sneany's position, with shouts of "Long here France and the Republic. London, Jan. 10 .- Gen. Faidherbe's cavalry had an encounter with the enemy on the 8th and 9th, and met with

Berlin, Jan. 4 -The Queen bas received the following from headquar-

Versailles. Jan. 10 .- Owing to a snow storm the heavy fire of the bombardment is slower to day. Peronne General Werder defeated Bourbaki on the 9th, south of Vescult. He took 800 prisoners.

Versailles, Jan. 10 .- The French work at Belancourt is reported devastated. Fort Nogent has recommended firing. In Fort D'Issey 14 guns have been dismounted. Shells ave been thrown into the Paris and Lyons railway station. It is rumored that the "Hospital Invalides" have Bern hit.

Brussels, Jan. 10 .- Penord, former Minister of Empire, has been arrested for alleged political intrigues, and sent to Lyons, guarded.

Intelligence from Paris confirms the report that brend riots have occurred in that city. A collision between a mob and the military has taken place Prussian shells, on the 5th, are said to have fired parts of the city. An early capitulation is predicted. London, Jan. 11 .- The scheme for a

direct cable from London and Liverpool to New York, has been organized here, goder the best auspices; capital \$3,250,000, three-fourths of which has been subscribed already. If the onetourth be taken, the American cable will be laid in July. Vienna, Jan. 11 .- Semi-official organs here declare that the approaching

conserence must uphold the validity of treaties, and insists that modification is possible only by general consent. When the amendment to the treaty of Paris is proposed by Russia, its essential should be accompanied by concessions and compensation to other oudon, Jan. 11 -Tae columns op-

erating against Chaucey drove him within a mile of Lemane, after a series of engagements, capturing one cannon, milleuse and 200 prisoners. Werder's loss at Villersexel was 200. A large German army is forming east, under a special command, including the corps of Werder, Zastrow and

A balloon from Paris, on the evening of the 10th, brings the following There has been a slight engagemen near Malmais and Ruel, and on the Strasburg railway. The Germans were repulsed with considerable loss. Thousands of balls fell within the

outskirs of Paris, in all directions, during the night, killing some women and children, striking ambulances, churches, museums and schools. The population are more than ever resolute. ocho will not capitulate Bordeaux, Jan. 11 -The following

is official : " The Germans, on the 10th, redoubled their efforts against Chaucey who, pressed on all sides, retired to his original positions. The action was botly disputed. One brigade resisted for six hours. The losses are considerable on both sides. Bourbaki, commanding the Army of the East, telegraphs that he passed

Tuesday night driving the enemy from London, Jan. 12 .- Faidherbe surthirty and taking fifty-nine prisoners. He lost none. The French have en-

tered Bapaume. London, Jan. 11 .- Anxiety is felt in Liverpool for the safety of the City of Brooklyn, which is reported as having lost the fans off her screw and pro ceeding under sail. Nothing further

has been heard of her.

Eastern News. Washington, Jan. 11 .- The Senate resumed the consideration of the resolution, as amended by the House, for the appointment of a Commission to San Domingo. The question being upon Sumner's motion to amend the House amendment, by adding thereto. that the Commissioners shall enquire especially into the alleged peadency of civil war in Dominica and the slate of the territory occupied by opposing parties as to relations between the exist ing Governments of Dominica and the neighboring Republic of Hayti, and the pendency of any claim, territorial or pecaniary, by the latter upon the former, and whether any war now exists or is menaced between these two

Governments. The Senate Committee on Post Of fice and Post Roads agreed to-day to report favorably upon the bill to establine of American steamers between San Francisco and Austria, stopping at Honolulu and one or two other ports and granting an annual subsidy for twelve years of \$500,000, with the consideration that thirteen trips be made each year. Miscellaneous.

The President was informed this afternoon by ExSenator Wade and President White, of the Cornell University that they had accepted the appointment of Commissioners to Dominica. Bishop Simpson's engagements compet him to decline, and no other person has as yet been appointed in his plac-The nomination was made to-day of Silas Astrichland, of Nebraska, as Governor of Utah Territory.

Boffalo, Jan. 11 .- The match game of billiards of 1,500 points, for the champion cue of the United States and \$1,000, between Radolphe, of New York, and Frank Parker, of Chicago, was played here this evening, the latter winning the game, cue and money, by 266 points.

New York, Jan. 12 .- Coal miners in che Schuylkill county, Lehigh and Wyoming Valley mines, composing the Workingmen's Benevolent Association, struck on Tuesday. By the terms of an agreement with employees of companies, members of the Associaion are to stop work for 30 days, and in consideration of this aid, employees of big companies will join the Association, which they have heretofore re-fused to do. The strike throws about one hundred thousand men out of em ployment, and also a large number of railfoad men, employed on the Delaware and Lackawana and Central

San Prancisco, Jan. 12 .- The reorganized Board of Supervisors is cutting off numerous sources of fat pickings in the way of extra supplies, etc. which have gone to fatten the outside nangers on the ring for years. Meyers, Forbes and Badlam, under a resolution coased at the last meeting of the Soard, have found a number of these leaks in the city finances.

turned from Lower California denounce the Magdalena Bay settlement, the City of Cortez, and in fact the whole Lower California colonization scheme as as unmitigated bumbug.

San Francisco, Jan. 12.—The fol-lowing are the latest market quota-Floor-Superfine grades are dull selling at lower prices than the same sks of 196 lbs, at \$4 364@5 624; ex wheat A lot of 6,000 sks, strictly

choice, sold at \$2 30; 800 sks, good Salinas, \$2 25; 250 sks, good milling, \$2,274; 3,000 sks, do, \$2 274. Barley... The market is quiet; quotable at \$1 35@1 45. Oss-Nothing done; quotable at \$1 40@1 60 Prostsions-California bacon biog at 15 cts; Oregon do, 154@16". California hams, 124@13c. No Oregon St. Louis angar cured hams. 26... California ismoked beef, 13@14c. Canfor in lard, 12@13½ ets for time; the-gos key lard, 13@13½c.

Santa Cruz, Jan. 12 .- A German securing lands near the new metropolis; named H. G. Wortmann, was arrested all this is a great source of business to-day on a charge of forgery. From and profit to the Land Office at Vanes, stamps and blank checks taken couver. I found on board of the steamfrom his valise, the indication is, he er Oneonta several gentlemen who has been extensively operating in the were bound thither, to secure an 80 forgery business. The prisoner re- acre tract each, in the immediate vicently arrived from the East, and ad-

some bogus drafts at Chicago. San Diego, Jan. 12.-At Jamuel val- old acquaintance and mutual associaley, yesterday, a man named Pter Mil-ler was found dead in his house, with a bullet-hole through his head. Two they generously took me into their conbarefoot tracks were found leading fidence, and as a consequence I took a from the house, and all appearances chance also in this land lottery, and go to show that Indians were the perpetrators of the murder. Villersezel, which was the key of the

From Wyowing. Cheyenne, Jan. 12 .- Information

from Fort Laramie states that a large number of Sioux, Cheyennes, Arapahoes and Grosventres Indians, came in haven't had an opportunity to invest vesterday, and report buffaloes very in that vicioity. We can't all own tall These tribes are in a suffering condition. They say their tribes are starving. They have applied for permission to go South to find buffalo, and firs of their own to chop down, but have been refused. The Indians needn't pine away on that account, for are yet undecided in regard to where they will have their agency.

The City Printing Again.

As will seen by reference to our re- don't propose to be proud on that acport of the Council meeting, Thursday | count. Evening, the city Fathers, bent on complying with the law at as cheap rate as possible, and no doubt with a view to economy more than to anything duct of Judge G. W. Ford, of Chicago, else, have contracted with the organ of the State Agricultural Society to do the city printing.

It is true that the STATESMAN is the only daily paper, the only real organ of the city abroad. The Agricultural journal in question being the organ of the farmers of Oregon, if of any body. It is also true that the publication of a daily paper in this place has never in this manner, and the supposition paid expenses until the present propri- was then entertained that he had comstor took hold of it, doing two men's mitted suicide, and after noon it was work himself, and some people would reported that a dog had brought a hat be weak enough to imagine that to secure the success of a daily paper in identified as having been sold by him this city even the city government to Ford a day or so previously. Ar should be willing to give it patronsge examination of his effects showed that at ordinary rates, but the virtue and he had taken no baggage, and his husiness sense of the present Council, overcoat and umbrells remained. His assisted and engineered by the Demo- pocket book was in the wash stand cratic shrewdness of John F. Miller, drawer, and also a letter marked, "Not are proof against such arguments and to be opened until after one o'clock," the city purse strings are sure to be which proved to have been written held tightly in their hands, in some November 8th, at Yreka, informing his The history of the printing matter is in the river, and asking him to tele-

that John F. Milier sat himself at work graph to his brother as to what dispothe first possible moment to deprive sition should be made of it. In the the STATESMAN of any patron- same envelop was left the following age from the City. He instituted note: "To my wife, family and friends. inquiries as to what terms the city I am, and have been for some two printing was done on ; procured the months insane. I do not want to go to appointment of a committee on print- the asylum, so good-bye. God bless ing, and being a member thereof, vis- you, and may be pardon my many sins, ited the different printing offices, got and forgive me for this last act, now bids at low rates from the Mercury and about to be consummated, is the pray-Farmer, and was informed by us ver- er of-George." bally that we were not competitors The fact that this letter was left exagainst these papers, and received a posed would lead to the supposition, written statement of our regular that, though written months before, he charges. These he took to the Coun- intended this to give information as to cil, and with a wily wisdom, for which his fate, and be his parting to his be is remarkable, he moved, before the friends. I was informed at Vancouver, bids were opened, that the work should by good authority, that Ford's wife is be given to the lowest bidder, and the on her way to this coast, and that he virtuous and unsuspecting Council all was to have some position in connecsaid "aye." Then, of course, the tion with the N. P. R. R. Co. Ford STATESMAN lost the work, the success- was a man not over for'y, evidently ful organ of the Agsicultural Society, bad enjoyed good opportunities, and from excess of amiability (?) towards | bad had standing as a lawyer. He was this paper and deep sympathy with the appointed, by Andrew Johnson, Chief impoverished condition of our unfor- Justice of the Territory of Wyoming, tunate city, having undertaken to do which position be held for a while. He prised the German rear guard, killing it at the low rate of 25 cts. per square was the victim of intemperance, and The lowest charge named for this pa- his wild course of late, and his untime-

per being \$1 50. Now the Democracy are making burculean efforts to carry this county in 1872, and they show so much energy and liberality they deserve success, supposing that these qualities, in a bad cause, deserve anything. They have put their shoulders to the wheel to roll their cart up bill and to shove discovered secreted in the dry goods ours down, and they are as determined store of Mayor Goldsmith, on Front in the last as in the first. Capt. Miller street. He was discovered by a terrier, wanted to deprive this paper of pat- which, knowing that he was a stranronage, and he has succeeded. He is ger, bit at him. He kicked the dog, to too much, we fear, for any unsuspi- drive him away, and this caused the cious set of men to cope with, and by animal to raise a noise for heip. But his means and shrewdness, which he on being discovered the would-be thief chuckles over with great satisfaction, Salem stands before the world in the raised the cry of "thief!" which contemptible attitude of refusing to the pursued re-echoed, in order to dipatronize a city paper at ordinary charges, and this Republican town turns its back on its Republican paper. As to our charges, they were low enough, and some idea of the motives of 'he competition against us may be formed when we say that to-morrew we shall publish a four column article, as

reading matter, sent by an advertising has not yet decided whether he will acagent in New York, for which he of- cept or not. ters us three times the rates at which the Farmer is to do the city printing. the person who attempted to rop Mayor and we publish this morning proposals Goldsmith's store, but being identified for mails service in Oregon, sent us by by some friends, he was allowed to the Post Office Department, for which depart. we receive more than we agreed to The Oregonian says: Mr. M. F. Man-

The farmers of Oregon will no doubt hugely erjoy reading the City Ordi- was thrown overboar a severe connances of Salem, and as our city authorities have undertaken to give them that kind of literature we hope they will meet frequently and keep their organ supplied with copy, and the agri- prevailing or approaching their accuscultural community with regular read-

Editorial Correspondence.

PORTLAND, Jan. 11th, 1871.

Having exhausted the attractions of for years. this city, I went aboard the elegant steamerOneonts and slept last night, and ton, architects, are now employed in waked when morning was running op- making up the plans and specifications position to the moonlight at Vancou- for the Masonic Temple, to be erected ver. A flurry of snow had fallen and in this city the ensuing season, on the the shores of . Washington Territory corner of Alder and Third streets. were clad in ghastly white. There was not much progress visible in the an- vices from Liverpool to the 5th of Decient city of Vancouver, where enter- cember. The Illimani, was then loadprise seems to be paralyzed, and effort | ing for Portland, and, as her cargo had to do no more than live is not attempt- all been engaged, it is probable that ed. Of course there are some enter- she is at least thirty days out by this prising and go-shead men there, but time. there is little inducement to build or improve, though when the North Paciffe Railroad works up the river that far, it will liven up their affairs. There is more good farming land back of there than has been supposed, and the prospects of Vancouver are actually livening in consequence of the number of settlers who are clearing off the order that the contract for printing be lands of that county, and preparing given to the lowest bidder, which was them for cultivation.

Down the river, about thirty miles to the Willamette Farmer, which paper from Vancouver, and forty miles dist- proposed to do the work for twenty ant from Portland, is Kalama, the new- five cents per square of twelve lines. est candidate for commercial greatness. On motion of Alderman Miller the It is situated below the difficulties of city employed Sylvester Simpson, Esq., navigation and below where ice is to examine as to the legality of the ortroublesome; and therefore, with a dinance passed by the late Council, rerailroad concection with the towns lating to water works for the city. The above, it can do business without let City Attorney, Mr. Mallory being supor hindrance. The town is not sur- posed to be the auther of that ordiveyed, and no lots will be offered for nance, he desired to employ some other sale yet awbile, but this will all happen attorney to examine and report on the before a great while, and with the early game. spring Kalama will become the scene A communication was received from

LAND SPECULATIONS AND LOCATIONS. | pany, amounting in all to \$180; which There is, of course, a great rush for was referred to Finance Committee.

Ash wood can be purchased for \$3 75 per cord; enquire of McCully

REPORTED SUICIDE.

The papers have been of late criti-

cising the very singular course of con-

who was through Salem some few

weeks ago, and represented himself as

connected the North Pacific Railroad

bouse before day this morning. It was

of the boats, but he could not be traced

landlord that his body would be found

ly end are caused by that terrible vice.

State News.

The Herald says: Last evening, pre-

made for the door and ran up Washing-

ton street, while the parties in pursuit

to his bed from illness.

near the East Portland landing.

mouth of the Columbia.

adopted.

now, indicating rough weather at the

The Bulletia says: The Dixie Thomp-

Bar, the roughest that has been known

Mesars. W. W Piper and E. M. Bur-

S.A. C.

Wheat is now bringing one dollar a bushel at Salem. A fact of much im charged. mits having successfully disposed of cinity of Kalama, and as in the course portance to our friends in the country. of conversation we developed a trace of is expected to preach at the Episcopal Church this (Saturday) evening. Ser-Acquirted.-Young Guerin, who

was arrested a few weeks ago for lar- Jury found " not a true bill." am prospective proprietor of acres ceny, at Reed's Opera House, was densely covered with tall penes and tried vesterday, and the jury brought fire. We won't go further into particulars for fear of creating envious in a verdict of not guilty. feelings in the hearts of some who ITEM .- The City Council must be very careful to meet always within five days of, but not the day before, its agpines near Kalama, so we propose to be liberal, and those who havn't pines

ricultural organ is published, for Ordinances have to be published within five days, and the organ must have a day or two to get them up. we will give them leave to whack down some of ours. At the same time that GRAND JURY REPORT .- This report we appreciate our improved chances, speaks well of the affairs of the Clerk's all the world shall understand that we office and the manner in which the books are kept. Also speaks of the

Court House as being in good order,

considering its long term of service.

The jail is said to be well and cleanly

City and County Items.

kept, and the prisoners in all respects The report of the Chief Engineer been published in the City Agricultu- the sudden and furious tempest, before Company as an attorney. He was ral organ to-day, but as it only had which a small vessel was scudding stopping at the Pacific Hotel, Vancoutwo day's notice it could not be done, but will appear one week from to-day was The Gull, Captain Varino, master, ver, and was last seen leaving that thought he might have gone off in some friends who wish to peruse it can readily do so by visiting their friends in the two passengers. journal circulates.

A Senious Business .- Yesterday af- following day. ternoon a good audience at the Court | While the Captain and his assistants House was much amused to see four were attending to their duties and of our saloon keepers arraigned for safety, the two Englishmen stood apart. selling liquor on Sunday. They all leaning against the low bulwarks, and pleaded "guilty." The way they did surveying the wild scene around them. it, and the prompt manner in which ently of the same age, about three and the Judge admidistered the legal rem- twenty, but evidently they were not of edv-ten dollars and costs-was what | the same station in life.

ON THE RIVER -The Albany was unable to reach Eugene on her last trip, as the river has been rapidly falling. Four boats, the Albany, Reliance, river yesterday loaded heavily, no disposition and a dauntless courage. if it can make arrangements here.

damage on freight, unless notice is qualities of his nature. given in writing three days after goods

State Agricultural Society.

The Board of Managers of this Sociyoung girls are to compete. This is to

for the best quarter of an acre of the find another traveling compani that efforts should be made to induce the next Legislature to offer a premium | when a stranger came running to his f considerable value for the best speci- assistance, and in a few moments the vious to the hour of closing, a man was mens of crude beet sugar of common two had put the ruffians to flight.

added to make it keep; this is sold to ety is to give encouragement to this crude manufacture bege.

vert attention from himself. He es-A Resolution was passed asking the like employer and employed. caped by his fleetness the grasp of his citizens of Salem to offer a \$1,000 purse, or at least a sum of considerable The Hon. Lansing Stout is confined value, to be awarded the best running graft will stand it Tressillian ?" We ascertain that Mr. A. Rosenbeim, of this city, has received the appointment of Chief Clerk to the Superintendent of Indian Affairs to Arizona. He A man was arrested last evening as

horse department next fall. ning, of East Portland, while crossing Mr. E. M Wait has offered to publish the river, yesterdy, on the ferry boat, cussion of the boat against the piles The sea gulls, which fly 11 cvery proposition was accepted.

Major Magone was elected Marshal in seldom except when stormy weather is shall of the Pavilion. tomed baunts, are numerous here just The session was harmonious and son reports very bad weather on the more complete minutes.

Circuit Court - Marion County.

ADJOURNED SESSION, NOVEMBER TERM, 1870. plaintiff; Bonham and Lawson for defendant.

Mesers. Janion & Rhodes have ad-Drusella Rader vs. Archibald Rader. By consent of counsel the Court order- | Jasper Lowder's face. ed that R. H. Strahanact as referee to take testimony.

Couscil Musting .- At a called meeting of the Council beld on Thursday evening, Alderman Miller, from Comcosts. This action was against a minor | ble his sonand title could be got in no other way. A sudden furch of the little vessel, mittee on Printing, presented proposals Mary Montgomery vs. J. H. Mont- wave sweeping over the deck, inter from newspapers, in Salem, to do the gomery. After bearing of testimony, rupted the sentence. city printing. He moved that before the same should be opened, the Council should

Defendant allowed until Feb. 20th, to The contract was ordered to be let file answer. James Anderson vs. T. J. Baxter. away from your home for five years This case was referred back from the and he has but just recalled you !'
Supreme Court; leave to file amended Young Tressillian's face flushed, and complaint was granted ; defendant de- Lowder saw the lurid glow that momurred thereto and excepted to the mentarily lighted up the tempestuou ruling of the Court. Wm. Trevor vs. John Costello. De-

given of motion for a new trial. Time extended to take depositions. of the most lively excitement and spec- Tiger Engine Co., asking the city to pay certain amounts due by the com-

State of Oregon vs. John Brady; ndictment for murder at Last Chance Saloon. The Court appointed Knight and Sullivan counsel for the prisoner

State of Oregon vs. - Beach, held for assault with a dangerous weapon. The Grand Jury found "not a true bill," and the defendant was dis-

State of Oregon vs. Frank Guerin; indictment for larceny; prisoner ar SERVICES To-SIGHT. -Bishop Morris raigned and pleaded not guilty. J. B. Emery vs. J. & W. Martin, es ecutors. Plaintiff asked leave to file new bill of costs which was not granted. State of Oregon vs. Mary Applin,

held on charge of trand. The Grand Wm Trevor vs. John Costello ; S. C. Simpson appointed referree to take Patrick McIntee vs. P. Galin; S. C. Simpson appointed referree.

SUNDAY.

TRESSILLIAN COURT;

this marriage !

old county family-

bitterness.

grown thin and wan and nervous. My

father visited us at stated seesons,

arou ed my mothe,'s affectionate ; r de

when I was ten years old

Lowder, "And a bad sky

dso the secret of my paternity, solemn

She would have done anything for

grandmother's money, the fruits of

ever receiving justice at his hands."

that I am an outcast, poor, disowned

He leaned over the bulwark, the

spray dashing over his face violently.

Tressitian's beart warmed to him.

I say again you are not friendless while

I live. My father has influence enough

to obtain for you a government an

pathy, into Lowder's lowering face.

The vessel drove on, creaking and

groaning, a mere cockle shell on the

wild sea in maddened rage.

pointment. This tangle may straight-

My poor friend !" he said. "Must

and friendless."

own happiness.'

per?" seked Tressilian.

in savagely.

The rest you know.

ing her deck.

sea and sky

Did I ever tell you of my father?"

OR The Baronet's Son. MRS. MARY HARRIET LEWIS. AUTHOR OF THE "DOUBLE LIFE," "THE BEARTS," "THE LABY OF KIL-

> ETC., ETC ETC. CHAPTER I.

" THE HOUSE OF SECRETS,"

A PEARFUL CATASTROPHE. Mediterranean Sea, near the close of a dreary November day, and sky and waters were black with the gloom of

probably. The firemen and their on her way from Cagliari to Palermo. She had on board two seamen and These passengers were Englishmen. country, where it is supposed that who had procured passage on The Gull to Palermo, whence they intended to en bark by steamer to Marseilles, the

under bare poles. Her build and rig-

expressing apprehensions as to their

One, the more striking of the two, ras aristocratic in his bearing, tall, slender and hardsome, with a frank, smiling mouth, a pair of fearless blue eyes, set under a wide and massive forehead, and twany hair blowing back Four boats, the Albany, Reliance, from his face. Noble, generous and Active and Success, came down the kind-hearted, he had an adventurous He was Guy Tressillian, the only son doubt carrying between four and five and heir of Sir Aribur Tressillian, bundred tons of breadstuffs; also thirty Baronet, of Tressillian Court, England four bales of green tow, and a lot of his companion presented a remarkbrooms from the Albany factory. That able resemblance to him, being also tall and slender and fair, with twany factory wants to move down to Salem, hair and musteche, but he had not the trank emile, the bright, fearless look, The North Salem Chair Factory has or the joyous spirit that characterized ship; ed a large lot of chairs to a whole- young Tressillian. Young as be was ne had seen much of the dark side of life, and his experiences had been such The P. T. Co.'s agent will not pay as to develop in him some of the worst

He was Jasper Lowder, Guy sillian's hired travelling companion and bosom friend.

The meeting and connection of the two had a touch of romance. Young Pressillian had spent four years in a German university, whence he had been graduated with honor. On leaving the university, in obedience to his revised the premium list, making but father's written command, he had unchanges, one of which was the dertaken a tour of the countries inion of a distinct class, in which closing the Mediterranean Sea, in company with one of his late tutors. The gentleman being unexpectedly promoted to a professorship, acandoned The Society offers a premium of \$25 | Tressillian at Baden, leaving him to On the evening of the very day after sugar beet, one bundred pounds of the this desertion, as Gay Tressillian was beets to be exhibited. This is done in sauntering through the streets of Barecognition of the importance of at- den, he had been assaulted by a trio tempting the manufacture, in our of his own countrymen, all more or less intoxicated. It was apparent that State, of beet sugar, which has lately they took bim for another, and lutendproved so successful in California. In ed to wreak vengeance upon him. this connection, the Board suggested Without allowing him to speak, they forced him to defend himself. was getting the worst of the conflict.

This stranger who came so opportunely to Guy's assistance was Jasper It seems that in European countries, Lowder. His resemblance to young the farmers make what is called sucrete Tressillian awakened in the latter a crude article with a portion of lime romantic interest. He questioned Lawder, learned that he was poor and alone in the world, and took him with the manufactories, of which there are him to his hotel. Believing that the five bundred in France, and is refined similarity of features indicated a simiby them. The suggestion of the Soci- larity of tastes and natures, he engaged Lowder as his travelling companion, and the past year they had spent together more like brothers than

This storm is a regular Levanter. said Lowder, clinging with both hands to the bulwark. "Do you think the horse of thoroughbred stock. This is yes," answered young Tressillian, with a view to encourage the bringing wiping the sair spins, with a view to encourage the bringing of the Captain knows the Sicilian coast or less we of thoroughbred stock to our State. perfectly. In two hours or less we Gov. Grover and other gentleman here shall be in the bay of Palermo. In responded, as we are informed, by sub- three hours we shall be dom ciled in scriptions amounting to \$200, as a the best rooms of the Hotel Tri serie. with the best supper which Messer commencement of this premium. Gen- Ragusa can turnish. And to morrow tlemen present from Portland, promised at noon," he added, "we shall sail for that a similar purse should be raised Marseilles in a messageries steamer. there, to be given to the best trotting ceed to England to Tressitian Court, " And from Marseilles you will prohorse. The success of these endeav- said Lywder, with some hit rness ors will lend great interest to the "And I-what is to become of me?

did your father abandon you?" berance to make a grand marriage. have had a year of unsiloyed happi different times, I conclude that my ness, and now comes back the drudg futher was in love with a titled ery, the hopeless toil, the anxieties of the premium list of the Society free of the wretched old life. You picked me charge, if allowed to use every other up at Baden, a poor adventurer seek page for advertising; which liberal lug to gain a living by teaching English, and the same destiny is open to me now. Tressillian turned his handsome face that I shall meet him some day," and Jasper's brow darkened to deeper black

Chief, and Mr. Alfred Lewellen, Mar- upon his companion in surprise and affectionate reproach. "Jasper !" he exclaimed, "You pleasant. The departure from the city talk strangely. Do you suppose I of E. M. Waite, Esq., Secretary, ren- have called you friend and brother so for us to obtain long, and loved you so well, to losyou now? I meant to have written to my father concerning you and your future. Jasper, but his sudden recall, received vesterday, causes me to re turn home without writing. I shall E. M. Waite vs. L. Fleishner, State telegraph from Marsetiles that you will Treasurer. After argument on the de- will you not? You will not abandon come home with me. And you will. murrer filed by defendant, the same me, my friend? I will charge myself was overruled. Knight and Lord for with your future. I will see that you obtain the position to which your talents entitle you. You have no ties to keep you on the Continent. A strange expression passed over

"No, I have no ties," he said husk-"And you will go home with me?" Larken. The Company was granted coming?" demanded Lowder. "He right of way on payment of \$57 as will think your generosity Quixotic. compensation, and the plaintiff pay the hired companion who dares to resem-

"You wrong my father," said Tresdecree of divorce was granted, the "You wrong my father," said Tres-plaintiff to have the care of the infant stillian, his blue eyes kindling, when child, and defendant to pay twenty the vessel had righted. "He is the dollars per month for its support. A. noblest man in the world. He will B. Cosper was appointed trustee of welcome my friend as his own. said fund. will love him, Jasper, as I do. will love him, Jasper, as I do, when J. B. McClane vs. John Kramer- you know him." "He doesn't seem very affectionate." remarked Lowder. "You have been

"You know, or can guess the rea fendant's demorrer to complaint was son, Jasper," he said, with something of an effort. " My father has a ward E. N. Beach vs. T. J. Baxter-Cause the daughter of an old friend .- Ah hear that wind shrick! The gale is State of Oregon vs. Charles Blakeley; indicted for assault with intent to kill; "Yes," assented Lowder. "And tried and found guilty. Notice was

haired Blanche of whom you have talk-John Newsom, vs. J. W. Greenwood. ed so much, and with whom you have Time extended to take depositions.

State of Oregon vs. Geo. Applin; "Yes. My lather formed a project indictment for fraud. The defendant's to have me marry Blanche. He did counsel demurred to the indictment, not wish us to grow up together, lest which was sustained by the Court, and we should learn to regard each other the defendant discharged. when Blanche

"Mother of Mercies!" wailed the came to live at the Court, my father sent me to Germany. The night be- captain. "It's all up with up signores fore I left be called me into the library I can't make out the cape in this darkand told me all his hopes and plans for ness. We shall go on the rocks. St the future, and entreated me to con- Anthony save us !" The seaman echoed his cries. tipue worth, of his ippocent ward, and to keep my heart pure for her. I have The two young Englishmen, compre

bended their peril, clasped bands in one so. Jasper. I have never yet loved any woman. And yesterday l Then a noise like the report of a canreceived my father's summons to come home. He has recalled me after five non suddenly boomed through the storm and the darkness. The little years of absence. I known the wish vessel shivered staggered, and careenthat lies nearest his heart. He wants ed upon her side. me to return and marry Blanche. I She had struck a rock. shrink from the proposed marriage. dread home. And I dread offending A moment later crew and passengers my dear father, whom I love better

were struggling in the waters. A few moments of buffering and tosthan any woman. It is hard, Jasper, sings, of vain atruggles and agonized, to revolt against the hopes and plans involuntary prayer, and then Jasper of a kind and generous father, whose Lowder felt his senses slip from him, very love for me causes him to urge and he became unconscious. When he came to himself, he was "Is it?" said Lowder, drylly, and lying upon a rocky beach of the Siciwith a strange smile full of sneering lan shore, sore, bruised, and as weak " My experience has been

widely different from yours, Tressillian. He opened his eyes. The wind had "No. I took it for granted he is spent is fury, and now mosned along the coast with a desolate, despairing wail. The waves beat against the "Perhaps be is. I don't know,"

said Lowder, with a wreckless laugh. rocks. Lowder struggled to his elbow. But if he is living, he is a scoundrel. "Wrecked !" be muttered. "I am Don't start, Tressillian, at my unfilial cast ashore, while the others are speech. Wait till you hear my story. drowned! Oh, this is terrible! I I am in a desperate mood to-night have lost my best friend to-night!' This storm stirs up all the bad within He moaned and wrung his hands. me. As near as I can discover my

" He is dead, who would have don tather was the younger son of a proud so much for me, and I so worthless am "You do not know, then ?" asked saved! All my hopes of an easy and luxurious life must be resigned now ! Tressillian, pressing his companion's At that moment he beheld a dark object at a little distance in the water. "I have no proof of it. All I posi-The waves burled this object against tively known is this. My mother was of humble station, pretty, with blue the projecting head a sunken rock. At the same instant Lowder recognized eyes and apple-blossom face, and tender appealing ways. She was the it as the body of a man. He crept toward it, and the water daughter of a widow, residing at dashed the body on the shore at bis Brighton. The widow, my grandmother, kept a lodging-house, and my

feet. He put his hands on the fore How cold and wet it was ! It felt ik father, a gay, dashing young tellow, the face of a dead man? Lowder's came to board with her. As might finger's came in contact with the soft have been expected he fell in love with silken mustache, and be knew that the his landlady's daughter. He offered body was that of Guy Tressilian ! the young girl marriage, on condition Of the five who had stood on the that the union should be kept secret sloop's deck a balt-bour earlier, these until his affairs brightened and he two slone were left. The captain and chose to divulge it. The young girl his crew had found their deaths among and penurious. The result was the lover | the cruel, yawning waters. Lowder thrust his hand under the had his way, and married the daughwaistcoat of his friend, but he could ter of the landlady quietly, almost senot perceive the beating of his heart. Despair took possession of him. Loudon, to cheap and obscure lodgings, where, a year later, I was born.

"Dead!" be said shrilly. "Dead! The wind for a moment drowned his | And he would have done so much for me if be bad lived! And his fathe voice. As it presently lulled, he resumed recklessly, and with passionate and the young girl he was to have married will wait in vain for his com-For years my mother and I lived ing! His place at Tressilian Court is in those stuffy, obscure lodgings, un- empty. Who can fill it? til her bloom had faded, and she had

It seemed to him that some demo at his side echoed the question : Who could litt the place left vacant by noble

once or twice a week, but he never brought any of his family to call upon A thought came to bim-a thought us. I doubt if his acistocratic relaso strange and sinister that he shivtives ever suspected the existence of ered involuntarily. Again he felt of the faded wife and son of whom he Tressilian's heart. It gave no throb was secretly ashamed. I have good against his hand. He passed his hand reason to believe that he had fine over Tressilian's head and discovered loogings at the West End, where he gaping wound in the skull. The was supposed to be a bachelor, and hair was clotted with blood. that he went into fushionable society, Putting his hand into his breast while my poor mother and I lived otnocket, Lowder drew out his little wa-He was a profligate and a ter-proof match-sale. He opened it rone, but he had an air of fashion that with trembling fingers and struck a awakened my boyish admiration, and

n him. She was always pleading to How ghastly and terrible it looked? se introduced to his relatives, and to The eyes were closed, the smile was have her son publicly acknowledged gone. The seal of death seemed set But my fa her always put her off, say that he was not yet ready. Worn out and desouring, my mother died had been made by contact with the

ight. The red flicker danced on young

sharp rock, and even Lowder perceived Again the wind shricked past, again its terrible character. the little vessel lurched, the sea sweep-The captain screamed his orders to be muttered. "His brain has received an awful injury. He will never his men, and for a few minutes disor- know who he is sgain. He won't live iti morning, and he is perhaps dead

"A nasty bit of weather!" said already. He must be dead ! Again it seemed to him as though some demon echoed his words. ed Tressillian. "We shall make port The match dropped from his fingers treated as convicts all right, never fear. We must be into the water. For a little while he well on toward the Cape di Galo. And it's only seven miles from the Cape to battling it may be with the better and crouched on the wet stones in silence. nobler instancts of his nature

" But the seven miles in this storm At last, with sudden and abrupt are worse than seventy in good weather stealthin-ss, his hands stole into the These coasts are dangerous, Tressilian. breast pocket of Tressilian and draw Lowder shuddered as he surveyed out his private note book, a packet of etters, a few trinkets. He secured " But about your father Jasner?" these among his own wet garments. said Tressiliue, who had become deep-Their possassion seemed to give him ly interested in his companion's history courage, and his face hardened, and he What did he do after your mother's knelt beside the body of his friend and rifled his garments of all that they I remained at the lodgings with our contained, bestowing his plunder on

single old servant a month or more, my his own person. father visiting me several times, and Then he took his own purse, his expressing anxiety as to what he should note-book, a few receipts and trifles do with me. A week after my mother's from his own pockets, and put them in

death, he told me that his brother was the pockets of Tressilian. A month later, his father was 'It is done!" he whispered to himkilled by being thrown from his horse. self, looking with wild defiant eyes My father came into riches and honors through the darkness. "No one is harmed. He is dead. If he had lived. by these deaths. At last, deciding to rid himself of me, he took me down to he would have provided for me. Brighton, to my old grandmother. Her he is dying or dead, I must provide for sons were dead; she had given up myself. This likeness between us will keeping lodgers, and was become mismake my fortune. His friends will ba He promised her five hundred spared a terrible grief, and I-I shall pounds a year to keep me, and to keep live at last! Fortune gives chance to gain name and wealth at one ly promising to acknowledge me some lucky stroke? day as his son and beir. The old wo-As if to give himself no chance for

man agreed to carry out his wishes. repentance, he arose to his feet and turned his searching glances in an inmoney. I never saw my father again. land direction. A light, as from a cot-I went to school, grew up, and at the tage window, glimmering faintly the age of twenty-one came into my through the thick haze, caught his

years of saving, she dying at that time. Raising his voice, he callen loudly My father had deliberately abandoned " Help! Ho, there! help me. I did not know where to seek The wind had abated, and his cries him, if I had wished to. I took my rang out through the night with start money and came abroad. I had been ling distinctness. The light he had two years on the Continent, and had seen moved and disappeared. A minspent my little fortune when I met you. ute later, answering cries reached Lowder's ears, and he heard basty "An odd, romanic story! But why steps, and saw the approaching light of a lantern, borne aloft by a man's ut-"That he might be freed of encamraised arm. "This way!" shouted Lowder.

From what my grandmother said at at We are wrecked on the r cks! Fothe love of Heaven, hasten ! The bearer of the lantern, attended lady before my mothers death. No by a mele companion, came running to doubt he married this lady. If he him, and was soon at his side. lives, this lady's son may be his ac- lantern bearer was a rough Sicilian knowledged heir. My father has ut- fi-herman, a grade above his class. terly disowned the son of his first hasty, His companion was also Sicilian, but ill-starred marriage. I have a fancy evidently of somewhat higher degree. Both were all excitement, astonishment and sympathy. ness. "However, I stand no chance of In as few words as possible Lowder

told the story of the shipwreck, and "What is your father's name, Jas- called attention to the condition of his noble young employer. Lowder's face darkened. He bit his "I think he is dead !" he said, in a choking voice. "Carry him up What I have told you about myyour cabin. Let everything be done self I learned from observation, or to save bim. I will pay you well for from chance words of my parents and any kindness to him. Poor fellow! He grandmother. My mother's maiden was my traveiling companion. Hoved

name was Jeanette Lowder. At our him as if he had been my brother in-London lodgings, my father bore the stead of only my hired attendant ! Poor name of Lowder. I don't know his Jasper! real name, but should know his face The two Sicilians lifted the helpless anywhere, although I have not seen form of poor young Tressilian, and car him in thirteen years. My mother was ried it between them toward their cot actually married, Tressilian, but I nevtage. Jasper Lowder foilowed them er heard my father's name. The clerbewailing his loss. The above we pubgyman who married my mother wa lish as a specimen chapter; but the dead; the witnesses also. When my continuance of this story will be found grandmother was dying she tried to only in the N. Y. Ledger. Ask for the tell me the story. She had put it off number dated January 7th, which can too long. All that I could understand be had at any news office or book-store. of her mumblings was the name of If you are not within reach of a news Devereux. I shall never forget that office, you can have the Ledger mailed name—'DEVERRUX!' Probably that to you one year by sending three dol-was my father's name—my own right-lars to Robert Bonner, publisher, 180 ful name. But as I should never find William Street New York. The Ledger him if I sought him, and as be would pays more for original contributions repulse me me if I did find him, I stand than any other periodical in the world no chance of inheriting his property. It will publish none but the very, very He may be dead. 'He may have other best. Its moral tone is the purest, and sons who have succeeded him. It is all its circulation the largest. Everbody a mystery, but the prominent truth is who takes it is happier for having it.

C. V. Varley, of the Hukely school of specualists, thinks the planets will ultimately fall into the sun, and the suns into each other, until the excessive heat will redistill matter over space, in a gaseous form. Creation will then recommence.

Dr. Dio Lewis advances the idea en itself out some day. But if it don't that the present method of employing you are resolute enough to make your physicians is all wrong. They should, says, be paid a stipulated sum arly, for taking care of the family Hegrasped Lowder's hand, and look-Hegrasped Lowder's hand, and look-ed with warm bright eyes, full of sym-health, and a deduction made for every case of sickness. There had been a temporary full in the storm. But as the two stood there, A new loom, exhibited a few days

since at Providence, was operated by the tempest revived and swept over the the inventor in the presence of a large number of manufacturers and business There was no time for talking now. The wind rose so high that words men, and produced cloth of the best quality at the ecormous rate of nearly could have scarcely been distinguished. one thousand yards a day. The storm that had gone before had been but play to this awful outburst

A small boy in Louisville sat down on a redbot store, by way of celebrating Thanksgiving day. He got up without being told to.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

EASTERN NEWS. Washington, Jan. 12 .- In the Senate, Cole introduced a bill for the re lief of census Marshale, directing the Secretary of the Interior to increase one bundred per cent, compensation to the Assistant United States Marshais

west of the Rocky Mountains. The Senate confirmed the nomina tion of Herman Bendell, of New York, as Superintendent of Indian Affairs for Arizona; and of Alex. H. Conner, as Governor of Idabo. Washington, Jan. 13 .- The Senate held an executive session vesterday,

lasting over an hour, for the consider-

tion of the nomination of Admiral

Porter, and is now in session. Noth-

ing new was done in the early part of

the session, and the same old argu-

ments for and against his confirmation were made by his friends and opponents. Morton, Nye, Abbott and others advocated his confirmation as an act of justice to a brave officer, and holding that if the President could afford to nominate Porter, they could afford to confirm him, and that personal considerations ought not to influence members. Towards the close of the session the question was raised that if the Senate failed to confirm Porter, he would be out of service, as he had been constitutionally appointed, and his previous commission as Vice Admiral had been vacated by the appointment of Rowan. This was a new view of the case, and was discussed by the best lawyers in the Senate. The affirmative side of the question is a right one, as Rowan had been nomicated for Vice Admiral, and if he be confirmed to Porter's old position before the case of Porter should be acted on. and Porter suosequently rejected, he could not go back to his former rank. which had been constitutionally filled by Rowan. He would thus be out of the service. This view of the case ators are not disposed to legislate him out of the service. Were it not for this question, he would be rejected by a large vote. When the question had Oregon, published on Wednesday, and as been discussed for some time, Porter's friends suggested an adjournment. His opponents refused, until a vote of the foreign, Eastern and Pacific coast was taken, and his friends, by a small mejority, carried their point. understood the vote was taken to day,

New York, Jan. 13 .- Contrary to ex. than is contained in the Portland weeklies, pretations, the frigate Tennessee was which are published on Saturday. not ready vesterday to leave the Brooklyn Navy Yard to proceed to an an-chorage off the Battery to take on board her powder. It will require but six or eight days for the Tennessee to sail from New York to Samana Bay under favorable circumstances. The Com missioners are expected from Washing sfiernoon. The ship will undoubted! Island, to-day, to take her powder on

and the opinion is general that he may

be confirmed by a small majority.

son, who was tendered a position on the Commission to San Domingo, was Methodist Book Concern. Fred Dooglass was with the Presi- interesting, suitable and instructive dent vesterday. Rumor again couples his name with the Commission. A letter has been received from Gen. Siegel | To be gleaned from the fields of politics, litwithdrawing his acceptance of the apsion to Dominica, on the ground that he is not sufficiently versed in the Spanish language, as required by the Senate resolutions. The third Com-

missioner had not at noon to-day been appointed London, Jan. 12 -A letter from Berlin, Jan. 10th, savs orders are issued that French officers who es-

A special from Reelin to the London wishes of the Czer on the question of Eaxine, is endeavoring to effect a post- residence of nearly twenty years. ponement of the London Conference. The same corsespondent mentions that action by the powers on the subject Brussels, Jan. 12 - A dispatch of the 11th says the result of ten days bombardment of nine forts and seven French batteries between the forts is that no serious damage has been don and not a single gun dismounted, but 320 Germans killed and wounded Mount Avron was swept by the French fire, and the Germans evacuated the

Paris advices to the 8th say: Shells are falling on Montmartre, and persons have been killed in the Church o St. Sulphie and treasure, and have since adopted by

reached the Invalides and Champs de

A large fire is raging within Paris on the north side. London, Jan. 11 .- A Tribune corres pondent at Versailles writes that bat teries have been advanced one thousand paces nearer D'Issy and Vanvres. Shells are falling in the Luxemburg Gardens. The population demand the Government to make changes. They want a fighting general, instead of Trochu. Manteuffel is here, but starts Independent of Men! immediately to take command of the new army of the East, consisting of 2d, 7th and 14th corps, which is marching via Troyes to support Gen. on Werder, and occupy the Lyons District. Manteuffel leaves Gen. Vor Goeben in command of the 1st and 8th corps of a Landwebr Division, which On the Side of the People !! is enough to take care of Faidherbe.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Jan. 13 .- Dion beat

Deery in the grand billiard match last night, on the one hundred and thirty fifth inning, scoring 560 sgainst Deery's moral reading. 478. Neither party played with anything like their usual skill. To-day a game like that last nightfor the the same number of points and amount, bus been arranged between Don and Deery, to come off within ten days. Considerable feeling has grown un between them on account of the las and former matches. It is reported that Dion will send, or has already sent, a challange to Parker, winner o the diamond cur at Chicago, offering to play him for the diamond care, the Pacific coast paying his expenses here as an inducement. It is also rumored that Rudolphe will be here soon. Judges Hoffman and Sawver, in the U. S. Court to day, sustained the demorrer to the indictment against Sherof Jackson, of Trinity county, charged with violation of the 15th amendment,

in collecting foreign miners' taxes from

Chinese, on the ground that it was de-

fective, the informant not stating material facts, and the defendant was ordered discharged. A new indictment will be drawn up and brought before paying subscribers for the low price of the next Grand Jury. Los Angeles, Jan. 13 .- The following is the latest from Arizona: Three prospectors, en route to Agua Frio, were attacked by a large party of ladians, and two of them, named Carthe above report. At the same time, cash in hand. within two miles of the same spot, James Thomas and Stephen Shimp, who were returning to Agua Frio, were surprised by Indians, and Shimp was killed at the first fire. Thomas eluded them, and arrived at the mill in safety. A detachment of soldiers has been sent in pursuit of the Indians. Gen. Stoneman, in a recent order, says it is his intentention to prosecute

vigorous measures against the Kilines, Piutes, and other warlike savages. San Diego, Jan. 13 .- Mining news from the lower counties is of a most favorble character. The town of Banner, in the district recently located is growing rapidly in population. Money is more plentiful than ever known. The Mc-Mechan Pioneer Mill has been moved to Banner and is doing a prosperous business.

A gentleman in Guthrie Center, Iowa, had a beautiful English pointer which, having lost her pups, adopted a pet lamb. The lamb acquired its foster mother's instincts, and set at game, but it was found necessary to kill it, as it took to worrying sheep.

A few days since a playful and nowerful man, at work in the Kittery navy yard, threw his arms over a companion's waist, and gave him such a bearty squeeze as to injure him internally, so that the man died. No harm was intended.

PROSPECTUS

Statesman Column.

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This excellent FAMILY NEWSPAPER is published every Wednesday morning and will operate in Porter's favor, as Sen- sent in the early mails of that day to every The STATESMAN is the only paper in

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THE NEWS DEPARTMENT

Of the STATETHAN will be made as perfect ton Sunday morning, and be on board and complete as possible. It will contain the Tennessee before 2 o'clock in the drop down to an anchorage, off Ellis carefully condensed to the limit of its col-Washington, Jan. 13 -Bishop Simp. dispatches leaving only the solid substance. forced to decline on account of a suit in Magnetic Telegraph, its Fxchanges will be which he is interested, relating to the carefully called for the selection of the most

MISCELLANEOUS READING

THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT

cape from their places of confinement. Will be especially relied upon as a means of Germany, shall upon recapture, be interest, and will contain all the items of value to be gleaned from the city of Salem Times says Prussia, seeing the antagon- and the surrounding country with which sm on the part of Austria to the the Editor has became familiar during a

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