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WM. B. CLARKE, Supt. of Poor. Roseburg, Or., Feb. 15, 1880

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LATEST NEWS SUMMARY. BY TELEGRAPH TO DATE.

Imperialists are urged to proclaim Prince Victor emperor of France. The Kingston, Jamsica, fire and relief fund, sends thanks to the United States for contributions.

Hon. James Patrick, Sr., the oldest journalist in Ohio, died on the 24th ult., at New Philadelphia, aged 91.

Two negro murderers of H. H. Rudd, of Walker county, Ga., have been captured. There are threats of lynching. Thirty-seven cadets of the military days. academy of Pennsylvania were dismissed A N for going to a theater contrary to orders. Ex-empress Eugenie visited Paris last week, but in compliances with President Grevey's request has returned to Lon-

Grand Father Roessley, aged 93, born in Germany, died on the 24th in Fairfield county, Ohio. He fought under Bone-parte at Waterloo. He leaves a large family.

It is generally understood that Vanderbilt will purchase collections of old masters, owned by a gentleman in San Francisco, and place them in a gallery he is about to erect in New York.

Over 150 families residing in the northeastern part of Columbus are in destitute circumstances, caused by the closing down of the Columbus mill Christmas, throwing them out of work. The auxiliary steamer Geo. S. Homer

has just sailed from New York for Portland. This is the first vessel constructed for the Cape Horn trade with auxiliary steam power, and this is her first voyage. Proceedings in equity have been begun by the United States against the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, for the re Furniture, covery of \$500,000 which the United

tates claims is due as tax on scrip issued by the company. The oil market is excited at Buffalo. A sharp advance, opening 93%, was dropped to 93% in the first fifteen minutes, and from that on there was an uninterrupted advance until \$1 was reached, which was

the closing bid. The first through freight train for New Orleans, over the Southern Pacific Company's new route, left San Francisco on the 25th ult. The train embraced one full carload of canned salmon, and two cars of California wine.

A Richmond dispatch of the 25th says: distinguished men forcibly took from the jail of Russell county, Va., two white men, named O. F. Farrall and Evan

There has been a marked improvement Griffith, confined on a charge of obtaining, under false pretenses, about \$18,000 worth of cattle from grazers in this section. It is not yet known what disposition they made of the prisoners, but it is believed they were lynched.

An express train on the Southern Pacifie got beyond the control of the brakemen on the morning of the 20th ult., and backed with frightful velocity down a steep grade, wrecking the train and kill- mental. The extent is not yet known. ing 22 persons. The grade is several AVING ON AND A LARGE LOT OF FINE miles long, and has an average rise of 116 feet to the mite, and down this the train went flying at lightning speed. The cars soon caught fire from overturned stoves Spanish Merino soon caught fire from overturned stoves and the flames burst out in every direction. After running 4 miles the two sleepers, baggage, mail and express cars jumped the track and were hurled broadside, when many passengers jammed in the debris were burned to death. Miss Squires of Oakland and Mrs. ex-Gov.

Downey are among the victims. A dispatch from Keyser, W. Va., of the 24th ult., says: One of the most terrible and fatal railroad accidents that ever occurred in this part of the country happened on Georges Creek and Cumberland railroad to-day. Three coal trains, consisting of three locomotives, fifty-two hoppers and seventeen gondolas, all loaded, started from Cumberland, coupled together, one engine in front, another in the middle and one in the rear. In going down one of the steep grades the engines lost control and the train started down a steep incline at a fearful rate of speed. The train kept the track until it got on the trestle work. Having reached the curve, the front engine flew the track, dragging all three trains, cars and locomotives after it, all going rolling and tumbling down a steep hill between 80 and 100 feet high. Each train consisted of one conductor, two brakemen, fireman and engineer, in all fifteen, six of whom were killed and all more or less injured.

The Hamburg-American steamer Cimbria collided with the English steamer Sultan in a dense fog in the German ocean on the morning of the 19th ult., and sank in 15 minutes. She left Hamburg the day previous with 487 persons on visible. But 3 women were saved. The Maxey thought destiny pointed to the the structure will be composed of two from the scene the water was covered by bodies kept up by life belts. Tugs were sent out to the wreck but the most vigilant search failed to limit and within reach of our very long fingers and grapple it to our hearts with hooks of steel. Logan was opposed to further acquisition of territory.

The American Peace Society has come into possession of \$40,000, bequeathed by

widespread destitution among the poorer classes at Lynchburg, Va., especially among the negroes, hundreds of whom are out of employment in consequence of the suspension of work in the tobacco factories, on account of the tax question

agitation. A Yreka dispatch of the 25th ult. says: James Beveridge, an old pioneer teamster of this place, was killed yesterday near Portuguese Flat, on the Sacramento river road, in Shasta county. He was hauling a load of freight from Redding for Yreka, and being thrown from his wagon he fell on his head so that his neck was broken.

A Muskogee, Indian Territory, dispatch | Princess' guide and counsellor, set up as of Jan. 28th says: While a guard of soldiers on Wednesday were taking \$200,000, belonging to the Creek orphan fund, to Okmulkee, where it was to be visitors, and Lady Macdonald called, she

are reported. 28th ult. says: Yesterday two miners, Lawler and Owen, were caught in a snow slide near Irwin, and carried several hundred yards down the side of the publicly administered, but they say that gun. This trap was set Thursday night mountain. Owen, who had a long pole used in snowshoeing, succeeded in mak-Information is received to day to the ing a hole through the snow, thus enabeffect that a few nights since a body of ling him to breath until he could extri-

There has been a marked improvement in the face of the drift on the 2600 foot level of the Norcross mine in Nevada. It has been found that the mass of material outside of the strike of white quartz found recently is ore, though the outside of the rock, at first sight, looks like light porphyry, being covered with a green stain. On being broken open this rock shows black sulphurets, and several as-says show over \$100 silver per ton in

Two middle aged men arrived in the town of Rockville, S. C., on the 27th ult. They gave their names as Elders John M. Eaton and Angus McKay, of Salt intention of entering at once upon their work of proselytism. A committee of and warned them to leave the county

the culverts and a horrible stench is emanating from the cesspools and the sewers are said to be damaged in the outskirts general. of the city, while the business thorough fare along the city front are almost blocked with mud. The street department fund is virtually exhausted, so as to leave no prospect of immediate relief. Viewed from a sanitary standpoint the situation is alarming, as it cannot fail to be productive of disease unless speedily

It is probable when the question of the The iron work is now being turned out Sultan was but slightly injured and steamed away leaving the Cimbria to her the North Pole to the Isthmus of Panagether, so as to be air-tight. These holfate. The survivors who escaped in ma. Senators Jones and Kellogg would boats say that when they rowed away from the scene the water was covered by long fingers and grapple it to our hearts veying heat to different parts of the

Lorne and Louise.

whose body was found recently frightfully disfigured by magpies, has three
times attempted to destroy herself in the
last two days.

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her personal friends. The Princess bas enough of her mother in her to resent anything of that kind, and so it came to pass that one day she told Lady Macdonald, in effect, that she one occasion, when she was receiving fund, to Okmulkee, where it was to be distributed, they were fired upon from the bush by unknown persons. The senator, a French-Canadian lady, to the senator, a French-Canadian lady, to the feet high, placing the wires about eight troops returned the fire but no casualties exclusion of her ladyship. More than inches apart. A hair-trigger shot-gun, this, Lady Macdonald does not speak The Tribune's Gunnison special of the French, and the Princess made it a point to converse with the senator's wife in post, at the top, the muzzles pointing that language. Lady Macdonald was not able to conceal the rebuff, for it was she revenged it by coining and circulating the insinuation set affoat as to the not over happy marital relations of the Marquis and Princess, which were cur-

rent some time ago. The state of affairs thus inaugurated continued, and the Princess found her might have done. To this is doubtless due the impression that she dislikes going too far to say that the squabble killing them. He reloaded the gun and has determined her to winter in Bermuda but people hint that such is the case. When it was made known that she would not return here this winter, much disappointment was caused. Parliament opens in February, and society looks forward to a gay season, a prominent feature of which would be grand viceregal entertainments. It does not satisfy society that Lady Macdonald Lake, missionaries of the church of is here, however much pleased she her-Latter Day Saints, and announced their self may be, but she is, and that without a greater light near by. At first people said that the princess was not fond of young men of the town waited on them Canadians, and they were piqued at the idea that they were not considered good within 24 nours, on pain of being tarred enough to bask in the sunshine of royand feathered and ridden on a rail. They A general funeral of the victims of the gret that she should have wilfully re-Newhall house disaster occurred at Mil- fused to endear her house to American wankee on the 26th ult. Business was subjects of the crown; but there are not suspended. The funeral over twenty- a few who say that the princess is not to three of the bodies was by Protestants, blame. These last claim that her Royal and twenty by Catholics. Sabsequently Highness is right not to subject herself the two processions joined on the way to to a repetition of the unpleasantness of their respective cemeteries, forming a the past. They go even further, and procession two miles long. The Protes- | hint that Lady Macdonald has purposely tant ceremonies were in the exposition | made Canada unpleasant to the princess, building, and during their progress a so as to induce her to oppose any extensteam pipe burst, causing a temporary sion of her husband's term of office, panic among the 6000 persons present. which draws near its close. It is said The condition of the San Francisco that she desires to reside at Rideau Hall streets is such as to excite severe criti- herself, which is not an unlikely event cism. The recent rainstorm has broken | should the Marquis go home, and Sir

## An Iron Palace.

George L. Huston, of Parkersburgh, Chester county, Pa., will build a palatial private mansion for himself entirely of iron, the foundation being of solid rock.

The architect is an Englishman whom Mr. Huston recently met while abroad. low iron walls and partitions will be

polished steel, handsomely ornamented. There will be a similar one in the dining In the American Peace Society has come into possession of \$40.000, bequested by Rev. Geo. C. Beckwith.

Society is in a flutter of excitements was dragged from his house recently by a party of Indians, and beaten and show the New York Time's purporting to explain why, instead of real party of the terminal price on corn for January dolivery at 55 cents will, instead of real party of the bears. The board of directors of the Chicago board of trade fix the margin price on corn for January dolivery at 55 cents will be a margin the southern of the principle of the first of the date rare very angraty, and introduced the case of the board of the principle of the princi

#### Death to Wild Ducks.

The wild ducks are more destructive to grain this winter than are the geesefive strands of barbed fence wire from sively. loaded, was fastened on the side of the along the wires. From one of the latter a small wire ran to the trigger of the of last week. The wires were only thirty four feet in length. About 2 o'clock Friday morning Charlie was awakened the wires he found twenty-three ducksnineteen were dead, the remainder criplot had been struck by the shot from the gun. The remainder other part of the globe. had flown against the wires, the shock put up one of the wires which had been loosened from the pole. Between three and four o'clock the same morning he was again woke up, but didn't go out. When he arose in the morning he picked up thirty-seven dead ducks-making a total of sixty killed during the night. he intended erecting at least five hundred yards of the trap on his grain fields. The experiment was suggested to him by recollections of the manner in which prairie chickens killed themselves by flying against the telegraph wires "back one to large ranchers, but if the game was bled immediately, so that it would Herald.

### Miss Livingstone's Verdict. At twenty minutes to four Thursday

afternoon, the case of Mary Alice Ali-

mont Livingstone, who sued the millionaire oil merchant, Henry Fleming, for breach of promise, demanding \$75,000, When they returned there was strained quiet in the room and the audience listened eagerly for the result. When the jurors' names were called by Clerk Byrne, he asked: "Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon a verdict?" The foreman, Mr. Seaman; responded: "We have. We find for the plaintiff the fall amount claimed." There was an instantaneous cheer which shook the house. Mr. Fleming had slipped out and was no where to be seen. Cheer upon cheer followed for the jury. Judge Pratt sat back, with a contented smile on his face, looked placidly at the uproarious scene before him. Miss Livingstone was in the witness room, where she had been joined by her mother. They had not yet been informed of the was called out by a messenger and she came with her baby in her arms. The crowd made way and on each side of the lane that was formed for her there were men and boys vigorously clapping their hands. She colored almost to purple and her little one-year-old waved his hand as though he knew something of

New York. The scenes at the time of the firemen to raise a 70-foot extension the wreck were appalling. A passenger ladder, but the gearing broke. Then iron, but will be constructed in such a said to me on Christmas day. We were as early as nine o'clock' the next morn-New 10 ft. 11 de scenes the third rest of the present speak certains and certain seed that the speak of the strains of the str

## Buried Alive in Russia

the woman, but a second sharer of this were about a thousand of them. They the woman, but a second sharer of this her last resting-place, in the shape of a still-born child, lying at her feet. The child had arrived at entire maturity, and had been born in the tomb, where it had lived for several hours. Thus the tomb of the mother had been both its cradle and tomb at the same time. As to the station to be able to regulate her own conduct and to choose her own associates without her assistance. This was not enough, however. Lady Macdonald was not so easily to be rebuffed, and finding that she was not to be accepted as the Princess' guide and counsellor, set up as ducks, and his grain has suffered to suffered terribly, for not only did the her rival. Rumor has it that the Princess was not blind to all this, and that on protecting his grain, but threatens to also her tongue, pierced by her teeth. annihilate the duck family. He stretched and her hands clasped together convul-

Burying people alive in Europe has every time." use di every time." only be accounted for by the inattention of doctors, which, in this case, should be treated as a criminal offense. The fear of the living of being immured alive has gained such power over the mind that Russians, when on their death-bed, have left legacies for the foundation and maintenance of mortuaries in their native city, where supposed corpses are placed by the discharge of the gun. Then followed a chorus of "quacks." He went out. On the ground in the vicinity of mortuary at Friburg can be quoted as an instance of the ground in the vicinity of mortuary at Friburg can be quoted as an instance of the ground in the vicinity of the ground in the vicinity of the ground in the particle of the ground in the ground for three days in the hopes that their instance of the peculiar institutions, which are confined principally to Eastdid not conceal this fact as closely as she pled so that they couldn't fly. Ten of the ern Europe, where cataleptic fits are known to be more prevalent than in any In the center of the cemetery of Friburg

stunds a house which, to an unobservant person, would have every appearance of a small chapel. This thought entering this liliputian building, the searcher for knowledge might be astonished at seeing a human form, dead to all He was in town Friday and told us that he intended erecting at least five hund-upon a marble slab, dressed in death's frem a wire rope that runs through the further inspection, aided by the theory of the apparatus which the genial attend-East." The experiment would be a costly ant is willing to give to all visitors, would stronger magnetic current that forces itself on the bell, making it toll, which the third day after burial .- [St. Petersburg Cor. Philadelphia Press.

## Why There is Social Pleasure at Wash

afternoon. They have then very little to think of except their own pleasure. Many of them are accomplished people, and make a fine nucleus for an interesting social life. Around them are gathering rich people who have nothing to do, and who live here because in Washdo, and who live here because in Washington they find the most enjoyment. They showed great fondness for good so-These two classes make up the best soboard, of whom but 53 are known to have been saved. The steamer had 8 boats, but 5 of these it was impossible to launch on account of the lurching of the vestel and the short time allowed. Captain and the short time allowed. Captain the ship went down. The place of collision was on the ocean highway much fresion was on the ocean and businer cities, where the rich people to the date of the ocean and with the ocean and the plain to the denizens of other and the plain the ocean and work of the was as a rule, if the ocean and the ocean and ocean was a say and fixed a day to the cares of the ocea ciety, and they give to the city an atmosmuch in pleasures of any kind. Penn-sylvania avenue is a street of saunterers, round hats and outer coats during a visit; sylvania avenue is a street of saunterers, and there is no highway in Washington where men push you out of the way as they rush on in pursuit of their golden idol. Some hours of every day are given up to social duties and pleasures, and this is the reason why New Year's and this is the reason why New Year's much enamored of the beautiful girls day does not much differ from the matter of the persuaded to remove them when the drops of perspiration stood on their faces in a warm room. A young unmarried attache, who generally appeared in light blue, became much enamored of the beautiful girls much enamored enamore sent out to the wreck but the most vigilant search failed to discover any additional survivors. The Sultan has been seized by the authorities at Hamburg and a thorough investigation will be had. The Cimbria's passengers were mostly emigrants from East Prussia bound for emigrants from East Prussia bound for the search failed to discover any additional survivors. The Sultan has been seized by the authorities at Hamburg and a thorough investigation will be had. The Cimbria's passengers were mostly emigrants from East Prussia bound for the first on the scene. Efforts were made by the survivors and window seshes will also be real estate worth \$20,000, it nave and most form the furnaces this mamma's victory.

A Milwaukee dispatch of Jan. 28th says:
The Newhall house inquest to-day developed the sides of the rooms while ago, that people from other and oped considerable adverse criticism on the scene comfortable in the coldest weather, so that the heating can be done with about one-half the particularly taken with the spectacle of the deverse and window seshes will also be real estate worth \$20,000, it nave and most devoted attention to one not far from while ago, that people from other and oped considerable adverse criticism on the scene. How to Bun a Co-operative Store.

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lot of women; there's no business in it.

"Yes, your Honor; but there are some very mitigating circumstances."
"What are they, and how many of them are there?"

'There are cats, your Honor, and from the noise they make I should think there

city ordinance." Recorder (brightening up)-"Come

here, prisoner, I wish to consult with you confidentially. Tell me, how many with the second,"

shot do you use when you violate the city ordinance by discharging firearms within the city limits?" "I use duck shot, it fetches them "I'm glad to hear that. I've been using a size smaller when I violated the

city ordinance. Would you object to lending me your gun?" "I will lend it to you with pleasure," replied the prisoner, "but your honor must remember that you are liable to be severely punished if you shoot off a gun inside the city limits and do not kill any-

"You can go, but do not let it happen again .- Texas Siftings.

## Elevators in Hotels.

The burning of the Milwaukee hotel repeats a warning which has often been given people before, which is, that in the event of fire the elevator shaft simply becomes a funnel for the flames to draw through, and instead of it being a means would be suggested through the sight of a tower, which contains a bell; but, on tex of the fire. All large hotels should be so arranged that people, in the event of a fire in the house could reach a flight of stairs without passing the elevator at all. Then there should be simple directions posted in each room, exgarments, and the rings, which depend planning to guests the course to take to the nearest flight of stairs, and these preceiling, are attached to its fingers. A cautions, together with plenty of watchmen and fire-escapes, would prevent any such murders as those perpetrated in Milwaukee. They were no less than explain this somewhat mysterious posi- murders, but just the same results tion of the dead body. The fingers of would follow in a hundred other places be fit for market, the sale of ducks would more than meet the outlay.—[Gridley netic steel rings that fit tightly. Should come so valuable in the great cities that hotels and tenament houses are run up the body show any signs of reanimation, hotels and tenament houses are run up the slightest quiver of the nerves of the five, six and seven stories in height, and fingers would affect the steel rings, which to make every inch possible available in their turn communicate with another stronger magnetic current that forces lected, and no pains are taken to explain to guests where the stairs can be found brings an attendant physician to the res- in case of accident. Strangers come to cue. By this means several bodies placed in this mortuary since 1865 have returned floor in an elevator; from a sound sleep was given to the jury in New York. to life. A peasant woman, named Pez-They were out but a few moments. offeki, recently walked from her tomb on they rush to the elevator and find a column of fire; they do not know where the stairs are; by this time the building is filled with screams of frantic men and women; utter confusion and panic follow and in a little while all are lost. Every state should make the most stringent laws regarding every public Official people have, as a rule, a short | building, and when the state neglects working day. They begin their labors at the duty, each city should see to 9 in the morning and finish at 4 in the it that no unsafe public house should

> A CHINESE FLIET .- Many ladies in Hartford look back with pleasure to the stay of the Chinese Embassadors there ciety and were entertained in many of