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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Eastern States.

The president put in a veto of the army appropriation bill because of the "riders" with which it was loaded down, particularly the features relating to honest elections. The message of the president shows that he will adhere here throughout to the views that the election laws should stand since they are conducive to fair elections and an impediment only to dishonest voting. The president's denunciation of the method of legislation, attempted by this act, is also vigorous and conclusive. The veto will be sustained; then the row will be "who's responsible for the loss of the appropriation bill"—as before the special session.

A Washington dispatch says: Republicans are delighted with the message, and generally regard that in point of ability and effective presentation of the position which they intend to stand before the country, it has far exceeded their expectations. The democrats insist that the president's argument, denying the necessity of any further legislation to prevent military interference with elections, is not conclusive, but that on the contrary it is evasive of the merits of the main question involved in the pending bill.

Foreign News.

The Corvette Hausa, eight guns, has been ordered to proceed to Valparaiso to protect the interest of German subjects.

An official report of the earthquake at Miareh, Persia, on the 22d of March, says: Twenty-one villages were totally destroyed, and 922 persons killed.

Count Schouvaloff has given positive assurances in regard to the demolition of Danubian fortresses. The demolition of fortifications of Shumla to be completed by the 3d of August.

Captain Hewesch, of the German navy, was appointed consul general at Samoa, partly to push German commercial interests in that quarter of the globe, and partly to establish a coaling station of German steamers as already provided for by special treaties.

A Cape Town dispatch of April 8th says: Col. Pearson and the Ekowe garrison reached Tugela yesterday. Lord Chelmsford and staff are on the way to Debarbon. It is stated that the Zulus now occupy Ekowe, but that King Cetewayo himself has retired beyond the Black Umfolosi river. The rumor that the Boers intend to detain Sir Bartle Frere is unfounded.

Pacific Coast Dispatches.

Thomas McFarland of Vancouver, suicided in San Francisco on the 28th. Cause a prolonged drunk.

San Francisco papers are filled with comments on the defalcations of the late assistant city treasurer Casseboom. Suspended treasurer Humbert says the assurance may be positively given that the defalcation does not exceed \$20,000, and that Mr. Casseboom's bondsmen are amply responsible for the amount. When the time lock opened the vault of the treasury on Tuesday morning, the money on hand was sealed and placed in the interior vaults. The combination was then changed and the keys placed in the hands of the mayor and auditor. Every dollar of the \$70,000 or \$80,000 of moneys embezzled from the Dupont street fund have been traced to Tibbey's bank account at the bank of Belloc Freres. Deposits from time to time correspond in amount with warrants misappropriated; the checks are said to be in possession of Tibbey's attorney, M. M. Estee, and will be submitted to the grand jury.

The Library Magazine for March, just received, will delight all who appreciate the highest class of literature. Think of it, 128 elegantly printed pages, all for 10 cents, or \$1 00 a year! The leading article, "Chapters on Socialism," from the unpublished manuscript of the late John Stuart Mill, is certainly the ablest writing which has recently appeared on this topic. R. A. Proctor's article on "Artificial Somnambulism" will attract both those who are enthusiasts and those who are interested in science. Thomas Hughes gives an entertaining sketch of the once famous but nearly forgotten Wm. Cobbett, Bonamy Price, Professors Blackie, Jebb and Ward supply able articles of special interest to scholars and students of the classics and history. Fraser-Tytler contributes a little poem, "Contentment," that is sure to go the rounds of the press, as will Algernon Black's "Five new anecdotes of Charles Lamb." American Book Exchange, publishers, New York; sold only by them direct.

FACTS AND SCRAPS.

The good man is the only one who can be indifferent to a slander; the bad man must needs chase it, and try to head it off.

The "Sweet By and By" has always been a popular song, but a new one called "The Sweet Rock and Rye" is being sung by more people than ever attended a revival.

A wag, who was also a philosopher, once said that if some men's bodies were no straighter than their minds they would be crooked enough to ride on their own backs.

The best authorities tell us that a healthy man should eat but twice a day. A luncheon at noon is ingratitude toward breakfast and a premeditated insult to the dinner.

It is said of Sir Isaac Newton's nephew, who was a clergyman, that he always refused a marriage fee, saying in a tone of pleasantry, "Go your way, poor children, I have done you mischief enough already without taking your money."

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The table will be supplied at all times with the best the market affords.

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Fish Commissioners Notice.

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Assets, Jan. 1, 1878. \$578,065 85

Liabilities—
Losses unpaid. \$5,638 37
Dividends " 1,957 00 5,595 37
Surplus for Property Holders. \$572,470 47
Losses paid in Oregon in six years. \$114,516 72

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