

The Daily Astorian.

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SATURDAY.....MAY 6, 1876.

Divers have recovered another sum of \$5,000 gold from the wreck of the Schiller, making an aggregate of \$290,000 saved of the \$300,000 shipped on the vessel.

News from Mexico intimate the dissolution of the government, and its best generals are dissatisfied with the campaign, as it has thus far been a failure. The Minister of War blames the President for meddling with military affairs. Money is scarce and provisions rising.

A. A. Cohn, the old attorney for the Central Pacific Railroad Company, against whom the Company are now waging an infernal war, will be assisted in the management of the suit by Ben F. Butler, of Massachusetts. Butler is expected in July, on a fee of \$20,000, and for that sum will make things lively for that soulless monopoly and band of cheating manipulators in the golden State.

Late advices from Hayti state that although President Dominico has fled from Port au Prince, and Gen. Canal has been invited to assume provisional control of the republic, the revolution cannot be considered at an end. Dominico, during his flight from Port au Prince, while being escorted by the French consul, a son of Mons. Plassier Tierre stepped up to him and said: You shall not escape; for I shall avenge the blood of my father whom you massacred on the 3d of May, 1875, and presenting a revolver, shot him dead on the spot. His body was then thrown out on a dung heap and left unburied for 36 hours.

A correspondent of a New York paper tells of a recent interview with Santa Anna. The oldest of living soldiers is thus described: "He is an old man of eighty years, very decrepit, yet in full command of his faculties; has a good head and face, not unlike Humboldt in old age, with broad temples and an abrupt, square nose, and, at one time good eyes. He had little to say, but over the sofa where Santa Anna sat was the picture of a beautiful woman in her fullness of youth and loveliness. This was his wife when both led the fortunes of Mexico. As we passed out the court our attention was called to the figure of a woman of fifty in the widow opposite, in a plain dress and devoid of any interesting attribute. This was she whose picture had so interested us, Mrs. Gen. Santa Anna."

An interesting debate in the House on Thursday, concerning relief of the country from the threatened scarcity of fractional currency, provoked considerable acrimony. Blain, Kelly and Garfield took earnest part in the discussion. Kelly thought we were getting along well enough. We got some Nevada doctors to physic us by depleting the treasury of a couple of millions of gold every year. What has been said of the first project of this kind now comes to be true, that whenever it was done the people would be without currency; that fools would be made to believe that because it looked white and bright it was valuable; that is was money. It was not silver it was not money according to the standard dollar. Nobody will allege that it is money. It is a token; it is not a legal tender for more than five dollars. It is a token coin, debased so that it is not exportable, and yet it is in danger of being exported. Because it is made of a floating commodity I shall object to any extraordinary legislation on the subject. Our legislation ought to be good for a fortnight at a time. We have submitted the question to Providence, and I am willing to give Providence a month to knock away. By that time it will conclude that we have not a good thing in undertaking to bull the silver market by making fractional change for the people.

Telegraphic News.

Continuation of Press Dispatches

The National Democratic Convention at St. Louis.

The Committee on transportation for the National Democratic Convention has received replies from thirty railroads that they will make half fare rates to all persons in any way connected with the convention. It is expected that all the main roads will acquiesce in the arrangement.

Mrs. C. P. Marsh Steps Down and out.

A summons was sent out on the 4th for Mrs. C. P. Marsh, but the Marshal was unable to find that lady and returned the summons non est.

Progress of Investigations. A Few who were Undergoing Tortures on Thursday.

Dispatches of Thursday speak of Morton, Blair, Roddy & Brooks, Robeson, Davenport, Baring Bros., Jay Cooke, McCulloch & Co., Schenck, Blain, Farwell, Babcock and his father-in-law, Miss Sweet, the public printer, and a host of others, who are undergoing the tortures of Congressional investigation(?) We have not yet heard of any one convicted, and all such dispatches are becoming monotonous in the extreme.

Prof. Elliott opposed to the Annexation of Alaska.

The Senate Committee on territories on the 4th heard arguments from Mitchell, in advocacy of his bill to annex Alaska to Washington Territory as a county. Prof. Elliot, late special agent of the Treasury Department in Alaska was then heard in opposition to the bill, which he condemned as wholly unnecessary.

The Fur Seal Investigation Closed.

The sub-committee on ways and means, investigating the matter of the lease and management of the fur seal Islands on the 4th, further examined Mr. Hutchinson, of the Alaska Commercial Company, and there being no other witnesses proposed by either party to the controversy, closed the testimony. They will at their next meeting, hear argument of counsel relative to the action of the Treasury Department in awarding the lease.

A BOILING LAKE.—The discovery of a boiling lake in the island of Dominica has excited much scientific interest, and investigations of the phenomenon are to be made by geologists. It appears that a company exploring the steep and forest-covered mountains behind the town of Rosseau came upon the boiling lake, about 2,500 feet above the sea level, and two miles in circumference. On the wind clearing away for a moment the clouds of sulphurous steam with which the lake was covered, a mound of water was seen ten feet higher than the general level of the surface, caused by ebullition. The margin of the lake consists of beds of sulphur, and its overflow found exit by a waterfall of great height.

A Chicago inventor proposes to heat cars of all kinds with red hot shot, weighing 100 pounds each, placed in a box under the car, with registers in the floor of the car. Five balls would heat the car for four hours, and the furnaces for heating them could be placed at stations one hundred miles apart. The Iron age suggests that if the inventor would project his hot shot at the cars as they passed along, he could make it warm for the passengers without using as many shot as by the first plan.

Progress of the Line.

OAK POINT, May 5, 1876.

EDITOR ASTORIAN: The telegraph line was completed to this place at 6 o'clock last evening and as soon as the proper instruments arrive the office will be in running order. I think it is the intention to commence work at once on the other side of the river, opposite here, and leave the cable until another piece arrives from San Francisco. Yours truly, A. S. ABERNETHY, Jr.

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