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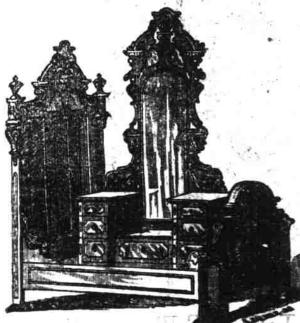
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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

Judge Whitaker to be Investigated-Negroes to go Free to Brazil-The District of Columbia Bill Slain-An-

passports to negroes who wish to go to Brazil, passed.

The Finance committee discussed matters and by permission of the Sen-ate will hold a meeting this evening, when definite action is expected.

The Texas Pacific Railroad committee of the House discussed the transfer of the lands of the backbone road to the New Orleans Pacific, but without action. Considerable opposition to the measure is outcropping:

NIGHT DISPATCHES. In the House the bill providing a form of government for the District of Columbia was considered for some time, and finally recommitted to the committee on the district.

The House then went into the committee of the Whole on the postoffice appropriation bill, but without action took a recess.

An evening session is being held for the consideration of the pension bill.

In official quarters and at the clubs the feeling is equally despondent.

postmaster at Americus, Ga.

The District of Columbia bill was This morning's news from St Petersfor members of the council.

SENATE—The committee on Rail-

FINE ASSORTMENT OF CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, JUST ARRIVED. roads reported in favor of extending the time for the Northern Pacific Railroad, with the same modifications as to its sale of lands.

The bill to incorporate the National Pacific Railroad and Telegraph Company was taken up. Conkling submitted an amendment providing that the road should not have the right of way through any Indian land. Agreed to. The bill was then read a third time and passed, 39 to 19.

"WHITE-SOULED ELIZABETH."

She Confesses Her Adultery with Henry Ward Beecher, and Henry Ward Acquits Her Magnanimously.

New York, April 16 —The following etter from Mrs Tilton appeared in this morning's papers : Mr John B Wheeler:

MY DEAR SIR : A few weeke since, after long months of mental auguish, I told, as you know, a few friends whom I had bitterly deceived, that the charge brought by my husband of adultery between myself and the Rev Hen-ry Ward Beecher was true, and that the lie I had lived so well the last four years had become intolerable to me. That statement I solemnly re-affirm and leave the truth with God, to whom also I commit myself, my children and all who must suffer. I know full well the explanations that will be sought by many for this acknowledgment—a desire to return to my husband, insanity, malice, everything save the true and only one—my quickened conscience and the sense of what is due to the cause of truth and justice. During posed to subordinate her own relations to Russia to a regard for the wishes of all the complications of these years you have been my confidential friend, and therefore I address this letter to you, authorizing and requesting you to ests."

secure its publication.

ELIZABETH R TILTON. Brooklyn, April 13, 1878. Beecher writes to the New York Tribune confronting Elizabeth's confession with an absolute denial. The to war. letter closes with this: "I declare her to be innocent of the great transgres-

The Troubles Between the English Masters and Mill-Operatives.

London, April 16.—The Preston Guardian says it is reported that the strike of the cotton operatives would stop 57,500,000 spindles in one district and 1,500,000 in another. The London Times says the feeling of both masters and men is becoming stronger. A meeting of masters at Burnley, held last night, resolved to co-operate in enforcing the reduction of the operatives' wages. The card room hands at Blackburn, yesterday, after hearing the re-port of the deputation which interviewed the masters, unanimously resolved to resist the reduction. The weavers' association advise that the masters be requested to withdraw the notices of a reduction, when the weavers would continue work.

Mexican Intelligence.

HAVANA, April 16 .- The ship, City of Mirrada has arrived with news from the City of Mexico, dated April 7. The Congress had assembled. Diaz's message gives an encouraging view of home and foreign relations. With respect to the United States of America. of the pending questions of which Congress is already informed, have not been settled. He makes no further allusions to American affairs. Minister Foster had arrived, and everybody was expecting speedy recognition.

Switzerland and the United States—International Congress.

BERNE, April 16.-Switzerland has accepted the proposal of the United sponsibility and there was nothing in States to participate in an international congress to fix the relative values of gold and silver.

A Picture Frame House Burned.

CINCINNATI, April 16.—The large picture frame establishment of A J Nurre, Broad street, near Eighth, has been burned; loss, \$70,000; insured.

EUROPEAN TROUBLES.

Suleinan on Trial-Russians Occupied Shumla-Germany Holding Back-An Impression in St Petersburg that War is Inevitable The Outlook Generally Rather Less Peaceful-Parliament Adjourned Until May.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 15.—The trial of Sulieman Pasha has commenced. His condemnation is regarded as ex-

tremely probable.

London, April 16.—The Russians have occupied Shumlas

The Times' St Petersburg correspondent says the English and Russian cabinets have had an amicable semi-official interchange of views. Both, however, while expressing peaceful intentions, adhere to the positions which threaten war.

The Times' Berlin special says preparations are making in Russia for the organization of a general levy. Passports will only be issued to persons over 46 years of age.

The Vienna correspondent of the Times says according to Berlin advices Germany will only really attempt pacific intervention when all is prepared on both sides so as to insure almost certain success. The first step in the direction of mediation seems to have been obtaining some authority to un-dertake the task, and all these preliminary difficulties seem to be overcome. Those in position to know seem to

meeting of the congress.

The absence of news regarding the crisis depressed the stock markets yesterday, and prices oscilated violently on comparatively light transactions.

the consideration of the pension bill.

No nominations to-day.

Confirmations: Reynolds, of Alabama, first auditor of the treasury; Miss Sweet, pension agent at Chicago; Pay-Director Geo Cotton, chief of the Bureau of Provisions, and Clothing and Paymaster-General of the navy; Bell, postmester at Americus Ga. cerning the negotiations.

defeated, 94 to 127, the objectionable | burg is not calculated to increase conause being the property qualification | fidence. The fact that the cabinets of London and St Petersburg resorted to 1 semi-official intercourse seems to indicate that official expression would only have intensified their differences. The result of the interchange of views | C H E A P D R E S S G O O D S is not hopeful, Russia substantially repeating her former answer and England re-affirming the point originally laid down by her.

The reports of an Austro-Russian agreement under pressure from Prince Bismarck on the former, is denied by Count Andrassy's friends, who declare that Prince Bismarck's attitude, as between Austria and Russia, has been one of entire neutrality, he well understanding that Austria urged the minimum, not the maximum, of her objections against the treaty of San Stefano, and that hope for a margin for mediation is exceedingly narrow.

All reports about Russia having sent a reply to Austria's objections are contradicted from the same source. In other circles in Vienna it is stated that the Emperor and military party are stronger than Count Andrassy, and will not support his anti Russian policy. Among large classes of Austrians the belief is said to prevail that Austria has nothing substantial to gain by either peace or war, because Hungary would resist the annexation of the Slav countries, but that action would be forced on the monarchy if the Russians attempt to disarm or occupy Roumania.

Prince Bismarck's reported auswer to M Bratiano, the Roumanian prime minister, is confirmed by a statement in yesterday's Nord Deutsche Zietung, of Berlin, which was as follows: "M to Russia to a regard for the wishes of Roumania in the Bessarabia question, which does not touch German inter-

Pro-Russian advices from Constantinople says the situation is strained to the utmost. Grand Duke Nicholas is much depressed and the impression prevails that affairs are surely drifting

A special to the Times from Vienna says: "News has reached here that Grand Duke Nicholas returns to St Petersburg and Gen Todleben goes to San Stefano to assume chief command. This is considered a conciliatory step."

In the Commons this afternoon Sir Stafford Northcote, chancellor of the

exchequer, replying to an inquiry said:
"The situation is an anxious one, but nothing has occurred to aggravate it or to diminish the hope of a satisfactory arrangement. Nothing justifies the assertion that England will be isolate A circular is expected from Turkey

to the powers. There is a good prospect of an arrangement in Thessaley and Epirus through the good offices of England. In the Commons, Sir Stafford North-

cote moved an adjournment of the two houses at their rising to-day until the 6th of May. Sir Wilfrid Lawson, Radical member for Cordile, criticised the step in view of the serious crisis. Mr Henry Fawcett, (Liberal) member for Hockney, moved an amendment providing for an adjournment to the 29th inst. Sir Stafford Northcote deprecated this proceeding, which he said would alarm the world. The Right Hon W E Fostersupported Sir Stafford Northcote's motion and said that if he and his colleagues thought the government were pursuing a warlike policy they would have acted otherwise. Fawcett's amendment was rejected by yeas

10, nays 168, and the motion for adjournment until May 6th, was adopted.
In the Lords, Lord Salisbury, foreign secretary, stated that Count Von Beust, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, represented to-day that persons of authority in Austria, especially officers, were pained at Lord Derby's recent observations respecting that country. Lord Salisbury said Lord Derby's observations were made on his own reservations were made on his own re-

Brown Bread,

Three cups of brown flour, two cups of corn meal, one cup of molasses, one cup of sweet milk, two teaspoons Dooley's Yeast Powder mixed with the flour and meal dry. Steam four hours, and dry in the oven.

Continuation of the Crashes.

G W Bassett & Co, crockery dealers and importers of New York, have sus-

R L Legget, a whole grocer of New York, has failed. Hamilton, Rowe Co, Chicago jewel-

ers, have failed, The Emigrants' Savings Bank, Boston, has been enjoined from doing business. The bank owes its depositors two millions.

The Cocheco Prints and Print Cloth Manufacturing Company, of Dover, N H, has concluded to stop work for an indefinite period.

All Redeeming Circulation in Gold.

DESMOINES, IOWA, April 16.—The Iowa National Bank is redeeming its circulation in gold. A special from Grumall says the First National Bank of that place is redeeming in gold. The Citizens' Bank, of this place, has or-dered gold from New York with which to redeem its circulation.

A Bad State of Affairs.

So many outrages on women and little girls have been committed of late, in Washington city, by brutal ruffians, white and colored, that general uneasiness prevails. The Critic says: "The people are wondering what it all means, and it is getting so now that women are afraid to go out on the streets alone, and mothers are filled with fears that some shocking affair of this fears that some shocking affair of this kind will be perpetrated on their defenceless little daughters." have much more confidence in the

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