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WM. B. CLARKE, Supt. of Poor.

ROSEBURG, Or. Feb. 15, 1880

The most forcible expression of intol-erance was uttered a short time ago by a

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LATEST NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH TO DATE. Prince Henry, of Pussia, arrived at

St. Thomas, Cuba, on the 22d. Four flouring mills were destroyed by fire at Hamilton, Ohio, on the 22d. It is stated that Henry Villard left

New York for Portland on the 22d. John McCullough, the tragedian, who has been ailing for some time, has fully recovered.

The remains of Charles Soehner, a German, were cremated at Washington, Pa., recently.

Cardinal Manning has issued an appeal, asking for a collection for the distressed people of Ireland. One hundred and thirty-five head of

cattle perished in the flames of a large fire recently at Shipman, Ill. The President has appointed Thos. J. Sherwood, of Marysville, Cal., receiver cently. of public moneys at that place.

Six persous were severely, if not fatally injured, in a gas explosion recently in a colliery near Shenandoah, Pa. Queen Victoria met with an accident on the 17th, in which she injured one of

her limbs, and is now confined to her Four prisoners confined in the penitentiary at Boise City, Idaho, overpowered the guards and made their escape

on the 22d. The New York Public of the 23d says the business transactions for the past same week one year ago.

on the 21st, accompanied by an earth- church, a brick building just finished, nake, causing a panic in the vicinity. Several houses have fallen.

The Eureka cotton mills at Mount Aiery, N. C., were destroyed by fire on the morning of the 22d. Loss, estimated at \$20,000; insurance, \$15,000.

The Chicago cigar makers at a recent meeting resolved to go on a strike about May 1st, if manufacturers did not give them a raise of one dollar per thousand. Rev. Lawrence Walsh, treasurer of the

Irish national land league, of New York, cabled \$30,000 for the relief of victims of famine in the west of Ireland on the Rev. J. Gilfillan, Protestant Episco-

pal missionary of the White Earth reservation, says the Indians suffered severely from the ravages of smallpox during

A Halifax dispatch of the 22d says that there is the greatest freshet on Cornwallis river known for years. Trains ceased running on account of washouts

The steamer Burgundia arrived at its pier at Brooklyn on the 22d, bringing the body of John Howard Payne, the author of "Home, Sweet Home," back to

It is rumored that Salmi Morse will produce his "Passion Play" at Louisville during the latter part of the summer, providing he can obtain a license from

the city authorities. A Tucson dispatch of March 25th says: The Apaches are still east of the Magda-

lena. Some say there are 15 Apaches, March 25th says: Explorers entered the and others say 200. Three men are re-General Diaz and party from Mexico have been banqueted at New Orleans, St. Louis, Chicago, New York and A late dispatch.

A late dispatch

The estimated expenditures of the lominion of Canada for the financial year ending the 30th of June, 1884, is save property. \$45,006,145. The amount voted for the next, is \$54,837,264.

The New England milk producers, recently assembled at Boston, discussed tractors and inspectors, and charged adulteration by the middlemen. The price fixed was 35 cents per can for eight and a half quarts, on the cars.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press of the 21st ing a loss of more than five per cent.

A Vienna dispatch of March 22d says: The recent demonstrations of a reading club of students in memory of Wagner, have led to twenty duels among the stu-

It is rumored that Captain Kortz, late \$60,705,370; currency, \$9,875,000. master of the Tacoma, will appeal from the decision and sentence of Inspectors days, ending March 23d, as reported by Freeman and Hillman to Supervising In- N. G. Dun & Co., of the mercantile

templated by the life saving service of says: Reports of the winter wheat crop week, the Prince, were to say: "I'm sick the Pacific, including improvements at from more than 200 counties in those to death of this playing at work. I want

Lord Haldon died on March 25th. Jerome Holt, a negro, was hanged at Graham, N. C., on the 23d.

Gen. Charles Cruft died of heart dis ease at Terre Haute, Ind., on the 23d. A fire in the Catholic cathedral, Brooklyn, N. Y., destroyed the drapery and grand altar.

Sigismond Lacroix, a radical, was elected as Gambetta's successor, on March 25th.

The bridge across the St. John river. St. John, N. B., was carried away by the ice gorge on the 23d. Oakland, like San Francisco, has an empty treasury, and no funds to pay its

salaries for the present month. At Duluth, Minnesota, March 25th, a fire destroyed 13 buildings and contents. Total loss, \$47,500; insurance, \$35,000. Capt. Carey, who commanded the party

when he was killed in Zuland, died re-Alaska is to have a mail route from Haines to Juneau, a distance of 150 miles. The mail will be carried by cance monthly.

of English soldiers with Prince Napoleon

Williams' sewing machine manufactory was burned at Montreal on March 25th. Loss estimated at from \$200,000 to A statement prepared by the treasury

\$405,000,000. Patton, the brakeman of the Southern

Pacific train accident at Tehachapi, and week show a decided increase over the tried on a charge of criminal negligence, was acquitted. An eruption of Mount Etna has begun | The East Hampton, Mass., Catholic

> was burned March 25th. Loss, \$30,000; Frank C. Hamilton, while locked up in a building at Eldorado, Kan., for being drunk, set fire to the same and was

burned to death colored, were hanged at Lafayette, Ga., in court against such a creature as that, Rudd last January.

A frightful accident occurred at the San Francisco gas works on the morning of the 23d, in which Horence O'Halloran

Sam Brannan and others, representing a New York company, propose erecting smelting and milling works in the Yaqui river, near Sonora, Mexico. Commissioners from several little consideration the terms of a projected

federation of their governments. The issues of standard silver dollars Did you mail my letters?" from the mints for the week ending March 24th, was \$218,495; for the cor-

responding period last year, \$188,500. Mrs. Helen Hunt Jackson, of Boston has been appointed special agent of the Indian Bureau, to investigate the condition of the Mission Indians in California.

A Vienna dispatch of March 25th says: is stated that 150 persons were killed and lost. 100 injured.

A Braidwood, Illinois, dispatch of March 25th says: Explorers entered the

ington, visiting Niagara Falls and a num-ber of other places of interest en route. threatens to overwhelm Nicholas and other yillages. People are fleeing from their homes, and troops are assisting to

A strong effort is making in the south present year, ending the 30th of June toward conversion to Mormonism. A presiding elder of the Mormon church has recently arrived in Nashville, Tenn., cently assembled at Boston, discussed and is arranging for the emigration of stances. We will draw a veil over the their grievances against the Boston con- converts to Utah. He says there are subsequent hilarities of that evening and now 90 Mormon missionaries at work in

Iron ore has been offered in the Pittsburg market during the past few days by the Republic Ore company for \$8 50 per oublishes a lengthy article from Mon- ton, delivered at Cleveland, \$1 50 per tana as to the stock of that territory, ton less than last year. This, it is bestating that leading stockmen have been lieved, will break the ranks of the ore interviewed and say that the winter has producers, who were then united in hold-

dents, the combatants being German on same may be said of foreign maize, which Aylesfords, Cronmels, etc., have ceased one side and Austrian on the other. | was lower. Barley was in little demand | to have charms for him. But the career One of the participants was severely and quiet; foreign, unchanged. Oats, open to the eldest son of a Duke is closed

lower; foreign, dull. . A Tombstone dispatch, of March 22nd, says: This afternoon a report reached of March 24th shows gold, silver and U. or death of the Queen. Indeed, he is

ing to Mrs. Jones—an excellent woman, by the way—a series of apologies for doing things he never did, and he no brother-in-law Fritz.—N. Y. Times. sooner gets out of one scrape than he plunges into another. If Mrs. Jones has a fault it is that of loving Mr. Jones too much for his own good; and being so

It always happens, too, at some time even after death. when he is in a peaceful, pious frame of | Now it came to pass that the young mind, walking firmly in the paths of rec- | man went at last on a long, long voyage, ago he said, after supper, that he believed happened to him.

he'd go down town a few minutes and Yet in the night he returned to his nalook at the new electric light, and Mrs. | tive village, and entered the stables of

"I want to be an angel." On the way down it occurred to him friends at a great distance off. and get shaved, and he did so. Then he the house, and knocked upon it, so that went to look at the light, and as he the folk within were aroused and cried walked along the sidewalk, where it was out: "Who is there?" department estimates the receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1883, to be him drop a folded paper out of her of the girl who is living here to fetch her purse. He started forward, picked it up home. and presented it gallantly to the lady,

"Madam, you dropped this just now." Now, the most that he expected was a grateful "thank you;" but instead of that to-morrow is our wedding day." the womangave a terrible scream, grabbed hold of a policeman who was sauntering | hind him, and they started. But on the

by, and, pointing out Jones, shrieked: | road the youg man said to her: "That man insulted me!" Jones attempted to explain, but the thee-art not afraid?" policeman told him to hush up or he would club him, and then asked the woman if he should arrest him. She said Wm. Banks and Green Cunningham, n-n-o, she would hate to have to appear on the 23d, for the murder of H. H. and so after taking Jones' name and number he let him go.

Jones went home; he had tasted enough adventure for one evening, and was glad | tied around his head. to get back into the no-place-like-home atmosphere again, but when his wife saw him she held up both hands.
"Why, Jeptha!" she exclaimed; "how

you look! where's your collar and tie "I-I-I don't know!" stammered Jones, who had forgotten all about the states in Central America have under barber shop where he doubtless had left them; "h-h-hain't I got them on?" "Why, no! and you look so queer.

> "Y-y-yes," gasped the wretched liar; "of course I did." "I don't believe it!" said Mrs. Jones, in a voice that nearly took Jones out of his boots. "I know those letters are in your pocket at this very moment! Let

me feel Jones had a wild thought of rushing out into the night and cold and leaving Several localities at the foot of Mt. Avart | Mrs. J. to find out all she could, but he were destroyed by snow avalanches. It besitated, and the man who hesitates is

> "There they are," she said, in a tone indicating that she had found a roll of million dollar bills, "and-but what's There was an awful silence, and you

could have heard a meeting house drop | was not present at the President's recepas Mrs. Jones, with a calmness born of tion and I don't know wnether I ought A late dispatch says the eruption of Mount Etna is increasing in violence. A paper and read:

| A late dispatch says the eruption of desperation, unfolded a piece of white to print what a young lady who was there writes to me about it. But as it is "To Madam Blank, fine French milli-

> net \$30. Received payment. SARAH BLANK & Co. It was the wretched piece of paper he had picked up and which fate had helped him to thrust into his pocket to form one link in this iron chain of adverse circummerely refer to the atmosphere of Betsy-and-I-are-out gloom which has enveloped "no-place-like-home" ever since like the

dense smoke from a glass factory. Jones is still a strong believer in manifest destiny .- Detroit Post and Tribune. What the Prince of Wales Might Do. gets weary of the eternal round of soci-The London Mark Lane Express of ety, and it may be believed and hoped to him. Nothing, as matters stand, can master of the Taccurs, will appeal from the decision and sentence of Inspectors and Supervising Inspector C. C. Remis. It is said the Capture recently a supervising Inspector C. C. Remis. It is said the Capture recently a bill prohibiting outside a supervisit and the supervision of the New York legislature recently a bill prohibiting the manufacture in prison, which of the product of his labor, were tall killed. In the house the work will expect the convict a share of the product of his labor, were all killed. In the house the work will expense the convict a share of the product of his labor, were tall killed. In the house the work will expense the convict a share of the product of his labor, were tall killed. In the house the work will expense the convict a share of the product of his labor, were all killed. In the house the work will be a set of the product of his labor, were all killed. In the house the work will be a set of the product of his labor, were all killed. In the house the work will be a set of the product of his labor, were all killed. In the house the work will be a set of the product of his labor, were to distributed to take polar observations at work with the namufacture of stoves by convicted and the hidly prohibiting the manufacture in prison of shoes, stove and into no hollow ware. We have the work will be a set of the product of his labor, were lost of the product of his labor, were lost, but considers and the hidly prohibiting the manufacture of stoves by convicted and the hidly prohibiting the manufacture of stoves by convicted and the hidly prohibiting the manufacture of stoves by convicted and the hidly prohibiting the manufacture of stoves by convicted and the hidle prohibiting the manufacture of the product of his labor. The product of the prohibiting the manufacture of the product of his labor. The prohibiting the manufacture of the product of his labor, and the hill prohibiting the manufacture of the product of his labor, and the hill prohibiting the manufacture of the product of h ing new wings to hospitals-delightful tasks, doubtless, yet which, nevertheless,

How the Fates Work Against Poor Jones.

It has sometimes been doubted thas boys, Alfred and Arthur." Why, in this there is a divinity which shapes our endt rough—hew them how we may, but there is one man in this city, who believes he is foreordained, predestined, predestined to suffer. Poor Jones! he seems to spend his whole life in offer-ing to Mrs. Jones are excellent woman.

The Betrothed.

There was once in this country a youth particularly fond of him herself, she and a handsome girl who had been courtimagines every other woman must be, so ing for many years, and were betrothed at times Jones finds his life hardly worth to each other, and had pledged themselves to remain faithful to each other

titude and flourishing like a bay rum and died in foreign lands. So that his tree. For instance, just a few nights sweetheart knew nothing of what had

Jones asked him to mail some letters the young girl's parents, and took there-for her, and he started out, whistling from a white mare, and rode her to where his sweetheart slumbered with that he might as well stop at the barber's | And the dead man rode to the dcor of

"Ah !" said the dead man's sweetheart,

"mamma must have sent him." For she knew the voice. "Aye," answered the horseman, "for She mounted upon the white mare be-

"The moon lights thee; death is with "Nay," she answered; "with thee] cannot fear."

And he complained of a strange pain in his head. "Bind thy handkerchief," she said, "around thy forehead."

He answered that he had none, and the young girl gave him hers, which he So they rode to the house of the maiden's parents, and she dismounted and

knocked upon the door, that they might open unto her. "Who is there?" "It is I, your daughter, whom you did

"By whom?" "By my own betrothed. I rode hither behind him. On the way he told me that he had no handkerchief, and I lent him mine. He has gone to the stable to unsaddie our gray mare.

They went to the stable; and the betrothed was not there. But the white mare's flanks streamed with sweat. When the young girl learned that her lover was nowhere to be found, she knew that he was dead; and she died also. But long afterward, when the body of the dead sailor was disinterred in order that the lovers might be buried together, they found the maiden's white handker-

chief bound about the skull. The White House Lady.

Not being a senator or member or in any way related to these eminent men, I a good-tempered criticism perhaps it nery, Dr. One pink satin evening bon- may as well go in. Here is what the fair one "takes her pen in hand" to say; "I desire to make no invidious comparisons when I say the present regime at the White House is several degrees more formal than during the period when Mrs. Hayes enacted the role of 'first lady.' Her Saturday afternoon receptions were delightful features in the social whirl and every caller felt personally welcome when held in her warm grasp or gazing into her bright, sparkling face. The presentations to Mrs. McElroy are not followed, as heretofore, by introductions to the several members of the receiving party, and one wanders rather helplessly along the long line of beautifully dressed women, unless perchance some familiar been most favorable for stock, not counting up the price and fighting the blast is not very brilliant. At forty-two a man of conversation. The weman of social furnace men. standing has hitherto stepped in the rear of the receiving party, if she so desired, stream or to meet the friends sure to be | in his recently determination to "go for gathered there; but the man who is a soldier," being convinced that a actor's stationed at the end of the receiving line career is not the proper thing for him. guards the entrance of this desired He has been living for some time in an flaming sword protected paradise, un-less, perforce, the person desirous of entrance is on intimate terms with some to go through but one dress parade daily.

How Gould Does His Work Easily,

A Bad L'fe-History. By the death of an old man named Jacob Augustine, several days ago, near the village of North Lima, Mahoning County, this State, the particulars of a sad life-history were brought to light. Augustine had lived a remarkable life. Born within the boundaries of the township in which he died, he attained the age of seventy-nine years without spending a single night a doz-n miles from his home and only once had he wisited. his home, and only once had he visited

seut for the village 'Squire, who drew up the celebrated will and was appointed sou."

"Have you a five franc piece?" she said to her coachman. "No, madame, not a sou." executor of the instrument. The docu-ment was signed and sealed, but after the testator's death it could nowhere be found. The house in which Augustine had lived and died was searched from into the theater .- Paris Corr, Bosten cellar to garret. Every nook and corner was carefully inspected, and a queer collection of relics was the result. Old Spanish, Mexican and American coins, bearing dates earlier than 1800, were found hidden away in all sorts of odd upon the irascible humor in man and places, together with some of the earliest and animal is well known. Particular issues of greenbacks and notes on State care should be taken by persons of a natbanks. The searchers were about to urally impatient disposition to give up in despair of finding the lost avoid outbreaks of temper, especially will, when they concluded to again over- during the oppositions of Mars to the moon haul the contents of a chest which had been looked through several times. It March 22, April 19, May 17, June 15,

of usefulness. taken to the village store and displayed in a window, where it attracted consider-

age he engaged himself in marriage to Gotliebe Wealandt, the daughter of a neighboring farmer. Mrs. Augustine, Jacob's mother, favored her son's choice, pect of the asteroid Melpomene now inand with true womanly pride wove the dicates special disaster to members of cloth and made a wedding suit for her college faculties, a railroad accident beboy. Gotliebe's father, however, was opposed to the union. He said his daughter should not marry Jacob Au-August will be fine till the 24th. Esgustine. He broke up the match, and at the same time broke the young people's hearts. Jacob did not murn.ur. Fits and the falling sickness will be quite gustine. He broke up the match, and He laid his wedding suit away in the chest, where it has remained from that October avoid trifling, as it is one of the day to this. Jacob never married. His

father, mother, brothers and sisters died, and he was left alone, but he has gone to patented on the 11th —Scholastic join them now." "In the little cottage on the outskirts of the village," continued the old man, "may be seen a picture of wretchedness which plainly tells the remainder of this sad story. In that cottage lived Got-liebe Wealandt, now an old woman. For

Our sprightly and nervous friend may believe the gossips, to call herself Sarsh Bernhardt without an Damala attachment," M. Damala himself persists haven as effectually as the angel with the atmosphere overcharged with electricity, life was nearly hammered out of them. says: This afternoon a report reached this city of a terrible conflict between cattlemen and Mexicans, in which about six men were killed and two wounded. It occurred at Morrison's ranch, on the Barbacomari, thirteen miles from Fort Haxecha.

It is rumored that Captain Kortz, late

Says: This afternoon a report reached this city of a terrible conflict between of March 24th shows gold, silver and U. S. notes in the treasury to-day, as follows: Gold coin and bullion, \$182,610, 755; silver dollars and bullion, \$182,610, 755; silver dollars and bullion, \$182,610, 755; silver dollars and bullion, \$106, 487,192; fractional silver coin. \$277,795, 519; total, \$361,625,386 Certificates outstanding: Gold, \$40,075,940; silver, 14 to silver and U. S. notes in the treasury to-day, as follows: Gold coin and bullion, \$182,610, 755; silver dollars and bullion, \$182,610, 755; silver dollars and bullion, \$106, 487,192; fractional silver coin. \$277,795, 519; total, \$361,625,386 Certificates outstanding: Gold, \$40,075,940; silver, 15 total, \$361,625,386 Certificates outstanding: Gold, \$40,075,940; silver, 15 total, \$361,625,386 Certificates outstanding: Gold, \$40,075,940; silver, 15 total, \$361,625,386 Certificates outstanding in the entraine to feath of the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It may be perfectly correct and en regle to enforce the party assisting in the entraine so in thintate-terms with the entraine of callers. It member or the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It member or the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It member or the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It member or the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It member or the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It member or the party assisting in the entraine of callers. It is of callers in the says, prevent him from remaining in the entraine of callers. It is of callers in the says and bottone of the says are the says and colleans of the says are the says and colleans of the says are the says and collean as valid in France. M. Damala recedes is the exception now. Why, sir, at one his marital rights, and the lady proceeds term of the court—1845 or 1846—the

The most forcible expression of intogrande was uttered a short time ago by a Scotch clergyman of the Free Kirk, who, referring to the introduction of an organ into a neighboring Batablished Church, declared that "soon they would get a constructed at a more accessible point. The devil would have his bandmaster, and the captain, like a cursed pirate, and the captain, like a cursed pirate, would hoist his false colors to lure souls to destruction."

The most forcible expression of intogrand the grand the part of Illinois, Including improvements at the Pacific, including improvements to the part of Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky. It have his bangasge master, as he of cash of this playing at work. I want to something be found for me?" and the constructed at the station by telephone with Empire City. A new building will be constructed at the would hoist his false colors to lure souls to destroction."

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a large slice out of her very comfortable

was accosted by a sniveling old woman Youngstown, the county-seat of Mahoming County. He was looked upon by his neighbors as an eccentric man, and the fact that he never married was usually alluded to in a joking manner.

was accosted by a sniveling old woman who had made frequent drafts upon her purse. "Oh, my sweet lady," said the crone, "do help me once more!" Sarah's hand sought her portemonaie, but she had left that useful article at home.

the old woman.

"Sell your diamonds," answered Sarah, as she gathered up her skirts and hustled

Astrological Presictions for 1883,

In 1883 Mars will be the ruling planet, The influence of this heavenly body was packed to the top with a curious July 14, August 12, September 10, Octo-collection of clothing in various stages ber 8, November 6, December 3 and 31. At such times, also, bulls should be re-At the very bottom of the chest was a strained from running at large, and wapackage wrapped in a sheet. This, on being opened, disclosed to view a suit of dogs to see if they manifest any sympbeing opened, disclosed to view a suit of dogs to see if they manifest any symp-clothes carefully folded. It was shaken toms of hydrophobia. Jupiter is staout and examined. Such a suit! It was tionary on St. Valentine's Day, and enmade of brown home-made cloth, such as was worn in the days of the forefathers. | gagements made then may be fatal. The conjunction of Mars and Mercury on St. conjunction of Mars and Mercury on St. The coat was of the swallow-tail cut, and the pantaloons had the peculiar flap so stylish in early times. Each garment was supplied with brass buttons, fastened on with home-made linen thread, at night. Poetry of some merit may each button being stamped, "Warranted orange." In one of the sleeves of the coat were found \$6 25 in money, and the will. The strange suit of clothing was ness will be extremely liable to cocur. Startling developments in aristocratic families will now be made. No destrucable attention, many unfeeling people gazing at it and indulging in coarse jests and laughter. One old man gazed long the 2d of June to the 13th of July, a and attentively at the relic of bygone severe drought will take place. On the days and turned away with a tear in his 19th, a European sovereign will die. On eye. It aroused within his heart sad the 27th an ocean steamer will take fire, memories, to which he gave vent as fol-lows: • with great destruction of life. The 4th of July will be again signalized this year iows:

"That suit has a history. It was intended for poor old Jacob's wedding outtended for poor pect of the asteroid Melpomene now incollege faculties, a railroad accident begeneral after the 14th. On the 3d of dangerous days. November fine and

The Strongest Man.

patented on the 11th .- Scholastic

Professor R. A. Proctor found at Reno, Nev., a man who claims to be the strongest man in the world. His name is An fifty-eight years she has grouped in men-tal darkness, her reason having been de-38, and stands five feet ten inches in throned by the cruel interference of her | height, weighing 138 pounds. His father in her girlhood's love-affair. She strength was born with him, for he had is not long for this earth, and when the no athletic training. He differs from last sod of earth resounds on her coffin- other men chiefly in his osseous structlid, the two souls so long kept asunder will probably join each other in Paradise."—Cleveland, Ohio, Cor. Chicago width, and his bones and joints are made Tribune.

on a similarly large and generous scale.

He can lift a man of 200 pounds with the middle finger of his right hand. The man stood with one foot on the floor, his arms outstretched, and his hands grasped by two persons to balance his body. Car-della then stooped down and placed the third finger of his right hand under the man's foot, and, with scarcely any per-ceptible effort, raised him to the height of four feet and deposited him upon a table near at hand. One or two power-ful Irishmen waylaid Cardella with intent to thrash him, but he seized one in He was of a quiet and peaceable disposi-tion and his strength inherited, for he states his father was more powerful than