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WILLIAM GADSBY The Housefurnisher... Parlor Rockers, Dining Chairs, Carpets, Iron Beds. Includes prices and descriptions.

IN A DELIRIUM OF GOLD FEVER Seattle Turned Upside Down by the Great Excitement. ALL CLASSES RUSHING NORTH Men Throwing Up Their Positions and Telegraphing Friends in the East to Join Them in Quest of Gold.

IMPROVEMENT IN BUSINESS OUTLOOK More Activity in Building than any Year Since 1892. MONEY MARKETS UNOCCLUDED Strike will not Last Long—Crops in Prime Condition—Demand for Some Goods Slow but brisk for Others.

DON'T LIKE SHERMAN'S DISPATCH The English Papers Regard it as too Aggressive. A BLOW BELOW THE BELT Best Negotiations are Still in Progress with the Probability that England will Yield.

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GOLD FROM ALASKA Washington, July 16.—Mr. Preston, director of the mint, received a telegram from the superintendent of the San Francisco mint stating that \$500,000 in gold had arrived at that port from Alaska.

BRADSTREET'S New York, July 16.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: The dullest month in the industrial year is duller than usual, notwithstanding the improvement among importers and others.

CONVENTION WILD. Oratory and Contusion Marks the Trans-Mississippi Congress. Salt Lake, Utah, July 15.—Today was a day of excitement, oratory, and at times confusion in the session of the trans-Mississippi congress.

SEASONABLE GOODS Baseball and Tennis Goods, Boxing Gloves, Croquet Sets, Hammocks, Fishing Tackle, Baby Carriages, Children's Wagons, Garden Tools. NEW NOVELS AND MAGAZINES RECEIVED AS SOON AS PUBLISHED. GRIFFIN & REED Special Rates ON DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING AT FRIEDMAN'S. See Our Men's Suits or \$5.00, \$6.50, \$10.00. NOTHING TO EQUAL THEM IN THIS CITY. Remember that Friedman is Cutting Prices AT 600 COMMERCIAL STREET

FRANK BUTLER EXECUTED He Confesses His Guilt of the Murders Charged Against Him. Sydney, N. S. W., July 16.—John Newman, alias Frank Butler, convicted of the murder of Captain Lee Weiler in the Blue mountain district in 1886, was hanged here yesterday.

WHEAT GOING UP. San Francisco, July 16.—The prospects of a short crop in some of the wheat producing centers of the world and the probability of a relaxation upon that of California have advanced the price of that staple very materially the past few days.

PANA MINERS DECIDE A RAISE. Springfield, Ill., July 16.—The miners' wages in the Pana district have been increased by the operators, but they declined, and the men will not return to work.

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INSURANCE RATE WAR Northwestern Preparing to Meet the Cut of the Western Union.

PEORIA MINERS JOIN THE STRIKE. Peoria, Ill., July 16.—The miners of Peoria district have voted to join the strike in consequence several factories will be forced to shut down, throwing out of employment a thousand men.

DECLARED INSANE. Jessie Mansfield's Husband to Be Put in an Asylum.

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