last week has been very warm and pleasant. Last night it commenced raining, and continued to pour down several hours, then turned colder, and snow fell thick and fast till 8 o'clock this morning. It has been raining and snowing at intervals all day. About eighteen inches of snow fell on Scott and Trinity mountains last night and to-day.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The President approved the pension appropriation bill and bill fixing the number of paymasters for the army.

The Senate committee on commerce this morning decided to report the river and harbor appropriation bill without amendment, owing to the shortness of time and the danger of the failure of the bill.

HE COULD BE TRUSTED.—Alfred was missing one night about sunset. Mother was getting anxious for she always wished him to be at home early. A neighbor coming in, said a number of boys had gone to the river to swim, and he thought it likely Alfred had gone with them.
"No," said his mother, "he promised me he would never go there without my permission and he always keeps his word."
But seven o'clock came, then eight, and mother was still listening for Alfred's step; but it was half past eight before his shout and whistle were heard when he ran in at the gate.
"Confess, now," said the neighbor, "that you have been to the river with the other boys and so kept away until late."
"No, sir; I promised my mother that I would never go the river without her leave, and do you think I would tell a falsehood? I helped James to find the cows that had strayed into the woods, and didn't think I should stay so late."
"I think," said the neighbor, turning to the mother, as he took his hat to go home, "there is in store a comfort for you by him. Such a boy as that will make a noble man."