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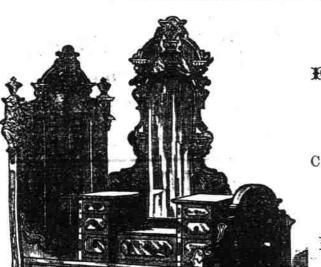
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Noon Dispatches.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

FOREIGN.

Reports of the Czar's Illness Unfounded-A Prominent Man Dead-Herzegovina Not Pacified-The Mexican Government Troops Demoralized-The Egytian-Abyssizian Troubles -London Finances.

London, April 3-The Russian telegraph agency declares that the reports of the Czar's ill health, are unfounded. Rome, April 3 .- Ex-Deputy Lobbea. the attempt to assassinate whom ex-

cited all Italy a few years ago, is dead. Berlin, April 3 .- The negotiations for the pacification of the the Herzegovinians, have fallen through. The powers seriously contemplate armed intervention to maintain the peace of

NEW YORK, April 3 .- A dispatch from Brownsville, of the 2nd, says: "At 5 o'clock this morning, Porferio Diaz presented himself with his army of about 1,000 men, to attack Matamoras. Genl Laborra, in command of the garrison, sent out a force of 300 men under Genl Toledo, to attack the enemy. This force pronounced, when out of the city, and came back in the ranks of Diaz. The National guard, 1,000 strong, were in the city, and the artillery refused to fire a single shot when ordered by de Labarra, and the revolutionists kept advancing. On this, all the government troops turned over except the 9th cavalry, which stood firm. After some fighting Gen de Labarra said he was betrayed on the battle field, and left the city with a squad of the 9th cavalry for Brownsville.

The Generel crossed over finally and is now here. The United States gunboat Rio Bravo is in front of Matamoras, to protect the American and foreign citizens. Diaz is in Matamoras, and has been received with great re-

At the present writing, fighting is going on at Forts San Fernando and Casa Matu, a fortification in the suburbs of Matamoras, by a remnant of son this morning. Several blows were the government, troops under command of Cols Cristo and Parrott, who refuse to surrender. The artillery is roaring and the return is uncertain. Hundreds of families from Matamoras have been pouring into this city for a week past, in anticipation of a battle, and the greatest excitement prevails on both sides of the river. The officers and troops who crossed over to Texas, have been arrested and disarmed by Gen Potter and have taken Fort Brown under orders of the Secretary of War.

WASHINGTON, April 3-The Navy Department has advices that the Insurgents under Gen Diaz took possession of Matamoras with little opposition. General Labarra with about twenty men escaped to Brownsville. Captain Johnson, commanding the steamer Rio Bravo, can see no prospect of the Mexican Government retaking Matamoras for some time, as its troops in that vicinity have either squandered or joined the insurgents.

LONDON, April 3 .- A Times special from Alexandria says the King of Aby. sinnia has sent envoys to Egypt asking for peace, but afterward made impossible demands for a treaty of commerce before the treaty of peace was signed and for the payment of war expenditures. The Egyptians are fortifying in strong positions commanding the passes. They will garrison these and withdraw the remainder of their troops during the rainy season. This suggested that neutral territory will be formed to prevent future collisions between Abyssinia and Egypt. It is reported that Prince Tigre has revolted, and is marching on Adawa, the capital of the State of Tigre. Many persons favor the idea of placing the late King Theodore's son on the throne of Abyssinia, under guarantees.

London, April 3 .- It is the general opinion on the Stock Exchange, that the bank rate will be lowered on or before Thursday next.

The Times thinks the report that the government intends to abandon the title of Empress, is too good to be

WASHINGTON.

Another Currency Bill Under Discussion-Bright Favors the Currency Plank in the Pennsylvania Platfrom -Petition to Investigate Packard-The Workings of the Committees.

WASHINGTON, April 3 .- A special to the Times says that a renewed effort Democrats and Republicans, to pass some kind of a currency bill. Chittensubject was canvassed.

about a million less than last year.

platform on the financial question. In the Senate, Morton introduced a Several petitions were presented asking apri

the United States to vete in the several States, etc. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Certain parties have asked the Chairman of the Committee on Expenditures in the Judiciary Department, to investigate Marshal Packard's office, and has furnished a list of witnesses. The Committee has taken no formal action, but probably will do so. It is thought by some a device to get Packard out of the State during the meeting of the Republican State Con-

The Committee on Civil Service continue the examination of Purman, of Florida. It appears that he was offered \$1,000 per year for a Collectorship, but demanded \$3,000 down, and the arrangement fell through.

Lyons is before the Foreign Committee in the Schenck case. 'He has great troubles with his dates.

The Privileges and Elections Committee did not hang. Gen. Morgan has virtually closed, and the defense begins on Wednesday.

House.-The regular call is progressing. The impeachment proceedings have not commenced.

Mid-Night Dispatches.

WEATEER PROBABILITIES!

WASHINGTON, April 3. For the South Atlantic States, falling followed by rising barometer, warmer southeast winds, partly cloudy and clearing weather will prevail.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

A White Man Kills a Negro.

[Special Dispatch to the Observer.] Branchville, S. C., April 3 .- An al tercation occurred this evening, at Sixty-Six Turnout on the South Carolina Railroad, near this place, between J W Meadows, white, and Rufus Johnson, colored, which resulted in the death of the latter. It seems that Johnson had a difficulty with Meadows' passed and Meadows came down to this place to procure a warrant for the arrest of Johnson for assault and battery. When he returned to his home at Sixty-Six, he found Johnson there. Harsh words were used, afterwards blows, when Meadows went in his house and in a few minutes afterwards re-appeared with a shot gun, the contents of which he emptied into the head of Johnson, entirely blowing his brains out.

WASHINGTON.

The President Receiving-Various Items of News and Gossip-Congressional Proceedings-The Impeachment Trial Progressing, &c.,

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.-The President received visitors to-day. Marsh was before the Grand Jury today in the Belknap case.

The Real Estate Pool Committee had their powers increased to investigate the misconduct of affairs of the government and the members of a present Congress in any respect.

The Senate Railroad Committee ananimously approved the bill appropriating \$150,000 for a survey under the auspices of the War Department of the Austin and Topolovampo Pacific | I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A

Gen. Meigs has resumed his duties as Quartermaster General.

The State Department has advices that England will not surrender Winslow except upon guarantee that he shall only be tried for the offense set forth in the extradition papers.

In the Emma Mine case, Lyons said that Stewart and Park were present when the question about satisfying the English stockholders why no ore was taken out of the mine arose. Stewart said they could represent that they could not be prosecuted during the winter, and there was money enough to pay dividends for seven months. Park intended to sell out on the strength of that.

SENATE.-The chair laid before the Senate, a communication from the Chief Engineer Corps, in regard to the trouble and unnecessary delay of boats passing through the Louisville and Portland canal, and recommending certain legislation; referred to the Committee on Commerce. There were

many petitions against change of tariff. Hamlin gave notice that he would on Wednesday call up the postage bill ALL THE ABOVE FIRST CLASS for third class matter. Merrimon presented resolutions of the Wilmington, will be made by a combination of N.C., Chamber of Commerce, recommending the organization of a Signal Service with a separate corps. The den and Willis, of New York, have Committee on Claims reported adtaken the matter in hand, and on Fri- versely on the petition of the stockday night gave a dinner at which the holders of the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad, for compensation for the use The River and Harbor Appropria of their road by the United States dur- Crackers, Cakes, Nic Nacs, fresh Candies bill amending the 2d, 4th and 5th sec- and cheap at the Bright, of Tennessee, intends, if he tions of the enforcement act. Morton can be recognized to-day, to propose a said the object of the bill was to resolution committing the Democratic amend the act to enforce the 15th party to the Pennsylvania Democratic amendment, so as to bring it within the decision of the Supreme Court.

bill to amend certain sections of the liberal appropriation for Signal Service. act to enforce the rights of citizens of Thurman's bill for an uniform system of bankruptcy, passed. Its features have already been telegraphed. Explaining it Thurman said that the object of this bill was to put an end to the discord which had grown out of the decisions which had made the bankrupt law one thing in one district and another thing in another District. Gordon reported a bill from the Military Committee, authorizing the Secretary of War to open and read the settlement just made with the Western and Atlantic Railroad Company, of Georgia; calendar. Executive session.

Adjourned. House.-Impeachment articles were adopted and the managers appointed without debate and the Clerk ordered to inform the Senate.

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