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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Washington, Aug 15. - Treasurer Spinner, in a letter published to-day, says the resumption of specie payment has been, and he thinks will be, put off till the balance of trade shall be in our favor. When the time arrives resumption will be easy; in truth it will from that cause come of its own accord.

New York, Aug 14. - A London letter says Mr. Motley's friends for some time have known his health was delicate and will not be surprised to learn that he is now confined to his hotel by a somewhat serious attack. He has had a slight paralytic shock. It occurred as Mr. Motley was taking Lady Margaret Beaumont (the wife of a prominent member of Parliament) down to dinner. His right arm suddenly fell powerless by his side and the side itself was also somewhat affected. He was carried to his hotel in Dover street, and has not since left his room. His physicians agree regarding the paralysis being by no means serious nor likely to disable him for any long time. "On inquiring," the writer adds, "I was told he had been doing very favorably, with the exception of considerable neuralgic pain. In truth, I believe that Mr. Motley's nervous system suffered partly from over-work and partly from other circumstances. Since his retirement from the mission on this coast he has never ceased to regard himself as ill-treated and insulted. Being a proud and sensitive man, the injury has not been forgotten."

The Central Pacific Railroad Company's annual report, just issued, figures an apparent profit of \$7,433,000. This statement, however, leaves out of view nearly \$7,000,000 due the government for interest and makes no mention of several millions of personal security debts for cash borrowed from San Francisco capitalists. Its total statement of indebtedness, exclusive of \$54,250,000 capital stock, is \$88,750,681. Nineteen families of Memnonites, 100 persons in all, arrived yesterday from Prussia, bound for Kansas.

New York, August 15. - General Rosser, charged with the railroad survey of the Stanley Yellowstone expedition, has submitted to the authorities of the Northern Pacific Railroad in this city his official report of the results accomplished by the expedition. He finds the new and final route across Western Dakota, from the Missouri to the Yellowstone River entirely practicable and satisfactory, it being greatly superior to those of former days. The distance is 205 miles - 21 miles shorter than the survey of 1871. The expedition is now prosecuting the survey westward on the left bank of the Yellowstone to Pompey's Pillar, where it will join the survey made last year from the west, and complete the survey line across the continent.

Indianapolis, Aug 16. - The following statistics of the farmers organization in Indiana are published. There are 279 Granges in the State, 5 General Deputies and 43 County Deputies. Twelve were organized this month. Indiana now stands sixth in the list of States. Washington, Aug 16. - In consequence of the great pressure for gold and silver coin, the Secretary of the Treasury yesterday ordered the Philadelphia Mint to run to its fullest capacity in the coinage of gold and silver alone. The Mints at Carson City and San Francisco have also been instructed to run to the fullest capacity of their working force and to run over time if necessary to carry out the order of the Department. The coinage at San Francisco this month will be exclusively trade dollars and double eagles to the amount of \$3,000,000. The Comptroller of Currency has addressed a circular to all national banks which have neglected to deposit United States bonds, as required by the laws, and stating that the circulation assigned them will be distributed to other applicants if the bonds are not deposited and circulation applied during the next thirty days. The Wawasett Steamboat commission to-day examined several witnesses, but elicited no new facts. They were agreed that the officers of the boat did their duty in attempts to subdue the flames and save the lives of passengers. Private letters from Massachusetts represent Butler's friends as being very despondent and less sanguine of his success than they were two weeks ago.

Long Branch, Aug 16. - A ball for the benefit of the Portland (Oregon) sufferers by the late fire, took place to-night. New York, Aug 16. - A steamship line between here and Venezuela has been established by a company of leading merchants, who have obtained certain Grants and privileges from the Venezuela Government. The vessels will be under the United States flag. Suit has been commenced against Simon Haas, importer, to recover \$20,000 undervaluation in invoices. Philadelphia, Aug 16. - Wool is active and dealers are fully engaged filling orders. The stock is accumulating. There is good feeling among manufacturers.

St. Louis, Aug 16. - At Fulton, Mo., on Thursday, Peter Kester was sentenced for five years for horse stealing.

Colonel Lowe, the sheriff, and a posse of four men started with the prisoner, when they were overtaken by armed men and the surrender of the man demanded. Upon the refusal of the Sheriff to surrender the prisoner several shots were fired into the back, mortally wounding the Sheriff, seriously wounding the Prosecuting Attorney, and John G. Provines, editor of the Fulton Press, John Watson, a merchant, and a young man named Danbury, who were acting as guards for the Sheriff. The prisoner was taken out of the town and hanged.

New York, Aug 15. - Three women have been arrested in Brooklyn charged with the murder in Albany last week, whose names and former residence have not been known. One of the women is said to be the widow of the murdered man.

Later. - One of the women arrested in Brooklyn last night is Mrs. Weston, wife of the one-armed man found horribly murdered a week ago near Albany, and in her possession was found a seven-barreled revolver, empty. One of the other women was the wife of Emil Lowenstein. Another revolver was found on her with five barrels empty. Another woman unknown was also arrested. It is believed Weston's wife assisted Emil Lowenstein in murdering her husband, that the wife of Lowenstein witnessed the murder, and that the other woman was cognizant of the affair. They were taken to Albany to-night.

Augusta, Me., Aug 17. - The President arrived at Bangor yesterday, and was warmly welcomed. He attended divine service to-day at the Granite Church. He will leave for Portland by special train to-morrow.

New York, Aug 18. - A letter from the Yellowstone expedition says a stir was created by the arrest of General Custar by General Stanley, and that Custar marched in the rear of his command one whole day before he was released. Custar's men denounced the arrest as an act of tyranny, while Stanley's men sustain the commander. General Stanley also caused the destruction of all the liquors in camp.

A Washington dispatch says it is announced that on Friday next the President will celebrate his silver wedding at Lang Branch, on which occasion there will be present not only his immediate relations, but several members of the Cabinet and his friends from New York.

Chicago, Aug 18. - An accident took place at 10:30 last night, 25 miles southeast of Chicago, on the Chicago and Alton Railroad, a freight train almost entirely demolishing a south-bound passenger train, killing one person and fearfully wounding over thirty, many fatally. The cars caught fire and badly burned some of the injured, while others were scalded with hot water. The passenger train was twenty minutes late when run into by the freight train, which pulled out from Lemont on its time without orders. They met on a low prairie in a very thick fog. The killed are John Witzler, J. B. Meachey, N. Divalbiss, Capt. William Little, Thomas Morton, R. G. Bross, and three more, the identification of whom has not been established.

Seaford, Ontario, Aug 17. - A man named Scott, a school teacher, arrived from Detroit on Friday, and went to his father's house, five miles from here, where he met his wife and child. They started on Saturday morning for Mrs. Scott's father's place. This morning a man passing a wood near by heard a child crying. On searching he found the father and mother quite dead, with their throats cut. It is supposed Scott cut his wife's throat and then his own. No motives can be assigned for committing the horrible deed. An inquest will be held to-morrow.

New York, Aug 19. - The sub-Treasurer in this city contains something more than thirty million dollars in gold coin, beside ten millions in gold bars, four hundred thousand in silver, and twenty-eight millions in currency.

English advices say New South Wales has entered into a provisional contract for mail service between Sydney and Liverpool, by way of San Francisco. The contractors, who represent extensive firms connected with the colonies, are now in London to complete the arrangements previously made by telegraph.

Chicago, Aug 19. - The total number killed and wounded in the railroad disaster of Saturday night is 51; 17 dead. The engineer of the coal train has been arrested and is now in jail. Conductor Bean has escaped, but efforts are being made to capture him.

Later - The excitement over the railroad accident at Alton Road continues. The funeral of Captain Smith and other victims will take place to-day. The examination before the Coroner is still in progress. The testimony of Superintendent McMullen places the blame on the engineer, who is in custody, and the conductor.

EUROPEAN.

London, August 15. - The New York Herald's Vienna correspondent telegraphs the prizes to be awarded by Commissioners on Friday next. Grand diplomas of honor have been awarded to Americans - namely, to the United States Government for display of cotton and products, to the National Bureau of Education, to the State of Massachusetts, to the city of Boston, and to the Smithsonian Institute at Washington. To these for excellence in methods and progress of education and schools. At Chislehurst, to day, immense enthusiasm was displayed by several hundred Frenchmen and others assembled to celebrate the late Emperor's Fete day. After mass the Empress Eugenie and her son gave a reception and the Prince made a brief speech to the visitors. Several failures in the Liverpool cotton trade are announced to-day. Dispatches from various places in Germany state that the cholera is increasing in violence. New York, August 18. - A letter from Rome says the Syndic has posted up a notice prohibiting all persons under pretence of making pilgrimages, whether singly or in groups, from passing through the city. It is regarded as a fanaticism not to be encouraged, and as a means used in keeping up political excitement as well as detrimental to public health. To allow a great crowd to come together, as at Assisi, or other similar places, with very imperfect means of accommodation, might be attended with serious harm, like the Mussulman pilgrimages to Mecca, which have served to propagate cholera and other maladies. Vienna, August 17. - The award of medals is still pending. Diplomas have been given to the Board of Survey and Light House Service, making a total of ten diplomas to the United States. England receives thirty. In the machinery department of the exhibition diplomas of honor have been awarded to New York and Philadelphia. Twenty-six United States exhibitors secure medals for progress, nineteen medals of merit and eighteen certificates of excellence. London, Aug. 17. - The Herald correspondent at Cartagena telegraphs that Martinez Campos besieged the city with 6,000 soldiers, 2 batteries and 12 mortars. The fleet continues to guard the rebel frigates. The German and British Consuls have left the city. Madrid, Aug. 17. - Carlists in the vicinity of Bilbao have fired upon Spanish, French and English vessels. Several men on board were killed and wounded. Molesto, Aug. 18. - Oscar Bouckou, while working a threshing machine at Richardson ranch, four miles south of Oaxdale, was killed to-day. While working on the table he fell into the cylinder. His legs were crushed, one pulled out the hip-joint, pulling his bowels with it. He lived twenty minutes. Bouckou was a resident of Knight's Ferry, and leaves a wife and five children.

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THE FLAX CROP. - Geo. P. Holman, of Salem, who lately made a trip up the Willamette valley, says that a large crop of flax will be harvested this season - larger than at first supposed. Next week the Pioneer Oil Company, of which Mr. H. is Secretary, expect to have new seed to work with, when the mill will be started to running night and day manufacturing oil. Mr. Holman thinks they will have seed enough to continue running night and day the entire year.

WHEAT. - The indications in regard to the price of wheat are encouraging. On the first of July the rates for good shipping ranged from \$1.62 to \$1.65 at San Francisco, at which time wheat charters for Liverpool were quoted at \$4 17 1/2. The Liverpool rates for wheat were then quoted at from 11s 10d to 12s. On the 12th good shipping rated at from 11s 10d to 12s. On the 12th good shipping rated at from \$1.77 to \$1.80, while tonnage dropped to \$4 28 1/2. The Liverpool quotations, Aug. 16th, are 12s 5d to 12s 7 1/2 for Club.

The Journal learns that Mr. Horn, below Eugene City, has threshed 25 acres of wheat, which averaged 46 bushels per acre. Five acres of the same field averaged 53 bushels per acre. Messrs. I. R. and J. H. Moores have a field of 500 acres which good judges say will average more than fifty bushels per acre.

The Mountaineer says the people of Wasco county are beginning to agitate the proposition of building a canal and locks at the Cascades. - Such an improvement would be of great advantage to the country lying east of the Cascade mountains in Oregon and Washington.

The Mountaineer says that Messrs. Tarte and Tarlton, two gentlemen from Australia, have visited Wasco county with a view to engage in the sheep business. Should everything prove favorable, they will bring a large band of sheep from Australia.

The thermometer indicated 102° in the shade at Dalles City on Friday of last week. At Astoria, on the same day, the thermometer indicated 79° in the shade, northern exposure, which was the highest for years.

J. M. Garrison and Miss Hattie Clarke, of Salem, will teach the public school at Corvallis during the ensuing year.

Nine Indians joined the church at Siletz reservation last week, and two more, desiring to excel the others, got married at the same time.