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Oysters, fish, etc., served to order.  
A first-class billiard room in connection with  
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#### To Consumers:

The West Shore Mills Co., at great ex-  
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plant to the latest known apparatus, and  
are now able to go to the public with a  
system that will be satisfactory in price  
and quality, as can be shown by the fol-  
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Incandescent, all night... \$1.50  
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Or by meter, 1/2 cent per hour.

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Taking freight and passengers for Port Ange-  
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8 S. Haytian Republic

Freight received at Huester's wharf, foot of  
Main street. For further particulars apply at  
the office, corner Third and Main street.

FRAGUSON BROS., Agent.

#### PENNOYER LETS IT GO

#### And the Pilot Bill Will Become Law In Five Days.

#### SENATOR FULTON'S GOOD WORK

#### He Changes the Clause Concerning Com- missioners and Gives the Majority to Clatsop County.

Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 10.—This afternoon  
there was an important development in  
the Hawaiian matter. Tonight the com-  
missioners at the state department which  
lasted until 6 o'clock. In the course of  
the proceedings the commissioners were in-  
formed that arrangements had been made  
for their reception by President Harrison,  
tomorrow. One of the Hawaiians said  
this evening that he hoped to get through  
with the business tomorrow. Probably on  
this latter point, however, he was too  
 sanguine, for it is not considered likely  
that any determination will be reached  
by this government until the representa-  
tives of the deposed queen shall have pre-  
sented their side of the case. This, of  
course, cannot be done before the latter  
part of the week. A published interview  
with Paul Newman, the queen's commis-  
sioner, to the United States, gives the  
representatives of the provisional govern-  
ment much satisfaction.

"It disposes of the sentimental idea of  
the question," said one of them, this  
evening, "of which so much has been  
said by opponents of annexation. Accord-  
ing to Neumann, he hears that an agree-  
ment is prepared in triplicate which the  
queen proposes to sell the islands to the  
United States. We propose to give them  
this country but the end aimed at, is the  
same, and the natives will be exactly in  
the same position, whichever proposition  
is accepted."

#### WILL BE PROSECUTED.

#### All the Auditors of Illinois for Twenty- Two Years Past.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 10.—Acting gov-  
ernor Gill this afternoon ordered the  
prosecution of all state treasurers and  
auditors since the adoption of the constitu-  
tion in 1870, for irregularities in office  
in pocketing interest on public funds,  
misappropriating insurance fees and  
other perquisites which should have been  
turned into the state treasury. Twelve  
ex-ante officials and nearly one hundred  
bondsmen running through a period of  
over twenty years are concerned in the  
proceedings ordered. The acting governor  
in an official communication to Attorney  
General Maloney declared that \$2,000,000  
had been illegally sequestered from the  
public treasury. The officials against  
whom he directs the attorney general to  
commence prosecutions are all republicans  
with one exception.

#### MORE GOLD GONE OUT.

#### Another Enormous Shipment for the Banks of Europe.

New York, Feb. 10.—The gold shipments  
by tomorrow's steamers will aggregate  
\$1,250,000. The original estimate is re-  
duced because one house preferred to  
ship bonds. Orders are already received  
to consign \$5,500,000 next week, provided  
a large sterling loan due on February 15th  
is not renewed. Of this amount at least  
\$2,000,000 will be forwarded on Tuesday  
and the balance on Saturday.

Secretary Foster is now sending bonds  
in order to replenish the gold stock in  
the treasury. Over \$50,000,000 are to be  
issued, starting with fifty millions. The  
plan contemplates the issue of as much  
more as circumstances demand, even up  
to the limit of the entire amount of out-  
standing greenbacks.

#### THE INDIAN TROUBLE.

Edwards, S. D., Feb. 10.—Marshall Ney  
and deputies arrived this morning in  
charge of Fights-With and Too-Too, sur-  
viving Indians implicated in the recent  
trouble on White river, the latter being  
a son of Two-Sticks. Too-Too made a  
desperate attempt to strangle himself  
with a handkerchief at the agency, but  
was discovered in time to save his life.  
The Indians told a reporter this morning  
that they killed the cowboys because the  
Mesquit told them to.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The secretary of  
the Interior has received a telegram from  
Pine Ridge Agency saying: "Young-Man-  
A-Fraid-of-His-Horses and his bucks have  
killed two of the murderers of the cow-  
boys and turned them over to agent  
Brown. These are the last of the mur-  
derers."

#### SAILORS' UNION WAR.

Tacoma, Feb. 10.—The war between the  
union and non-union sailors continues.  
The barkentine J. L. Stanford, from San  
Francisco, which arrived here yesterday,  
to load lumber, was boarded last evening  
by a committee from the Sailors and  
Stewards' Union who informed the non-  
union crew that they must leave the ves-  
sel or they would be thrown overboard.  
The crew waited until morning when on  
account of the threats they left. Captain  
Johnson declares he will get a non-union  
crew to take the vessel to Australia.

#### A GREAT LEGAL BATTLE.

Pittsburg, Feb. 10.—An afternoon paper  
is authority for the statement that the  
commonwealth of Pennsylvania has en-  
tered a legal battle for the possession of  
the immense wealth of the Economite  
Society. Proceedings will at once be in-  
stituted and will be far reaching in all

results. If successful, it will involve the  
absolute surrender of all property of the  
Economite Society, and its confiscation  
by the state. It will be a proceeding in  
echeat, based on established precedent,  
eminent legal authority, and act of the  
assembly forbidding the conduct of so-  
cieties whose principles are at variance  
with public custom, and against the spir-  
it of the constitution.

#### AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

#### Washington Senators and Representatives Have a Busy Day.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Gallinger from  
the select committee appointed by the  
senate to investigate and report to the  
senate the facts in relation to the em-  
ployment for private purposes of armed  
bodies of men or detectives in connection  
with differences between workmen and  
employers, submitted a report to the  
committee today. The report expresses  
the opinion that if firms and corporations  
would discontinue the employment of  
armed men on the occasion of present or  
existing strikes their interests would be  
better subserved. The committee declares  
that the employment of a private armed  
guard at Homestead was necessary, but  
at the same time there seemed to be no  
excuse for the strikers themselves. In con-  
clusion the committee says the investiga-  
tion led it to conclude that the fault did  
not rest wholly on one side and that the  
middle ground seems to be in the direc-  
tion of arbitration. The committee makes  
no recommendations.

In the senate the vote on the house  
bill providing for sundry lighthouses and  
other bills to navigation which passed  
some days ago was on motion of Senator  
Dolph reconsidered and all the amend-  
ments adopted by the senate rejected and  
the bill passed without amendment, just  
as it came from the house.

The calendar was taken up and the senate  
bill amending the act of August 12th,  
1883, in relation to the jurisdiction of its  
circuit court of the United States was  
passed. It provides that any foreign cor-  
poration may be sued in any district  
where it may be found.

In the house after the routine business  
was disposed of it proceeded in committee  
of the whole to consideration of the in-  
valid pension appropriation and recom-  
mended \$165,000,000. It proposed to amend  
the measure so that the amount would  
be reduced to \$166,000,000. This is the  
heaviest appropriation bill that has ever  
been before the American congress. The  
committee on appropriations came to  
the conclusion that there should be some  
amendment and recommended several  
amendments which it thought would in-  
stall reform.

First—Providing for the transfer of the  
pension bureau from the interior depart-  
ment to the war department. It was the  
opinion that the pension bureau could  
not be taken out of politics until it was  
out where political influence did not  
count.

Without closing the general debate, the  
committee rose and the house took a re-  
cess till tomorrow.

#### GETTING HIMSELF READY.

#### Carlisle is Acquainting Himself with the Business of the Treasury.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Carlisle within  
last few days has given much attention  
and study to treasury affairs and is ac-  
quainting himself with the business pend-  
ing in the department which is likely to  
remain over for solution by the next ad-  
ministration. The principal of these ques-  
tions is the recent heavy absorption of  
gold. Some of the treasury officials ad-  
vance the opinion that as the house re-  
fused to repeal the Sherman law, gold  
will cease to be exported, on the theory  
that the gold movement to Europe is  
mainly owing to the influence of legisla-  
tion.

#### SENATORIAL CONTEST.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 10.—The ballot  
for United States senator was as follows:  
Vandevanter, republican, 23; Miller, 16;  
New, 7; others scattering. Speaker Till-  
ball, populist, voted for J. C. Thompson,  
democrat, saying there was no hope of  
electing a populist. Another ballot  
brought Vandevanter's vote down to 19,  
and Thompson's up to 11.

Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 10.—Three ballots  
for United States senator by democrats  
and populists, gave Bosch 29 on one bal-  
lot, and Benton 49; on another ballot the  
highest republican vote was 31 for Miller.  
No result was arrived at.

Olympia, Wash., Feb. 10.—There was no  
change in the vote today for senator.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 10.—In accordance  
with caucus action the most of the re-  
publicans voted for Lee Mantle for sen-  
ator. The result was Clark, 25; Mantle, 27;  
Dixon, 11; Sanders, 3; Couch 1.

#### A TOWN BURNED.

Charleston, Mo., Feb. 10.—Word is re-  
ceived from Dexter, Mo., that the town  
is on fire. One block is already consumed  
and two others are on fire. It is feared  
that all the business part of the town will  
be destroyed.

#### THE FIRST BLOW STRUCK.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 10.—The United  
States treasury at Smith's Falls, Ont.,  
was withdrawn yesterday. This is the  
first serious blow aimed at the privi-  
leges enjoyed by the Canadian Pacific  
Railway.

#### FATAL TRAIN WRECK.

Petokey, Mich., Feb. 10.—The Grand  
Rapids & Indiana passenger train ran  
into a stalled freight train, killing Henry  
Berston and brakeman Whitman and  
badly injuring Conductor Chamberlin.

#### DIXON'S NEXT OPPONENT.

New York, Feb. 10.—Solly Smith the Pa-  
cific Coast populist, will be George Dis-  
on's next adversary. The men are to  
fight at 118 ponds in August or Septem-  
ber, with a \$250 side bet.

#### NO CIGARETTE SMOKING.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—A bill was intro-  
duced and immediately passed in the  
legislature today punishing by fine and im-  
prisonment the smoking of cigars.

#### BAD LUCK FOR THE NIGGERS

#### They Will be Squeezed Whichever Way it Goes.

#### COMMISSIONERS ARE BUSY

#### President Harrison is to Meet Them To- day and Get Their Views on Hawaiian Annexation.

Associated Press.

Salem, Or., Feb. 10.—Campbell's pilot-  
age bill will be law in a few days. It  
passed the house with only one dissent-  
ing vote, and it passed the senate today  
with a single vote against it, with a  
amendment requiring two of the commis-  
sioners to reside in Clatsop county, in-  
stead of one. It went back to the house  
with this amendment, which was con-  
curred in with only 11 dissenting votes. I  
was signed by Speaker Keady and Pres-  
ident Fulton and deposited with Govern-  
or Pennoyer, who will allow it to become  
a law without his signature. It is there-  
fore to become a law in five days, as it  
has an emergency clause.

The World's Fair bill with the govern-  
or's veto message was made a special  
order for next Monday at 1:30 p. m.

The speaker rose to a question of privi-  
lege in regard to certain charges on his  
course in the passage of the house bill  
for the establishment of a jute factory.

The house concurred in the senate  
amendments to the house pilotage bill,  
providing that a majority of the com-  
missioners shall reside in Astoria.

In the house this afternoon, Chandler  
from the committee on assessment and  
taxation, reported back Ford's bill for  
the election of precinct assessors, amend-  
ed by excepting Multnomah, Clatsop, Klar-  
am and Lake counties from its provi-  
sions, without recommendation.

Paxton's substitute for the amendmen-  
t of the committee that the bill apply only  
to counties of less than 7000 popula-  
tion was adopted.

The senate passed the following bill:  
Ford's bill to amend the Code relat-  
ing to the levy of tax for military and uni-  
versity purposes passed.

Paxton's bill for a fish and game com-  
mission passed.

The senate concurrent resolution re-  
questing our senators and representative  
in congress to vote for free coinage of  
silver, was made a special order for Fri-  
day next at 11 p. m.

McEwan's house bill fixing the salary  
of county treasurers, was passed.

In the senate this afternoon, Keady's  
bill for a jute mill at the state prison  
was referred to a special committee.

Woodward moved the reconsideration of  
the vote by which the senate adopted  
memorial for the issuance of \$50,000,000  
fractional currency, legal tender, which  
was carried. The resolution was lost.

Vanderburg introduced a senate con-  
current resolution asking our representa-  
tives in congress to labor to secure  
free coinage of silver; adopted.

Hirsch's bill for the sale of public  
lands was passed.

#### THE WEATHER REPORTS.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 10.—Reports from  
Southern Colorado tell of a continuatio  
of the blockade of railroads by the snow,  
which in many districts is still falling.  
Near Silverton this morning, the snow  
coch was swept over the side of the  
mountain and near Ouray, by a snow  
slide. In Western Colorado the storm is  
the heaviest ever experienced. A slide  
near Breckenridge today, killed two peo-  
ple and injured four others, the snow pile  
on the South Park road being swept  
from the track. Near Crested Butte two  
Italian laborers were lost in a slide.

Stockton, Cal., Feb. 10.—The high wa-  
ter is rapidly receding from the cellar  
of business houses which have been  
flooded, although no great damage has  
been done in the city.

#### AN INTERESTING REPORT.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The report of the  
statistician on the comparative number  
and value of farm animals, based on the  
returns up to January, 1872, are nearly  
ready for publication. It is estimated  
that the number of domestic animals on  
farms and ranches and public ranges, is  
as follows: Horses, 16,295,800; mules, 2,  
31,128; cows, 16,424,196; other cattle, 35,  
51,186; sheep, 47,232,563; swine, 66,694,507.

The average values have advanced as to  
cattle of all kinds and a greater gain is  
to be seen in the value of sheep and a  
very great advance appears in the value  
of swine.

#### THE EVERGREEN STATE.

Olympia, Feb. 10.—The senate today  
endorsed the rhododendron for the state  
and favored the title of "Evergreen  
State." This was done notwithstanding  
the fact that half of the legislators had  
never seen the flower.

The memorial by Hutchinson to keep  
the World's Fair open on Sundays was  
reported favorably.

The memorial to locate a United States  
assay office at Spokane, was referred.

#### HOW IT ORIGINATED.

Dover, N. H., Feb. 10.—Possibly the ori-  
gin of the insane asylum fire may be  
found in the fact that the insane patients  
are habitual users of tobacco and are al-  
lowed to use friction matches which  
each one is allowed to take to their cells  
with which to light their pipes. The  
keeper is of the opinion that the fire  
caught by reason of a defective chimney.

#### ON OTHER CHARGES.

Paris, Feb. 10.—Minister Baillet, Sena-  
tor Borate, ex-Minister, and Deputy An-  
tonin Proust, Deputy Dugue d'Le Fou-

conneri, ex-Deputy Gobone, Charles de  
Lesseps, M. Marius Fontaine, Henry Cot-  
tu, and M. Blonden were arraigned on  
charges of corruption in connection with  
the Panama lottery bill.

#### THE MICHIGAN BREAKING UP.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 10.—The bottom  
has fallen out of the steamer Michigan,  
but the frame is still standing. Chief  
Burt and one of the crew came to Victo-  
ria on the Maude, and say it would be  
easy to save her cargo if worked before  
the steamer breaks up completely.

#### THE REPORT UNTRUE.

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—C. B. Wright of  
this city, emphatically denies the report  
telegraphed from Tacoma, Wash., that  
he had unloaded his interests in the  
Northern Pacific and had joined the  
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy in certain  
enterprises.

#### TELESCOPED A CABOOSE.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 10.—An engine  
on the Lehigh Valley road telescoped a  
caboose of a freight train this afternoon.  
It is reported that seven of the train  
hands were severely injured if not fatally  
hurt.

#### OUR DAILY MARINE COLUMN.

The Helmsies, Moel Tryvan, Star of  
Bengal, Almsdale, and Denmark are on  
their way down the river.

The steamer Potter came down the river  
this morning and took off her ice cutter.  
The captain says that the ice is all gone,  
and that there is only a little drifting  
along the banks.

Among the arrivals in San Fran-  
cisco yesterday was the British ship  
Sierra Cadena, 134 days from Hull, with  
a general cargo. Her captain's report  
shows that the vessel had very heavy  
weather while rounding Cape Horn and  
her decks were swept from stem to stern.  
During the height of the gale a big sea  
struck the vessel, flooding her decks and  
washing a seaman named John Orlida,  
a native of Valparaiso, overboard. No boat  
could live in such a terrible sea and the  
sailor was drowned before his shipmates'  
eyes. Another seaman named William  
Karriston was caught by the sea and  
lashed against the deckhouse, breaking  
his right leg. On the night of February  
10th at 11 o'clock the City of Peking was  
sighted. The disabled steamer was burn-  
ing blue lights and other signals of dis-  
tress. Soon after the Sierra Cadena sighted  
the tug Vigilant and sent her to the  
Peking's assistance.

The steamer Haytian Republic came  
in yesterday at 9:30, and after lying at  
Main street wharf, where she was in-  
spected, proceeded to Portland. She had  
eighty-five Chinamen and several tons of  
miscellaneous freight.

The new lightship steamer Columbine,  
is lying at Main street pier, San Fran-  
cisco, where a force of boiler makers are  
trying to remedy the defects in her tur-  
naces and drafts so that the steamer  
will not burn coal at a ruinous rate. The  
Columbine will go on the dry dock be-  
fore she comes up, and have a new pro-  
peller with greater pitch put on.

Seven blocks of marble weighing from  
fifteen to twenty tons were landed from  
the Italian bark Cavallero Luigi at San  
Francisco, Thursday afternoon. The big  
blocks were lifted by means of a derrick  
and the work of unloading them was wit-  
nessed by a large crowd.

A private dispatch yesterday from Coos  
bay states that the steamer Emily arrived  
safely at Marshfield, Or., yesterday with  
the forty-three ton locomotive for the  
Coos Bay and Coquille City Railroad, and  
that it was run on the tracks at the  
dock. The steamer left San Francisco  
last Wednesday with the locomotive and  
tender, and it was the heaviest piece of  
machinery ever shipped on any steamer  
along this coast. The Emily lost a boat  
at Little River on the up trip. The boat  
which had been lowered for the purpose  
of taking a line to a mooring buoy, was  
crushed between the steamer and the  
dock. The second mate and two sailors,  
who were in the boat, escaped by climb-  
ing up the side of the vessel before the  
crash came.

The steamer Manzanita went out to the  
bar and around the river yesterday, re-  
specting buoys that had drifted.

The British bark Birkdale, 130 tons,  
arrived in yesterday forty-six days out  
from Santa Rosalia, Mexico.

Two non-union crews were shipped at  
San Francisco Thursday by the Shipown-  
er's Office. The steamer Noyo sailed  
for Port Bragg during the afternoon and  
the schooner Sparrow for Eureka. A  
crowd of over one thousand men con-  
gregated on the bulkhead at East and  
Mission streets when the tugs towed the  
schooners out into the stream. Tomor-  
row the schooner J. A. Garfield will have  
a full non-union crew put on board. Sail-  
ors continue scarce and three crews of  
Japanese are booked for the week. Two  
large shipowners, one of whom is under-  
stood to be Sam Blair, have promised to  
give their decision whether or not they  
will the Shipowners' combination to place  
non-union crews on their vessels.

Captain Dooey, of the British bark Bess-  
field, which arrived yesterday morning at  
San Francisco from Liverpool, after an  
excellent passage of 33 days, with a gen-  
eral cargo, reports that when in the South  
Atlantic and just previous to rounding  
the Horn, a fire was discovered in the  
lozereets which damaged a few boxes of  
choice seeds in the cargo. The fire was  
extinguished before it had got much head-  
way and the damage done was trifling.  
How the fire started is not known.

Captain Jensen, of the schooner Ar-  
thur, which arrived in San Francisco  
yesterday morning in ballast from Liver-  
pool, reports that on the afternoon of  
last Friday while running a fire  
in a small boat from the schooner to a  
mooring buoy a small child named the boy  
which contained three men, and Fred  
Peterson, one of the sailors was drowned.  
A heavy swell was on at the time. The  
drowned was a native of Norway, and 27  
years of age. The schooner was com-  
pelled to return in ballast, being unable  
to take in a cargo owing to heavy  
weather.