# TELEGRAPHIC.

Augusta, Ga., April 23.—Memorial Day was observed here with unusually imposing ceremonies. The corner stone of the Confederate monument was laid. The ladies decorated with flowers the graves of the Confederate and Federal dead in the Augusta cometers.

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LITTLE ROCK, April 26.—A call has been signed by the ex-Federal and ex-Confederate soldiers of this city for a joint decoration of the graves of the Federal and Confederate dead. Among the ex-Federals signing the call are ex-Senator Clayton, United States Marshal Torrans and United States Collector Tahn Brooks.

John Brooks.

New York, April 27.—Five archbishops, 16 bishops and 250 priests have arrived here to participate in the ceremony of presenting the bereta.

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OMAHA, April 27.—Gen. Crook assumed command of the department of the Platte today. The Missouri river is falling slowly.

CHABLESTON, S. C., April 27.—The trial of the first eight indictments against the News and Commer, for libel, ended to-day in disagreement, the jury standing 11 for acquittal and one for conviction. The other indictments will probably never be tried.

MEMICALS, April 27.—Planters are suffering great loss in horses, mules and cattle from the ravages of buffalo gnats. It is estimated that within the past 10 days \$100,000 worth of stock have been killed by them within the radius of a hundred miles.

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Waserngron, April 27.—The President today appointed Licut. Thornburgh, brother of Congressman Thornburgh, of Tenn., and Wm. Maynadier, son of the late General, as paymasters in the army, to fill vacancies.

Chioano, April 27.—A Washington special says the Evening Star says editorially: It is now said the efforts to displace Secretary Delano arise from a combined movement on the part of Senator Mitchell of Oregon, Ben Holladay, Rufus Ingalis and others who want him replaced by some one who will join them in securing to a corporation already formed, and in which they are interested, the Black Hills country.

The same special says Gen. Butler is making strong efforts to secure Attorney General Williams' place, but that chances are against him.

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NEW TORK, April 27.—The attendance at NEW TORK, April 27.—The attendance at the Beecher trial was small to-day. Evarts announced that in consequence of the ab-sence of Beach the direct examination of Tracy was postponed until to morrow. F. St. George, a reporter, testified to seeing Tilton with Tennie Claffin and Woodbull in a communist procession in a carriage with Col. Blood.

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New York, April 27.—A dinner was given this evening to ex-Senator Carl Shurz by a number of prominent citizens here, prior to his departure for Europe on Thursday next. The banguet room was decorated by American and German flags, while the band discoursed music during the evening. Hon. Wm. M. Evarts presided, white at the right satthe guest of the evening, Hon. Carl Schurz. About 295 persons were present. After partaking of a repast, Mr. Evarts called to order and, in eloquent words, conveyed the compliments of those present to the distinguished guest, and thanked him for his great public service. In conclusion, he called on all to fill glaeses and drink to the health of Carl Schurz, wiching him a prosperous voyage, a happy summer and safe reture.

In the course of Mr. Schurz' remarks be said. We have two political parties to-day, but neither satisfies the people. I shall admit that in both parties there are good men, and in this and that State some good things have been done by either one of the party, but it was like a man coming to two roads, and asking which the shall take, and some person saying to him, "Strauger, you may take either, but, if you do, you will wish you had taken the other." Indepen ent woters were in the main good citizens, who wished to serve their parties by the best methods, not bargainers. It am convinced that the mass of Independent voters are strong enough to give the victory to either party. The Independent party is too great to fritter power away, but it was the duty of the men composing it to use their power for the common good.

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It was too early to give advice in regard to the next Presidential election, but initiatory steps should be taken by the men composing at to bring its power to a focus. Let it be by the organization of committees or otherwise, so that when the time comes they could say to parties what Indedendents wanted. I believe great good ean he brought about in this way, and what a great blessing it would be to have a full-grown statesman in the Presidental chair. Next year we would celebrate the hundredth anniversary of independence.

Might it not only the known as a year proud in memories but strong and independence in in memories but strong and independent in

Faris, April 27.—4f. de Lafayette, presi-dent of the French commission for the Phildeat of the French-commission for the Philipse adelphia exhibition, states that encouraging letters have been reacted from all parts of France. Many deputations from metal manufacturers, the principal wine producers of the clironde and the enerchants of Lyona have visited the commission and promised active co-operation.

# The Postoffice Frauds.

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WAS UNGTON, D. C. April S.—The friends of Hinds, who has been detected in the Postoffice frauds, have a nevel excuse for justifying his nets. F. P. Sairyor, of Georgetown, has long been the principal mail contractor in Texas, and once was in Alabams. He is very westify, and has grown rich by extrayagant contracts. He has been frequently published in connection with straw bids under the old law. Hinds has lately succeeded in taking some of Sairyer's valuable contracts from him, in both Texas and Albams. Hinds friends say that Sairyer had had this jeb put up on Hinds that the latter may be ruined, and his contracts possibly again revert to Sairyer, whose facilities crake it difficult for others to compete. The curious feature about these frauds is, that in detecting and exposing & om the Government is likely to less money. Hinds' bid was the lowest, and there was overy reason to consider it bons fide. He was abundantly side to execute k. By exposing him and annealing his bid the Department will doubtless be compelled to pay more for the same services.

Mr. Spaulding, of the firm of Spaulding Bros., San Francisco, proprietors of the Plummer Fruit Dryer, came up on the train last evening and will remain in town a few days looking after business interests.

We learn from the Oregonian that the new boat now being constructed by the Willamette River Transportation Company at the upper sawmill, will be ready to launch in a sbort time.

Rev. W. A. Tennay, late pastor of the Congregational church of Astoria, has taken his departure for San Francisco. He is accom-panied by his family.

Rodgers, Meyer & Co. learn that the Gaselle is chartered to carry a cargo of Oregon flour to China.

Boys' and gents' hats at Herman & Hirsch's where will be found a full assortment.

#### STATE NEWS.

A letter to the Reporter says: Three years ago, one little passenger steamer was sufficient to accommodate the travel on Coos Bay. To day three steamboats are so well patronized that their owners have the construction of two others in contemplation for the coming summer. Two ocean steamers make regular trips between here and San Francisco, while twenty sailing vessels were in the Bay at one time during the winter, and as two or three new coal mines are being opened, at or three new coal mines are being opened, at least three times the present tonnage will be required here within a year.

Mr. Sandford Harris, an old and respected resident of Salt creek, Polk county, died Sunday evening, the 11th inst., after a violent illness of only five hours. He had been in usual health up to the eve of his death.

Parties from San Francisco are soon going to commence the building of a saw mill at Coquille City. Parties are also going to start a brick yard at the same place.

The Benton Democrat, one of the best local papers in the State, has been enlarged by the addition of snother column to each page—an evidence of success that is very gratifying to

The Corvallis Gazette learns that the "military road" between Corvallis and Yaquina is in a wretched condition, and travel over it is both difficult and dangerous.

R. Clark and Ed Casey are now the sole owners of the Remixer and don't intend to have much politics, but to work for the good

Under the care of Prof. Bennett, Dallas now has an excellent school.

The Plaindealer has a letter from Coquille City, which speaks of a new steam saw and planing mill going up near there—also a railroad from Coos Bay to Coquille City.

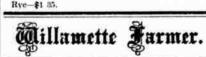
The same paper learns that there is plenty of coal land near Enchanted Prairie, on the Coquille river. It says there is a vast amount of good lands in that locality, unoccupied, and as it is on the route of the proposed railroad to and from the Bay, it is the best locality for new settlers in all that country. The mines and logging camps are close at hand, and as soon as the farm work is over, work can be obtained at good wages in these places. these places.

A stranger named Gordon, who appeared to have had a considerable sum of money about his person, disappeared from Roseburg about the 15th inst., since which time nothing has been heard from him, and it is thought he may have been foully dealt with.

### San Francisco Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.] San Francisco, April 27.

Flour-\$5 00@5 50. Wheat-\$1 67%@1 70. Barley-\$1 62021 70. Onts-\$2 05; best Oregon. \$2 12%.



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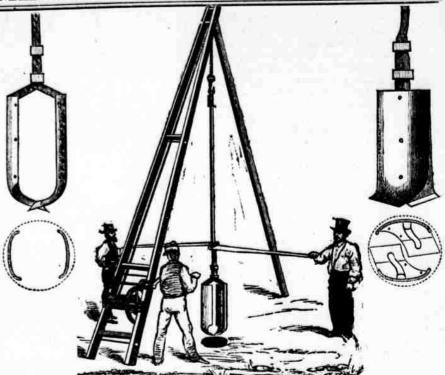
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# BLACK STRANGER

Was sired by Uncle Shube, a large fast Stallion by General Knox Uncle Shube (formerly known as Wyer's Knox) is now owned by Henry R. Batterded, Esq., of Waterville, Maine, is a chestmit stallion 16½ hands high, and weighs 1230 pounds; was never fitted for last work, having been kept in the stud, where he has proved a getter of fast animals. He trois a mile in 2:30, and bis halves readily in 1:10. Got a record as a green four years old of 2:20, (See Thompson's record "Maine Bred Horses."

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