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To Farmers and Others. IMMIGRANTS ARE ARRIVING IN THE STATE by every steamer in search of employment, and the Board find difficulty in getting vacancies for them.

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BY TELEGRAPH. Williams' Explanation. WASHINGTON, April 20.—In regard to the testimony of Whitely and ex-Attorney-Gen. Williams before the committee on expenditures in the Department of Justice yesterday, Williams in conversation to-day said: "In 1872 the President came to me after his return from a trip to New York, and said he had examined the work of Davenport in preparing a perfectly accurate list of the voters in New York, and that he was deeply impressed with its importance; that when the list was completed it would be an effectual preventive of fraudulent voting; that the expense of making the list was great, and that he wished I would assist Davenport by paying out of such funds as could be properly used in such sums of money as would insure the completion of this important work.

Times on the World. NEW YORK, April 21.—The Time's editorial says the very limited circle of the people who read the World must have felt much alarmed yesterday morning about the safety of the country. At the head of its first column appeared in capital letters of ponderous size the following: "At last President Grant?" "Gen. Williams betrays his accomplices!" "The President proved guilty of malfeasance in office!"

Census of Republican Senators. The Republican Senators held a caucus to-day to arrange the order of business which is likely to be affected by the coming impeachment trial. There was considerable discussion, but no action on any point.

Secret Service Fund. The testimony of Whitely, Miller and Davenport is made public to-day. That of the two former have already been printed. Davenport said that in 1870 he discovered that funds were being perpetrated in the elections, and he adopted a system of registration which eventually resulted in the detection of these frauds.

Speech of Mr. Lane. One of the most eloquent and effective speeches in advocacy of the transfer of the Indian bureau to the War Department, was that of Representative Lane, of Oregon. He argued that the transfer of the management would tend to maintain peace, secure additional protection to the lives and property of our citizens, reduce the expenses of government, and in no wise injuriously affect, even if it did not improve, the condition of the Indians.

Boston Wool Market. BOSTON, April 22.—Market dull and prices continue to rule in favor of buyers, but present low rates have caused rather more inquiry from large purchasers. Rather more is doing in fleece wool than last week. The stock of desirable XX fleeces is very small, and market firm at 44@45c per pound for lots in good condition.

Philadelphia Wool Market. PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—Wool is improved demand; prices steady and firmer, but not high; supply light; Colorado washed, 20@22c; unwashed, 18@20c; extra and merino pulled, 32@37c; No. 1 and superfine pulled, 36@39c, extra fine and medium, 26@28c; coarse, 18@20c.

Denver Convention. DENVER, Col., April 21.—The Republican territorial convention yesterday selected a delegation to the National Convention, headed by Hon. M. Teller. The delegation is regarded as unexceptionally good, and unstruck.

Cleveland Death. CLEVELAND, April 21.—A man named Peter Hart, pile-driver at Willow street bridge, was yesterday caught between a pile and the hammer, and mangled so frightfully that he died almost instantly.

Chicago. CHICAGO, April 21.—Six hundred workmen in the Stone quarries at Lemont, Illinois, who have been working all winter for a dollar a day under a promise of higher wages further along in the season, struck yesterday, and became so boisterous that the policemen were summoned from Chicago, who made fifty arrests and quelled the disturbance.

Revolution in Mexico. GALVESTON, April 20.—A Brownsville special says Diaz is busily organizing his forces in Matamoros. His partisans say it is preparatory to a march on Monterrey; but from the fact that he is remaining in the forts around Matamoros, it is doubtful about his advance.

Quincy. QUINCY, April 20.—The break in the Hannibal levee is more serious than ever. A vast amount of farming land has been inundated and the crops destroyed. The water is falling now, but it will be many days before the lands can be cultivated and the people can return to their deserted houses.

Little Rock. LITTLE ROCK, April 21.—Of the six men hung at Fort Smith to-day, one was a full blooded negro, one a full blooded Choctaw, one a full blooded Cherokee and one a white man, and were all sentenced at the late term of the United States court for the west district of Arkansas on the 3d of September. The six were executed on the same scaffold.

Orpheus McGee. Orpheus McGee, a Choctaw, with his brothers, Dave and Charles, known as being wild and reckless, and having a grudge against Robert and W. V. Alexander, neighbors who had often had the authorities against McGee, murdered Robert Alexander last September and afterwards bridged the dead. Charles McGee was killed while fleeing from justice, Dave was cleared and Orpheus McGee paid the penalty to-day.

Indictment for Perjury. The grand jury of the U. S. court to-day returned indictments against several persons. Two of the indictments were against Matthew D. Rapp, former superintendent for Fallman & Rosh, and one of their prominent witnesses in the late trial.

Fr. Laramie. FR. LARAMIE, April 20.—Mr. Miligan, of Scranton, Pennsylvania, arrived here this afternoon. He says while coming in on the morning of the 16th his party was attacked by Indians in Red Canyon, near the Cheyenne river ranch, about 50 miles from Casper. A few of the party were taken prisoner. A man named Simpson was also killed. The babies were buried next day. Mrs. Metz had been ravished. Three men were wounded—Grichan, from Missouri, mortally; and Batally from Missouri, and C. W. Bergessir, from Virginia City, Nevada, seriously. It is feared the wounds may prove fatal.

Washington. WASHINGTON, April 22.—No reply from London has yet been received to Fish's note, earnestly protesting against the course of the English government in refusing to return Whistlow.

Impeachment managers of the House have directed subpoenas to be issued for Mr. and Mrs. March to appear Thursday before the Court impeachment. This indicates that the managers indulge in a belief that the Senate will override Belknap's plea of a want of jurisdiction.

Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—Each day brings redoubled activity on the part of exhibitors. This morning 374 carloads of goods were on the tracks about the enclosure. The Building commission will erect a spacious hall to exhibit a machine for amalgamating metal.

only irregularly was in using the secret service funds. Mr. Grant and Davenport are to testify. The latter declared he paid \$25,000 out of his pocket for registration of voters. The committee, however, are not quite satisfied.

Whitely has not Yet Told All He Knows. The World's special says: It is certain that Whitely has not yet told all he knows about the secret service fund. Money was not only used to carry New York, but thousands upon thousands were used in the South, where lardrooms and corner groceries were bought up.

It is known in government circles that when Pierpont came into office as Attorney General he found that within two years \$180,000 had been paid to Col. Whitely by his predecessors, Ackerman and Williams. Fifty thousand dollars of this amount, it is said, was paid to Davenport. To-day search was made for vouchers, but none could be found. This statement creates much comment in official circles, and its probable that the Cabinet meeting, which is called an hour earlier than usual for to-morrow, will consider this and kindred subjects.

Passage of the Indian Bill. NEW YORK, April 20.—The Herald's Washington special says that there is a fair prospect that the Indian bill will be passed by a fair majority. It is expected that the bill will save \$10,000 yearly.

Mrs. Avery Tells All She Knows About Whisky Frauds. WASHINGTON, April 21.—Mrs. Avery, wife of the treasurer's clerk just sentenced at St. Louis, as reported on good authority went before Pierpont to-day and confessed all she knew about the whisky frauds. This confession affects the President and implicates Babcock and her husband. The interview was lengthy and serious and painful.

THE WINNEMUCCA RAILWAY PROPOSITION. We are enabled this morning to present our readers with a complete statement of the proposition of the Central Pacific Railway Company to construct the Portland and Winnemucca Railway. This can be done by giving an abstract of the bill prepared by that company, to be adopted by the people of Oregon through their Legislature.

Section 1. Creates a company to be called the "Oregon and Central Pacific Railroad Company." Section 2. Defines the proposed line from within 100 miles of Winnemucca to a point of intersection with O. & C. P. R., not farther north than Eugene City, and thence to the city of Portland, by such route as may be deemed practicable with branches and extensions to the Columbia river.