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FIRST EDITION

OBITUARY.

General Melchior Damas. General Melchior Damas died recently near Bordeaux, France, at the age of sixty-nine.

Hon. John McLeod Murphy. A prominent citizen of New York City, died on Thursday morning.

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FROM CALIFORNIA.

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San Francisco, June 2.—The schooner Mary L. Taylor arrived to-day from Sitka, consigned to the United States Marshal, her captain having been arrested, charged with engaging in contraband trade.

The vessel owners claim that she was engaged in legitimate trade, establishing a port on the main land of Alaska, north of Sitka, and outside the limits of the territory within which General Miller, ex-Collector of Customs of this city, and his associates, hold a monopoly for seal killing and trade under a concession from Government officers.

The owners also assert that the United States authorities are being made use of to break up all opposition to Hutchinson, Kohler & Co., and to ruin every person endeavoring to do business in the Territory of Alaska. They will carry the case to Washington.

MILWAUKEE MARKETS. MILWAUKEE, June 2.—Wheat steady. No. 1, \$1.29 1/2; No. 2, \$1.27 1/2. Receipts, \$1,000. Good and shipments, 116,000. Freight—sail, 5 1/2 c; steam, 9 1/2 c.

THE WEATHER. The Detailed Meteorological Report for To-day.

The following is the meteorological report of the Signal Bureau of the War Department for this morning, all the observations being taken at 7 1/2 A. M. The barometrical reports are uncorrected for temperature and elevation. The velocity of the wind is given in miles per hour, and the force is an approximate reduction to the Beaufort scale.

Table with columns: Place of Observation, Baromet. Hgt., Therm. in shade, Direction of Wind, Force of Wind, State of Weather.

FROM EUROPE. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Exclusively to The Evening Telegraph.

Paris, June 2.—Evening.—The newspapers Tri-color and Politique have been suppressed.

The Search for Concealed Arms continues to be vigorously prosecuted, and many are found, and in my judgment is the best settlement possible of outstanding differences between the United States and Great Britain.

A strict watch is kept on the right bank of the Seine, and sentinels arrest all passers at night. Ferry has ordered a reinstatement of teachers in schools. The gendarmes are to be formed into a corps of 6000. A Republican guard of twelve thousand men will also be formed. It is proposed to construct forts within the walls of Paris to prevent the possibility of a renewal of the insurrection.

Bourbon Prospects. VERSAILLES, June 2.—It is said a majority of the Assembly favors the proposition for the abrogation of the laws for the banishment of the Princes of the House of Bourbon from France, and also the proposal to extend the power of Thiers as Chief Executive for two years.

Resumption of Travel. The railroad between this city and Paris has resumed trips, and is already doing an immense passenger traffic.

Business in Paris is rapidly recovering. A Steamship Disabled. LONDON, June 2.—The steamship Elba, bound to the West Indies and Aspinwall, has returned to Southampton disabled. The passengers and mails were transferred to another vessel, which has sailed for Aspinwall.

Marshal MacMahon to the Troops. PARIS, June 2.—An order of the day just issued by Marshal MacMahon to the soldiers of his army praises the courage and devotion by which they have delivered Paris out of the hands of wretches who intended to reduce it to ashes, and says the Assembly is about to give them the warmest recompense by unanimously voting that they have deserved well of the country.

The Streets of Paris have been reopened to traffic. The barricades have all disappeared, the pavements repaired, and perfect order everywhere prevails.

Tea Courts-Martial are established at Cherbourg for the trial of all prisoners sent there by the Provost Marshal. The latter service is carried on at the Theatre Chatelet, in this city, where a summary investigation is held prior to the trial by the Military Court.

This Morning's Quotations. LONDON, June 2.—10 A. M.—Consols for money, 91 1/2; and for account, 91 1/4. American securities quiet and steady. 1867, 99 1/2; 1868, 99 1/2; 1869, 99 1/2; 1870, 99 1/2. Paris, June 2.—In the house, rates are quoted at 57, 100.

The Pith of the Thing is the avoidance of war. It was a dangerous question to be held open. Our fisheries were always a trouble and an annoyance. The fishermen of the East, who fish on the Canadian coast, have but little respect for treaties or engagements. They are rough fellows, hardy and self-reliant, and are a law unto themselves. They insist on going where they like, and doing what they like (of course they find opposition), and too often, whether they are right or wrong, they are sure to have supporters in many quarters. Indeed, public sympathy is always with our fishermen, no matter what they do. This backing up of our own people under all circumstances shows a lively patriotic spirit, but it has its evils. We are forced to send men-of-war to the Canadian coasts to protect these men from the consequences of their own acts. The English must send armed ships to watch the doings of ours, and so the relations between the United States and Great Britain, which ought and I now believe will be of the friendliest nature, are constantly disturbed by anticipation of strife. This fishery affair was not the worst difficulty we had to meet, but was very embarrassing. Now I hope the whole affair will be settled. There were so many questions between the United States and England demanding settlement that it was deemed the only alternative. It is well that war has been avoided. I prefer the treaty to war. War would be hurtful to both nations, and profitable to neither. It might ruin one. Relative to the stories recently set afloat about Cabinet Changes, the President said there is not a word of truth in these statements, whatever they are. Not a whisper of Mr. Fish's retirement has lately passed me or any of the Cabinet.

Mr. Fish will not Leave the Cabinet, or resign the seals of the State Department, with my consent, while I am President. He came unwillingly to my call, and entered upon the arduous duties of the Foreign Office with diffidence. He has discharged them well. He should be faithful, patriotic, and diligent, and I should be grieved if he resigned, but he won't resign now.

Chicago Flour and Wheat Market. Special Dispatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Chicago, June 2.—11 A. M.—Wheat dull; \$1.04 1/2; seller July; \$1.03 1/2; seller June; \$1.03 1/2; seller July.

Flour, 100 lbs., \$2.00; 50 lbs., \$1.00; 25 lbs., \$0.50; 10 lbs., \$0.20; 5 lbs., \$0.10; 2 lbs., \$0.05; 1 lb., \$0.025.

Wheat, 100 lbs., \$1.00; 50 lbs., \$0.50; 25 lbs., \$0.25; 10 lbs., \$0.10; 5 lbs., \$0.05; 2 lbs., \$0.025; 1 lb., \$0.0125.

Corn, 100 lbs., \$0.50; 50 lbs., \$0.25; 25 lbs., \$0.125; 10 lbs., \$0.05; 5 lbs., \$0.025; 2 lbs., \$0.0125; 1 lb., \$0.00625.

Barley, 100 lbs., \$0.40; 50 lbs., \$0.20; 25 lbs., \$0.10; 10 lbs., \$0.05; 5 lbs., \$0.025; 2 lbs., \$0.0125; 1 lb., \$0.00625.

Oats, 100 lbs., \$0.30; 50 lbs., \$0.15; 25 lbs., \$0.075; 10 lbs., \$0.0375; 5 lbs., \$0.01875; 2 lbs., \$0.009375; 1 lb., \$0.0046875.

Rye, 100 lbs., \$0.45; 50 lbs., \$0.225; 25 lbs., \$0.1125; 10 lbs., \$0.05625; 5 lbs., \$0.028125; 2 lbs., \$0.0140625; 1 lb., \$0.00703125.

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MATTERS AT WASHINGTON.

Important Army Order. The Mace-Coburn Affair.

Refusal to Surrender Stakes. Railroadings in the West.

Later from Europe. Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

FROM THE WEST. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Exclusively to The Evening Telegraph.

Chicago, June 2.—The Executive Committee of the Plymouth, Kanabek, and Pacific Railroad Company closed a contract yesterday with Hawkins, Hillard & Co., of Chicago, for grading, bridging, and furnishing ties for 55 1/2 miles east of the east end of their road, extending from Plymouth, Ind., to within ten miles of the Illinois State line. This ten miles General Cass, of Pittsburg, Pa., has agreed to build, and will be on the ground next week to arrange for the work. In some cases the entire road-bed will be completed and ties delivered ready for laying. The iron work will commence at once, and be pushed as fast as men and money can do it. Over 70 miles of this road are already graded and much of the masonry done. A heavy force is at work on the west end, in Putnam and Bureau counties.

FROM WASHINGTON. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Exclusively to The Evening Telegraph.

Washington, June 2.—Secretary Fish, who left here last night for New York, will return next week.

An Army Order has been issued that \$50 for each breech-loading rifle musket, and six cents for each metallic cartridge, will be charged against the pay of any enlisted man who shall lose them through carelessness, or dispose of the same.

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Two Boys Drowned. NEW YORK, June 2.—Two boys of ten years, named Conner and Mosher, were drowned last evening in a dyke on Buck Bay lands.

The Mace-Coburn Affair. NEW YORK, June 2.—Harry Hill declines to give up the stakes in the Mace-Coburn fight until he gets the decision of some competent authority, such as Bell's Life.

FROM EUROPE. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Exclusively to The Evening Telegraph.

LONDON, June 2.—3 P. M. The Railway Lines between Paris and Havre have resumed operations.

The Prussians have evacuated Les Audelys and entered the Department of the Eure.

Latest Quotations. LIVERPOOL, June 2.—3 P. M.—Cotton closed firm. Sales 150,000 bales, of which 6000 were for speculation and export. Middling uplands, 7 1/2 c; middling Orleans, 8 1/2 c; cotton at sea, nearly due from New Orleans, 8 1/2 c.

FRANKFORT, June 2.—Five-twenty bonds closed at 98 1/2 @ 99 1/2.

New York Produce Market. NEW YORK, June 2.—Cotton firm; sales 2000 bales, middling uplands, 18 1/2 c; middling Orleans, 19 1/2 c. Flour quiet and steady, and market without change; sales 9000 bushels. Wheat quiet and steady; spring, \$1.48 1/2; winter red and amber Western, \$1.45 1/2; Michigan, \$1.45 1/2. Corn—easy; sales 17,000 bushels Ohio at 62 1/2 c; new, 61 1/2 c; prime, 61 1/2 c; 1870, 61 1/2 c; 1871, 61 1/2 c. Lard dull, declining, and heavy; steam rendered, 22 1/2 c; kettle, 18 1/2 c. Whisky quiet and steady at 92 1/2 c.

New York Money and Stock Market. NEW YORK, June 2.—Stocks steady. Money easy 3 per cent. Gold, 112. 5-20, 100, coupons, 111 1/2; do, 1864, op, 111 1/2; do, 1865, op, 111 1/2; do, 1866, op, 111 1/2; do, 1867, op, 111 1/2; do, 1868, op, 111 1/2; do, 1869, op, 111 1/2; do, 1870, op, 111 1/2; do, 1871, op, 111 1/2.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE. Grand Jury Presentment. Court of Quarter Sessions—Judge Pinckney.

The Grand Jury for the May term, having completed its duties, returned a presentment to the court. They acted upon 37 bills, of which 203 were returned as true bills and 94 were ignored. They viewed the public institutions without forwarding of their coming and found the general management of them good. They complain especially of the exorbitant fees charged by public officers, and suggest that the court take steps to correct the evil. His Honor said the court had no power in the matter, but that the citizen had his remedy by civil suit, or to prosecute the offending functionaries for misdemeanor in office. Thanking the gentlemen for their services, the Court discharged them from further attendance.

Regrets. James H. Heyvert, Esq., who has acted as Assistant District Attorney during Colonel Decker's term at Harrisburg, retires from the Commonwealth's side of the bar to-day to resume his private practice. Colonel Decker has returned to fill his post as assistant prosecuting officer. While the bar will be glad to welcome the smiling Colonel back to his own post, yet there is a general feeling of regret at losing Mr. Heyvert, who by his fair, candid, and exceedingly gentlemanly bearing in the unpleasant position he held, has strongly cemented the friendship existing between him and his brother-lawyers.

The republic of Mexico has 8,885,972 inhabitants. Norfolk lady has a copy of the Bible which was printed in 1612.

A Louisville man has left England with 2500 sparrows for that city.

Terre Haute lady of twenty-nine is living with her fourth husband.

The wailer is a most irresistible person; he carries everything before him.

A joint convention of female suffragists is to be held at Long Beach in August.

A negro has just been elected on the Democratic ticket at an Indiana city election.

The New Jersey watering places are reported to be rapidly filling up—with nuisances.

Nearly one-half of the depositors of the Boston Savings Bank are girls and women.

The books in the library belonging to the British Museum occupy twelve miles of shelving.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Evening Telegraph Office, Saturday, June 2, 1871.

There is a lively demand for brokers' loans on collaterals; but beyond this the market is entirely devoid of any feature possessing the least interest to the public. Time loans are everywhere in most favor, as the indications point towards a quiet market and a very low scale of rates for money during the next three months; but there is very little demand here for this class of loans, and lenders appear disposed to accept the situation until the tide turns. We quote call loans at 3 1/2 per cent. on collaterals and 5 1/2 per cent. on paper having three or four months to run.

Gold is quiet and steady at 112 1/2 @ 113, closing at the latter.

Government bonds are dull but steady at a slight advance.

Stocks were dull but prices lower. Sales of City 6s at 100 and Lehigh Gold Loan at 93.

Reading Railroad was weak, with sales at 53 1/2 @ 53 3/4. Pennsylvania sold at 61 1/2 for the allotment; Norristown at 85, and Oil Creek and Allegheny at 82 1/2 @ 83.

Canal shares were quiet. Sales of Lehigh at 38 1/2. A few shares of Second and Third Streets Railway sold at 61 1/2.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES. Reported by De Haven & Co., No. 49 S. Third Street.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY RAILROAD, No. 40 South Third Street, Philadelphia, reports the following gold quotations as follows: U. S. 6s of 1861, 117 1/2 @ 117 3/4; U. S. 6s of 1862, 117 1/2 @ 117 3/4; U. S. 6s of 1863, 117 1/2 @ 117 3/4; U. S. 6s of 1864, 117 1/2 @ 117 3/4; U. S. 6s of 1865, 11