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EASTERN.

News of the Week from Beyond the Rockies.

CHARLESTON IN RUINS.

The Metropolis of South Carolina Visited by an Earthquake.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 1.- An earthquake, such as was never before heard of in this city, swept over Charleston last night, shortly after 10 o'clock, causing more loss and injury to property, and far more loss of life, than the cyclone a year ago. The first shock was by far the more se-vere. Its effect can be judged by the experiences of Capt. Dawson, of the News, who lives in a massive brick residence on Bull street, near Rutledge. He was in his room in the second story when the first shock occurred. The house seemed to rise and turn on its axis. The second and third shocks were less severe than the first. The air was filled with cries and shouts of women and children. From every side of that neighborhood came the cry, "Help us!" "God save us!" etc. It was worse than the severest battle of the war.

When the first agony was over it was found that the ceiling of every room in the house was cracked; the big ceiling was torn apart, and a tank in the at ic was pouring its flood of water in the bed In the parlors articles had been rooms. wrenched from their bases and thrown to the floor. In the hall a massive hamp had been turned around. In front of the house was a large porch with heavy pil-lars and marble steps. All this was swept away as though it had been shaved of with a mark What was Cast Daws. off with a razor. What was Capt. Daw-son's experience was that of hundreds of others in Charleston.

There were five shocks, decreasing in violence from the first. Sidewalks and streets were dotted with mothers, wives, and daughters, with their pro ectors, awaiting in anxious expectation still an-other agony. The air was thick with horror and rumors, and the lurid glare of fire but hightened the general ruin. Three or four fires started in as many

sections with the first shock, and very soon the town was illuminated with flames, thus leading all to believe that what was left by earthquake would be devoured by fire. However, the fire de-partment was so well divided and handled that the finmes were under control by daybreak.

Fully 125 to 150 residences and stores were consumed

As far as could be ascertained during the night fifteen to twenty were killed and a much greater wounded in all sorts of ways. The loss of human life will be great and it will take a day or two to get the accurate number. Shocks equally so-vere were felt at a distance of thirty-five miles, and have done inestimable damto railroads and telegraph property.

only the more determined to maintain barometer 30.01, thermometer 80. The the commercial position it has won, and is fortunately so situated as to be able, as well as ready, to deal successfully with every department of trade and every branch of business." Appeal is made to the city council for

monetary assistance in the form of an appropriation, but the Courier advises those who extend aid to confine themselves in so doing to people in circum-stances rendering them unable new to help themselves.

Very little has been accomplished toward removing the appearance of deso-lation. Every where the eye is met by heaps of debris of every possible descrip tion-brick, stone, plastering, lath, shin-gles, lumber, household goods, and building material. Whole fronts and sides of buildings have fallen out, leaving the furnishings intact, in some cases. A two story brick building on State street pre-sents a curious appearance of this char-acter. The lower floor is used for merchandise, and the upper floor is a resi-dence. The whole front fell out, leaving the interior exposed to view. Pictures and mirrors are on the walls, and chairs remain as they were left by the fleeing inmates. Evidently the owner has not gained courage sufficient to warrant his return.

The most alarming feature of the present condition of affairs is in the shaky condition of buildings. Nine-tenths of the brick structures are cracked through and through, and threaten to tumble, and chimneys that have not actually fallen are badly careened and would fall if touched

READY FOR BUSINESS.

At a joint meeting of the Charleston exchange and Merchants' exchange to day the following was unanimously

adopted To all exchanges and commercial bodies-Our banks, warehouses, cotton presses, wharves, railroads, rice mills, and ev-erything else necessary for handling business, though damaged, are in working order. We fear no further damage. The destruction of property will cause great distress and suffering, but will not interfere with the dispatch of business. A. W. TAPT, Pres. Charleston Exchange.

B. BOLMANN, Pres. Merchants' Exchange.

The joint meeting also adopted a reso lution to apply to the president and congress for a national loan to aid citizens in rebuilding the city.

The Bulgaria Affair

NEW YORK, Sept. 3 .- T. P. O'Connor

ends the following cablegram from London to the Star : Foreign complications are absorbing public attention, in consequence of the uncertainty of Russia's ingards Bulgaria. It is difficult to see how Prince Alexander will hold out against en leg when his companion addressed Russian influence. He will probably him have to leave Bulgaria, to avoid worse "I

sensation, Captain Voegel says, resem-bled that upon a ship scraping a pebbly bottom. The ship's vibrations were very great.

Oregon

Arthur's Condition

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 6 .- The Press's Boston special says: An old friend of ex-President Arthur who has just returned from a visit to the distinguished invalid at New London, gives a gloomy view of Arthur's condition. He says the

ex president maintains at all times a forced cheerfulness, and still manifests a lively interest in current events and leading political questions of the day, dis-cussing men and measures with all his old time keenness, yet he soon tires, breathing becomes short, and enforced rest ensues. He has lost flesh until he is a mere shadow of his former self. His robust physique and florid countenance are gone. He feels the change bitterly, and expressions of sympathy are very cheering to him. They are constantly pouring in from all parts of the country. reads newspapers with the great Arthur est avidity. Any paragraph of a forebod-ing kind about himself makes him depressed and anxious. His attendants exercise continued care regarding the con-tents of papers taken to him. There is little doubt that his illness is a confirmed attack of a dreadful malady, and that the inevitable result is only a question of

Acknowledgements to the Queen.

has sent the following reply to Queen the czar: Victoria's telegram of sympathy for the earthquake sufferers :

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.

Victoria, queen and empress, Balmor Scotland: Your majesty's expression of sympathy for sufferers by earthquake is warmly appreciated and swakens a greatful response in American hearts. GROVER CLEVELAND, president.

Miles has Chief Geronimo.

WILLCOX, A. T., Sept. 6 .- Gen. Miles arrived at Fort Bowie last night with Geronimo and several bucks as prisoners. Capt. Lawton with the rest of hostiles, numbering thirty-five, are expected to arrive at Fort Bowie Wednesday.

TRAMP ARISTOCRACY.

There were two of them, and they were both tramps; ten-cent lodginghouse bums of the worst order. No. 1 had lost a leg and an arm, and was the envy of every second class cripple beg-

gar in town. No. 2 was a paralytic, and blind in one eye.

FOREIGN.

Record of News from Over

the Atlantic.

THE BULGARIAN AFFAIR.

War Cloud is not 'Thickening -- A The Patched up Peace Probable.

Sopia, Sept. 1 .- Sankoff, the Russian under strong guard, the members of which have been ordered to keep him un-der constant surveillance, as it is feared he may commit suicide. The revolution-ary troops retreated to the kights of So-fia, which they occupied. Lovalist who was the leading spirit in the recent fia, which they occupied. Loyalist troops surrounded them, compelled them to surrender, and then disarmed them, placing the officers under arrest.

ALEXANDER'S MOVEMENTS.

Soria, Sept. 1 .- Prince Alexander has arrived in Elena, between Tirnova and now before Europe, and is exciting great Sofia. His journey to Elena was marked by a series of popular ovations similar to those reported yesterday.

THE BULGARIAN TROUBLE.

A Submissive Letter from Alexander to the Czar, and a Sharp Reply.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 30 .- Prince Al-WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 .- The president exander sent the following telegram to

"Sire :- Having reassumed the govern-ment of Bulgaria, I venture to offer to your imperial majesty my most respectful thanks for the action of your consul at Rustchuck, whose official presence at my reception showed the Bulgarians that Russia did not approve of the revolution-ary act directed against my person. I thank your imperial majesty for dispatching Prince Dolgorouki as envoy extraor-dinary to Bulgaria. My first act on resuming power is to assure your majesty of my firm intention to make every sac rifice to forward your majesty's magnan-imous intention to extricate Bulgaria from the grave crisis through which she is passing." After other triendly ex-pressions, the prince concludes as follows: "Russia having given me my crown, it is into the hands of Russia's sovereign I am

ready to render it." The czar replied to Alexander as fol-

"I can not approve of your return to Bulgaria, foreseeing from it sinister con-sequences for a country already so sorely tried. The mission of Prince Dolgorouki has become inexpedient. I shall abstain, so long as your highness remains in Bulgaria, from any intervention, in view of the sad condition to which the country is reduced. Your highness must decide your own course. I reserve to myself to judge what my father's venerated memo-ry, the interests of Russia, and the peace

of the East, require of me.

of the Bulgarian question. It is believed in Vienna that the abdication will not deter Russia from attempting to occupy Bulga-ria, a proceeding which Austria would not allow. Dispatches from Sofia say the Russian party there, headed by the Russian con-sulate, show signs of great activity, and are preparing an address to the czar. It is expected Prince Alexander will go to

Statesman.

is expected Prince Alexander will go to Servia, thence to Darmstadt, and then to England.

Soria, Sept. 5 .- Thousands of copies of the czar's reply to Prince Alexander have been printed by order of the Russian con-

Comments on the Situation---Remors and Notes.

Lonnon, Sept. 6 .- The Bulgarian complication is the most important matter interest with every day of uncertainty. Prince Alexander's abdication of the throne is having a very depressing effect on the European stock exchange to-day, and the gravest reports are universally feared. A serious war would not sur-prise any one. There is much in the be-havior of Russia to show that this is her political object. In addition to the ha-tred in which Alexander is held by the imperial family, the czar's enmity toward prince is due in a great measure to the influence of the czarina, whose an-tipathy for him equals the great liking held for him by the present czar's mother in her lifetime. She left the prince, at her death, \$2,000,000, which has never yet been paid him, although he has re ceived the interest regularly. Among the rumors afloat to account for

the prince's unexpected decision to abdicate, it is said that in a long interview with the Russian consul at Lemburg, he persuaded Alexander that by submitting absolutely to the plans of Russia he could be restored to the czar's favor. Overcome as he was by nervous prostration, and by the perplexity into which the af-fairs of Bulgaria had fallen, the prince sented

TURKEY PREPARING

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 6 .- It is rumor ed that, in accordance with advice given by two friendly powers, Turkey is making military preparations on the Asiatic frontier. It is also said orders have been given to supply the army at Erzeroum and on the border with more guns, stores, and munitions. This activity is due to movements on the part of Russia, which is supposed to be making efforts to gauge the military and naval strength of Tur-key. A suspicious foreign artist has been seen making sketches of forts outside of WEEKLY EDITION

PACIFIC COAST.

News by Telegraph from

Arrested for Embeatlement.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6 .- A. L. Perkins, book-keeper for W. L. Pugh, secretary of several mining companies, was arrested on a charge of embezzling \$500 of the funds of the Navajo mining compa-ny. It is believed that his defalcations will amount to between \$15,000 and \$16,-000.

Geronimo agaio at Large.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2 .- The Chronicle's Tombstone special says: A rumor has reached here that Mexican troops demanded from American troops the release of Geronimo. The latter refused, and a fight ensued, in which five Mexicans were killed, and two Americans were wounded, during which Geronimo made

his escape. A special to the Morning Call from Tombstone confirms the rumor that Mex-ican troops demanded from American troops the release of Geronimo. That upon the release of Geronimo. That the request, a fight took place, and, that while it was going on, Geronimo managed to escape.

Local Option Act Unconstitutional

WALLA WALLA, Sept. 2 .- The habeas corpus case of Jacob Schuneman, arrested for violating the local option act, in selling intoxicating liquors, was decided by District Judge Langford, at Dayton, this morning. The petitioner was dis-charged, and the law declared null and void, as a delegation of legislative power to the neople in precincts which are not to the people in precincts which are not municipal corporations; as a repeal of the license of the territory by the people. instead of the legislature, and as taking private property without compensation. Sharpstein & Sharpstein appeared for petitioner. R. F. Sturdevant and D. J. Drowley for the territory.

The decision is on the ground that the act was not a law when it left the legislature, but a proposition to become a law, when the people in the different precincts ratified it, this being legislation by the people, to whom no such power is granted.

Heavy Fire at Cheney.

CHENEY, Sept. 3 .- The large residence of Jacob Bettinger, our pioneer merchant, burned to-day at 2 p. m., with all the contents, including a fine piano. Loss \$5,000, on which there was a light insurance. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue. The wife of O. A. Lance, one of our

oldest and most respected citizens, died Constantinople, and it is thought he was an agent of Russia. It is learned that large contracts have been made on Rus-sadness. The funeral was largely attended.

West of the Rockies.

Charlesten is now entirely isolated from the outside world.

Not to exceed 100 houses in the city are occupied at this time. People are camped in open places. All stores are closed, and a scarcity of provisions is feared, because no one can be got to go to the stores to sell them.

Hardly a house in the city escaped injury, and many were so damaged and cracked that a hard blow would bring hem to the ground.

Owing to the demoralized condition of everything here it is impossible to give correct facts, further than this The number of casualties has not been ascertained, probably thirty or forty killed and over 100 injured. The loss to property will probably reach from \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000. Three-fourths of the buildings in the city will have to be rebuilt. There was very little shipping in port, and none of it was injured. The disturb-ancee have not affected the water in the harbor, although it is unknown that all the shocks came from an easterly direction, and therefore from the sea. There have been put to death by her.

treatment than he has lately Well?

articles of the English papers. Many of the leading journals, usually pacific tone, have suddenly developed into rabid Jingoism.

ing of a dead infant with a darning needle thrust through its beart has led to

putting babies to death, at so much per head, has been carried on in this city. Mrs. Pauline Mittelstraedt, proprietor of a private lying in-house, fied a few weeks ago, upon ascertaining that the authorities had gathered evidence criminating She was overhauled and brought her. back to-night. She confessed to the murder of the child, and says she was promised \$300 by its mother for putting it out of the way. The authorities are investi-gating the deaths of numerous other inborn out of wedlock, supposed to fants

Henry George for Mayor. NEW YORK, Sept. 4 .- It is said by mem-

Mrs. Schilling in a Convent.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5 .- Mrs. Victoria

Morosini is at the convent of the Sacred

Heart in Montreal. There she will re-

Railroad Bridge Burned.

LHAVENWORTH, Sept. I .- The bridge epanning the Missouri, at Fort Leaven-worth, was burned to night. It was an 40,000 votes have been pledged to Henry George among the laboring masses, for ron structure, but the floor and a mile of mayor of New York.

estle was destroyed, entailing a loss of over \$400,000. The fire originated at the est end of the bridge, and the wind lrove the fiames along until the entire oodwork and treatle approaches on the discouri side were consumed. This is main one year, until her health, which e only means which the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific have of reaching this city.

A Stubborn P. M.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 2 .- Postal Inspector Simpson, of Atlanta, to-day ejected A. N. Wilson from the postoffice, and placed one Capt. G. W. Lamar in possession. Wilson had positively refused to turn over the office unless force should be used, and went out saying : "I am still postmaster of Savannah. President Cleveland had the case. no right to suspend me under the consti-

Wilson was suspended for tution. offensive partisanship. THE GREAT OUAKE.

Courier has an article declaring the city miles off the harbor of Port Royal, in eight and one-half fathoms, when he exwill begin bravely to repair her fortunes. perienced a terrible rumbling sensation, It says: "Let it not be imagined for a which lasted one and one-half minutes moment that Charleston is sitting in her There had been quite a heavy sea from ashes, bewailing her loss of millions. A the southeast, but when the rumbling full consciousness of the loss is here. It began the wave motion ceased, and the is understood fully that far more than the waters became perfectly calm until the away in less than a minute; but, for all was again manifest. The wind was at are to article this and because of that, Charleston is southeast and light, weather cloudy, the state

The situation is complicated, and Alexan-der is injured by violent anti-Russian "How did I do? I allers does well, don't I? How did ye do yourself, Jack?"

"Purty well!" chuckled No. 2. "I begged three meals, got two old shirts from a keindheyearted family wot brought der tyears to me heyes wid sympaty fer innercence, and forty cents in cash.

A Startling Crime

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Sept. 5 .- The findpressed a wild indignation : his face wore a look of supreme disgust; even his wooden leg seemed to tremble with the disclosure that a regular business of

emotion "Hey I bin deceived in der arietockracy of a pardner?" he demanded hoarsely. "Why, what's de matter?" "Forty cents and two old shirts and

"I say, Jem !"

tree meals! "Dat's right, Jem. I'm tellin' it etraight

'And ye seem proud of it."

It's purty well for a day's tramp." "Purty well! Forty cents and two old shirts and tree charity meals! Yer gettin' too low fer me. Meals! shirts! Yer takes 'em, does yer? Well, I don't, and I don't associate with no second-hand bums. When I wants a shirt, I walks down ter Cheap John's and buys it, and when I wants a meal I stumps that a hattle took place at Radomir, eastinter de best restaurant on de street and orders it. I takes no charity grub and bers of the Central Labor union that worn-out clothes. Naw! I refuse anything but money, you hear me, and I takes it wid de dignity of a king tramp, or not at all. I got \$2:10 yesterday. Forty cents! tree meals! and two old shirts! Bah! ye'd oughter be ashamed

of yourself! You're-you're a disgrace to the profession !"

A TRADE IN WIVES.

Evidence in a trial at Carthage, Moore county, N. C., has brought to light a Bulgaria, on account of objections of the queer state of affairs in two families. Two men were husbands of wives of opposite characteristics and personal ap- made an address at a reception given by pearance. One was a blonde, the other iners. Each fell in love with the other's insde the following statement: "The interests of Bulgaria are such that I leave the country. If I did not Russia would occupy it. I will, however, con-blonde gave the husband of the brunette sult with superior officers and constitution." \$1 50 to clinch the bargain, and the trade was made. A few days later the new graphic office has received a letter from husband of the brunette concluded that Captain Leo Voegel, of the steamer City he yet loved his blonde wife as well as Charleston Announces that She is again Ready for Business. CHARLESTON, Sept. 3.—The News and left Charleston, and was about twelve of the earthquake at sea. He had just the easiest way ran away with both wo-men. His whereabouts are not known. his new mate, and to settle the matter in the easiest way ran away with both wo-He now has both women and the other man's money as well. The other man is in jail at Carthage for his part in the bargin, and after serving out a term there will go to the workhouse to work out the

away in less than a minute; but, for all waters became perfectly calm until the average of twelve months were swept away in less than a minute; but, for all was again manifest. The wind was upon as the beginning of the serious stage

A GREAT SENSATION.

PARIS, Sept. 2 .- Publication of the cor-Alexander has created a great sensation Russian arsenals on the Black sen. in political circles here. The czar's menacing reply to the prince's submissive epistle is regarded as insuring Alexander's No. 1 sprang to his feet. His eyes exabdication and Russia's occupation of Bulgaria. It is feared war will follow unless Bismarck intercedes.

RUBBIA WANTS WAR.

Lospon, Sept. 2 .- St. Petersburg adsuddenly been ordered that point unquestionably to a decision to make a fresh attempt to secure a Russian outlet on the Mediterranean. The war spirit in on the Mediterranean. military circles runs high, and a feeling in favor of a campaign of conquest in European Turkey is spreading with amazing rapidity.

DEFEATED IN BATTLE.

BERLIN, Sept. 2 .- Private telegrams re ceived here this evening from Sofia state ern Roumelia, between regiments loyal to Prince Alexander and regiments siding with the revolutionists, and that the latter were defeated with heavy losses.

THE BULGARIAN AFFAIR.

Alexander Says he Must Go-Probable Intentions of the Czar.

Soria, Sept. 4 .- Prince Alexander has publicly announced his intention of abdicating. He says he cannot remain in czar. Before leaving he will establish a regency.

Soria, Sept. 4. - Prince Alexander him to officers of the army, in which he the interests of my officers. In any case I rely on the army.

Lospon, Sept. 5 .- The Post's Berlin correspondent says that Emperor William proposed Alexander's telegram to the

ezar as the best means of effecting a reconciliation, and that the czar's reply was therefore a direct blow at the emperor. The correspondent further says the news of Alexander's abdication caused the utmost indignation against Russia among German army officers. Advices from Vienna say the news of Alexander's abdication was received with consternation there, the prince's action being looked

a contract has been made to supply 30,-000 tons of metal plates of twelve inches respondence between the crar and Prince thickness, and with steel facing, for the

THE DEPOSED RULES.

He was too English --- Alexander's Mental Condition.

Losnon, Sept. 7 .- This from the St. James Gazette is the most candid and vices state that military measures have sensible view of the situation in Bulgaria yet taken by any English paper: It is no use pretending that events as they now seem to be shaping themselves are not unfavorable to this country. The correct tone to assume seems to be that it is all Germany's business and Austria's and of course if those powers are satisfied, we do not mind. No amount of this sort of talk will conceal the fact that the defeat of Prince Alexander is ostenta-tionsly asserted in Russia, and believed eisewhere, to be defeat of England. crime was that he was too English. He slighted the czar and took counsel with Lord Salisbury and Rosebury, and for this he is brought to the dust. Our ally is humbled and our implacable enemy is exalted, and we are to accept it all placidly as being a thing of no particular moment to ourselves. It is just as well to clear our minds of cant and confusion and to acknowledge that Russia has succeeded in striking a trenchant blow at this country.

ALEXANDER'S MENTAL CONDITION

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 .- The Herald's Sofia special says Prince Alexander refuses ically prostrated. He has not slept for fifteen days. He lies down, but the ex-citement and strain of the present situation prevent sleep. His features are terribly drawn and pinched. He will take up his residence, after leaving Bulgaria, at Ingenheim, with his father.

OUGHT TO KNOW.

An Arkansas justice of the peace who had just married a couple turned to a week. man and said :

"I don't believe the woman will love,

erve and obey him." "I don't know,,' some one replied, 'she seems to be a very amiable woman." "I don't think she is," the justice replied.

"Why so?"

"Because she used to be my wife."-Arkansaw Travelor.

Pickerili & Catt rlin, photographers.

California Democrats.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3 .- The democratic state convention was called to order to-day. A motion was made to give Bartlett the nomination for governor, by acclamation. This was done and followed by intense excitement. Hats were thrown into the air amid long and loud cheers, and banners and hankerchiefs were waved.

Tarpey was unanimously selected to be candidate for lieutenant-governor.

The convention pominated Adam Herald, of Santa Clara, for state treasurer, W. C. Hendricks, of Butte, for sec-retary of state, John R. Dunn for state controller, and Senator Johnson, of Sonoma, for attorney-general.

A Strike Ended.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6 .- The strike at the Union iron works, which has been in force for the past few months, virtually came to an end this morning by the striking moulders going to work.

California Senate to Adjourn.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 7 .- The senate met at 2 this afternoon, twenty-eight members present. Spencer introduced a protest against the sitting of the legislature, claiming that the session is illegal. The protest was spread on the journal. After the adoption of a resolution, 19 to 9, to adjourn sine die on Wednesday night at 12 o'clock, the senate adjourned

Fire at The Dalles.

THE DALLES, Sept. 7 .- The residence of Samuel Klein took fire this morning to see any one to talk, but I spent half an at 7 o'clock, and the upper story was alhour to-day with Baron Von Reidesel, most destroyed. The lower one was very his adjutant. He says the prince is phys-much damaged. Loss \$2500, insurance \$2100. The cause of the fire is not known. It caught in an upper bedroom while the family were at breakfast.

Rates Reduced.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 7.-There is to be a reduction in rates for east-bound freight of fifty per cent., with a minimum rate of 50 cents per 100 lbs. to Chicago and St. Louis. The reduced rates have been guaranteed up to Saturday of this

BHAIR AND STANFING STORE -- Stamping and hair work done to order cheaper than any hair work done to order cheaper than any place in the state. Handsame pillow shams, all ready stateped, for 50 cents per pair. Rad cotton, fact colors 15 cents for 12 skelns. Hime estion, 20 cents. Embraidery frames from 10 to 25 cents. Timed 20 cents per bail. Tody hold ers, 20 cents. Even hair switches. From 82,25 up. Naturally courts and waves at lowest, prices. The cluster of youth for tan and free's has, only 25 cents per botts. Fun for young max and boys. Metabolic at Market 20 cents witches it cents each. Mirs. Multide Mutphy, Corri-taree, between Libersy and High. 27

is enid to be completely shattered, has been renewed, and until the tongues of gossips have tired themselves out. At the end of twelve months she will return to this country, and will be received once

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sgain into her father's family. This statement was elicited from a bosom friend of Mrs. Schilling, who, furious at the stories of the young woman's elopement, determined to set matters on a clear footing by telling what she knew of The Quake at Sea. WASHINGTON, Sept. 4 .- The Hydro-