Relations Between the United States and France---Official Correspondence.

[Paris (January 29) Correspondence London Daily News.] The official Yellow Book, containing the diplomatic correspondence of the French government with Foreign Powers, was laid on the table at the Corps Legislatif to-day.
The despatches exchanged between France and the United States, on the subject of Mexico, are in conformity with the declara-tions made in the Emperor's speech at the opening of the session, and in the expose of he condition of the empire.

The condition of the empire.

Drouyn de Lhuys to the Marquis de Montholon.

A despatch from M. Drouyn de Lhuys to the Marquis de Montholon, dated January 9, replying to a communication from Mr. Seward, dated December 16, after announcing that this reply had been submitted to the Emperor, expresses the con-

"The divergence of views between the two Cabinets is the result of an erroneous appreciation of the intentions of France."

M. Drouyn de Lhuys proceeds to state that France seeks the realization of no am-

bitious ideas, and says:
"Now that there is a regular government in Mexico, the legitimate object of our expedition will be attained. We are endeavoring, while satisfying our interests and our dignity, to make arrangements which will enable us to consider the mission of our army in Mexico as terminated."

"We return to the principle of non-in-tervention, and from the moment we accept it as our rule of conduct, our interest and honor require us to demand its equal application by all. Relying upon the equitable spirit of the Washington Cabinet, we expect from it the assurance that the American people will conform to the law of non-intervention, which they invoke, by main-taining a strict neutrality with regard to Mexico. When you shall have informed me of the resolution of the American Go-vernment in this matter, I shall be in a position to acquaint you with the result of our negotiations with the Emperor Maximilian

for the return of our troops."

M. Drouyn de Lhuys to Mr. Bigelow. Paris. January 15.—You did me the honor to communicate last November a letter addressed to Mr. Seward by the Attorney General of the United States, on the subject of decrees issued by the Emperor Maximilian, concerning immigration and coloniza-tion in Mexico. That document was a criticism on the acts of the Mexican govern-ment in its internal administration, and in that character I could only receive it as in-formation. That is what I carefully told you declining at the same time any explanations on measures with which my government had nothing whatever to do. In now acknowledging, therefore, in pursuance of your desire, the receipt of your letter of November 22, I feel it necessary to put upon record the verbal answer which I then gave to it. Accept, &c.,

DROUVE DE LHUYS. Mr. Bigelow to M. Drouyn de Lhuys. Paris, January 16.—I have had the honor of receiving your excellency's communication dated the 15th inst. relative to certain decrees recently promulgated in Mexico.
Your excellency refuses any explanation
on the subject of the inadmissible passages
in one of these decrees to which I had the honor of calling your attention by a note of November 22d last, and the reason you give is that it relates to measures of internal administration, with which the Government of the Emperor Napoleon III has nothing to do. Although the line which separates the responsibility of the imperial govern-ment from that of the political organization hich it has planted in Mexico is traced distinctly enough, I am confident that my government will learn with satisfaction that France, which was one of the first powers to hold up slavery to the execration of humanity, repudiates any responsibility on the aubject of the attempt (made nevertheless under the protection of its flag) to revive that institution in the country which has stigmatized and abolished it. I take the opportunity, &c., JOHN BIGELOW. M. Drouyn de Lhuys to the Marquis De Montholon, Minister of France at Wash

PARIS, Jan. 25.—The United States Minis-PARIS, Jan. 25.—The United States Minister desired that I should acknowledge in writing the communication he made me of the Attorney General's letter to Mr. Seward. I have, therefore, acknowledged the receipt of it. I might easily have discussed Mr. Bigelow's reply, but did not think it necessary. I have merely noticed two points in verbal explanations with him. I told Mr. Bigelow that I could not accept his expression "planned" as applicable to the part played by the French Government in Mexico. He well knows the reasons which led us to interfere, and also that the Mexican people themselves have chosen their new institutions. I also told him that inasmuch as I had declined any discussion with him as to the acts of the Emperor Maximilian, he was not justified in attri-buting to me the expression of any opinion on the subject. I added that if he wished, however, to know my opinion, I did not think the measures of the Emperor Maxi-milian so severely incriminated had the character or object attributed to them. I think it right to let you know how this in-

cident terminated. Receive, &c.
DROUYN DE LHUYS. M. Drouyn de Lhuys to the Marquis de Montholen.

PARIS, Jan. 25.—The American journals PARIS, Jan. 25.—The American journals bring extracts of diplomatic publications in which conversations which I had with Mr. Bigelow are related. Our observations bore especially upon the decrees of the Mexican government relative to the admission of negroes as colonists and the Iturbide family. I have not before me the official text of the American documents, and it is taxt of the American documents, and it is therefore under the reservation of the ulterior reflections which they may suggest that I deem it expedient to define the sense of the explanations to which the questions I have just mentioned have given rise be-tween Mr. Bigelow and myself. These explanations are besides stated in the despatch which I had the honor to address to you on the 29th of November last, and I shall confine myself, in my reference thereto, to reviewing that part of the despatch relative

When the United States Minister came to acquaint me with the opinions of the Washington cabinet, I had to state that I declined all official controversy upon the acts of a foreign government, acting with full independence, and that I could only receive as simple information any communications he might wish to make on the subject.

It would not become us, in fact, to accept the responsibility for resolutions emanating from the free initiate of the Mexican govern ment. To admit such a discussion would justify its being said, contrary to all our declarations and the attitude we have rigor-ously observed that we consider ourselves invested in Mexico with sovereign rights.

Now, the support we afford to the

Emperor Maximilian and the Mexican

nation is precisely intended to aid them to constitute according to their wishes, an independent power responsible for its acts. This observation very clearly established, I observed to Mr. Bigelow in the course of ordinary conversation that the measures pointed out by him were of a purely administrative order, and did not appear to me to constitute any of those exptional derogations from general principles which may sometimes perhaps autho-lize a government to intervene in the inte-

rior affairs of a neighboring country. Every State regulates, as it thinks fit, the admission of emigrants upon its territory, whether black or white, and the conditions of the black or white, and the conditions of the colonization of its soil. It is evident that these conditions offered to strangers, only apply to the persons who have freely accepted them. So also the Mexican government has only exercised a right incontestably belonging to it in declaring that in its eyes civil war no longer existed on its territory, and, ceasing to recognize in wandering bands the character of belligerents, it has promulgated against them the severe penalties which against them the severe penalties which have been applied in every country for the suppression of brigandage. Still less, in my opinion, can it be questioned respecting an act assigning in the State a particular rank to a particular family. In any case the effect of these measures did not go beyond the Mexican frontiers; and did not therefore appear to me to constitute any grievance of which a foreign government could complain If, however, an opposite opinion should be entertained at Washington, I can understand that some uncertainty might be fell as to the means of causing the reclamations it might be thought proper to draw up, to reach the right quarter. But, definitely, be-cause it does not suit the Federal government to recognize the de facto government of the Emperor Maximilian as existing by right; and as, upon the other hand, it would seem to be ridiculous to address itself to the power it considers as legal, but which has in fact disappeared, I could not admit as a consequence that there was ground for finding fault with us to escape embarrassment, and for demanding at our hands explanations of acts emanating from the sovereign authority of a foreign government. Receive, &c., DROUYN DE LHUYS.

CITY BULLETIN.

THE WATER DEPARTMENT .- The Chief Engineer of the Water Department sent his annual report to City Councils yesterday.

The total amount of water supplied during 1865 was 11,050,569,184 gallons, or 1,743,561,305 greater than in 1864. The 30inch main laid in Poplar street has enabled the Department to furnish an additional amount of about 2,000,000 of gallons per day to the district lying north of it. The day to the district lying north of it. combined pumping capacity of all the works is 36,000,000 gallons per day, while the average supplied in June, July and August was greater. During the past year 9,005 feet of water pipe was laid in the Eirst District; 8,283 in the Second, 15,658 feet in the Third, and 15,390 in the Fourth District, being a total of 46,994 feet, or 88 miles. Of the whole number of feet, 28,458 was six inches in diameter. The total pipe laid in the city amouts to 372 miles. The cost of pipe, labor, &c., was \$2 11½ per foot.

The entire receipts during the year for rents, amounted to \$562,454 64, and the expenditures exclusive of appropriations for

penditures, exclusive of appropriations for the extension of the works, to \$284,268 63. The total amount expended during the year from the loan for extending the works was \$183,074 95. PHILADELPHIA, AND BALTIMORE CEN-TRAL RAILROAD .- The annual report of this Company shows that the receipts of the past year amounted to \$138,444 98, and the expenses, including about \$10,000 for new cars and about \$10,000 for the use of cars and engines of previous years were \$116,-190 51, leaving \$22,254 47 as the earnings. This balance, as well as \$17,500 received from the State of Maryland, and also \$41,418 99, the surplus earnings of previous years, have been expended in extending the road from Oxford to the Rising Sun, in Maryland, a distance of about 8 miles. The work of extending was commenced in 1864.

and is now about completed and ready for use. The Directors propose to extend the road to the Susquehanna and beyond, so as to carry out the original design as fast as they can obtain the means to do so. Much will depend, however, upon the co-operation of the stockholders and bondholders, as well as of the people on the line of the road. The road has been operated the last year with great regularity, and entire freedom from accident, and much credit is due to Mr. Henry Wood, the Superintendent, and

his subordinates. THE CITY PASSENGER RAILWAYS,-The following is a statement of the amount of taxes paid and the number of cars run by each passenger railway company in the

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١	Second and Third, -	1,800	60
Ì	Spruce and Pine, -	420	14
1	Ridge Avenue, '	480	16
١	Green and Coates, -	900	30
١	Fairmount and Arch,	420	14
١	Fourte and Eighth, -	660	39
ļ	Hestonville,	480	16
١	Chestnut and Walnut,	1,000	22
Ì	Seventeenth & Nineteen	ith, 420	14
	Thirteenth & Fifteenth,	480	16
	Girard Avenue,	360	12
i	Lombard and South, -	450	15
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HELD TO ANSWER .- Dr. H. K. Eaton Charles H. Moore and B. Wilcock, charged with conspiracy to defraud Charles Yerkes and other brokers in the sale of oil stock, had a further hearing before Recorder Eneu yesterday afternoon. There was no additional testimony, and the detendants were held in \$2,500 bail to answer at Court.

THE NEW COURT HOUSE.—The contract for the erection of the new Court House buildings on Sixth street, below Chestnut, was yesterday awarded to Jacob Colliday, for \$32,936. Seven bids were received by the Committee on City Property. Mr. Geo. S. Bethel is the architect.

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF.-Last evening a man named Thomas Graham smashed a large show case valued at \$50, at the establishment of W. W. Long, on south Third street. He was arrested and after a hearing before Ald. Tittermary was sent to prison. MURDOCH'S READINGS .- Mr. S. K. Mur-

doch's Press Club Reading takes place on the 22d, at Assembly Buildings. His subject will be mainly patriotic, as becomes Washington's Birthday. CAMDEN SKATING PARK.-We call attention to the advertisement of the Camden

Skating Park. There will be a grand time there to-morrow evening. THE LITTLE WANDERER'S HOME.-We have received two dollars from P. M. E. G.

for this institution. "Annetto" sends us two dollars for the same object. TWO HUNDRED DOZEN HEAVY LINEN

NAPKINS, at \$2 75 per dozen, a great bargain; also, few more pelces \$4 Bleached Table Damask, at \$1 00 together with a fresh lot of wide Hand Loom Dice Partern Table Linen, at \$1 00 per yard; just received and for sale by J. C. STRAWBRIDGE & CO., N. W. corner Eighth and Market streets

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by Dealers, as it always gives satisfaction to their cus-

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J. Isaacs, M. D., Professor of the Eye and Ear, treats all diseases apportaining to the above members with the atmost success. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the city can be seen at his office, No. 519 Pine street. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has had no secrets in his practice, Artificial eyes inserted. No charge made for examination.

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For Coughs, Colds and Affections of the Lungs.

This excellent preparation afforos speedy relief in all cases of a pulmonary character. Put up in bottles at some cents. Harris & Oliver, Drugglist, S. E. corner Chestant; and Tenth streets. The trade supplied at

ETIQUETTE AT THE WHITE HOUSE.-"Evening dress" is not required at the White House.

"Evening dress" is not required at the White House receptions. Sack coats and calico dresses are not bars to admission. But the wearers are expected to wear sacks and calicees of the right kind. Any style of coat is allowable at Presidential receptions, provided the coat itself is gotten up in the right kind of style. Those made at the Brown Stone Clething Hail of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 & 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth, are held in the highest esteem, and their wearers are always among the most distinguished-looking personages at Presidential receptions. PURE LIBERTY WHITE LEAD,-Orders

THE FINEST CARAMELS and Roasted Almonds are those manufactured by E. G. Whitman & Co., 313 Chestnut street. Dealers supplied.

MESSRS. J. C. STRAWBRIDGE & Co., Northwest corner of Eighth and Market street, an nounce that they have just opened two cases of the celebrated Hugenot Sheetings, ten and eleven quarters wide; also, Waltham; Pepperli and Utica Sheetings in all their different widths. Their stock of wide Sheetings is the most complete in the city, and the extremely moderate prices at which they are selling them cannot fall to recommended them to prudent purchasers.

INCOMPARABLE GUM DROPS-Ever solnble, and deliciously flavored. Manufactured only by STEPHEN F. WHITMAN, No. 1210 Market street.

HOPKINS' HOOP SKIRTS are the best nade, and his assortment is complete. No. 623 Arch A SHELL AND A SELL -During the fes-

A SHELL AND A SELL.—During the festivities of Christmas a large cake of very rich appear ance was sent by some unknown person to General de Mantcuffel. Prussian Governor of Schleawig. The gift was received with great pleasure by the Governor's iamily, and one evening it was placed on the table with no little ceremony. But on cutting it, the tempting is side was found to be merely a shell, containing numerous copies of journals prohibited in Schleswig by order of the General. This was a bad sell on the General. The only "selling" that W. W. Alter does is in the coal line, and there is no "sell" in the price or quality of his black damonds. His offices are at 30 N. Ninth street and at Sixth and Spring Garden streets.

SILVED PLATED WARE—Potented.

SILVER PLATED WARE.—Patented, August, 1865.—An air-tight Ice Pitcher. The trade furnished with plated ware of all descriptions.

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233 South Fifth street, Phila. ROASTED ALMONDS.—The finest Roasted

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Almonds manufactured,
Are those prepared by
STEPHEN F. WHITMAN,
No. 1216 Market street.

New Jersey Matters.

THE NEW RAILROAD.—The new railroad which is to be constructed from the junction of the Raritan and Delaware Bay road, with that of the Camden and Atlantic to Pennsgrove on the Delaware river, a charter for which has just been passed by the New Jersey Legislature, will be commenced at an early day in the spring. The citizens along the line appear to be highly delighted with the caterories and are liberally subwith the enterprise, and are liberally sub-scribing to it. It is estimated that it will cost about \$16,000 per mile to construct it, and the distance is some thirty-five miles. which will make the sum of \$560,000, exclusive of rolling stock. It will cost when put in complete running and working order, including depots, side tracks, and other necessary accommodations, about one million of dollars. The advantages, how-ever, which will be derived from the road to the agricultural interests of the country will be incalculable.

daring thief entered the office of H. Genet Taylor, M. D., on Market street, and stole therefrom several articles of clothing of value, and other things, jewelry, &c. The robber made a successful escape, although he effected the larceny in open day, during the temporary absence of the doctor. These robberies have again become so frequent and daring that the inhabitants should be on their guard against the villains. A few nights since the residence of the Rev. Mr. Michelon, on Broad street, was also entered by boring out a panel in a back door, and coats, hats and books piled up ready to be carried away, but the thieves became frightened and had to decamp without their booty.

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS.—The present indebtedness of the City of Camden is \$207,000, and notwithstanding the enormous rate of taxation, this amount is increasing from year to year at a fearful rate. proposition to purchase the Camden water works will add \$800,000 more to this debt, making it over a half million of dollars. It will require the wisest and most economical municipal legislation to cause a reduction of this indebtedness, for the income of the city does not at present pay more than the interest on the debt and the necessary expenditures.

CARRIED AWAY.—A night or two since a new pier recently erected below the Kaighn's Point Ferry wharves was carried away by the heavy masses of ice that floated down the river.

THE CHESTNUT.—"Henry Dunbar" will be presented this evening and at the matinee and the night performance to-morrow. It will then be withdrawn to give place to "The Ice Witch." This spectacular drama has been for months in preparation and every possible expense has been lavished on the scenery and appointments. CLARKE'S BENEFIT .- At the Walnut to-

night, for his benefit, Mr. J. S. Clarke appears in "The School of Reform" and "P. His Tyke and Buckskin are two of his very best parts. The closing piece will be "Jonathan Bradford." Of course there will be a huge house.

MRS. WALLER'S BENEFIT .- At the Arch this evening Mrs. Waller appears in "Hamlet" and "Guy Mannering." Her Hamlet and Meg Merrilies are two of her finest characters, as much superior to her Naomi as can be imagined. Indeed, we scarcely know a rival for Mrs. Waller in her own line, and our most discriminating play-goers will echo the sentiment.

WALLETT'S BENEFIT.—At the American this evening Wm. F. Wallett takes his THE SHAKSPEREAN CARNIVAL takes

place at Concert Hall on the 26th. It will be a grand affair. GROVER'S GERMAN OPERA opens at the Academy of Music on the 26th. THE PEAK FAMILY are still at Assembly

Signor Blitz's soirces at Assembly Building maintain all their customary opularity.

popularity.

"SAM."—This comedy, which made so great a hit upon its production in New York, where it enjoyed an uninterrupted popularity of something more than one hundred nights, to which the life of a new drama is limited on the American stage, let it be born "as sound of wind and limb" as it be born "as sound of wind and limb" as may be, is about to be given in our city. On Monday next Mr. Chanfrau, who is Sam and Sam who is Mr. Chanfrau, under the guardianship of his inventor, discoverer or improver, Thomas De Walden, will appear here. These gentlemen will be accompanied by Miss Logan and Mr. Parsloe, and, with the excellent stock company at the Arch, will form as happy a combination of artistic attraction as has ever been offered in Philaattraction as has ever been offered in Phila- last night to adopt measures to secure the

delphia to sustain a new piece. We have. Montana trade, claiming five of the best heard very comical things of Mr. De Walden's work. One of the New York papers pronounced it "gay and lively—even farelcal;" another offered its opinion that it was "dull enough to be called slow;" a third journal averred "it was highly original;" another declared "every portion of it to be stolen." Here was an et its characterization, then a derision of it individuality. Under all circumstances we think that the public opinion of it was the best. It may not be "gay and lively," or "highly original," or "full of individuality," but it drew largely for more than a hundred

THE GERMANIA ORCHESTRA WILL give their usual publicrehearsal to-morrow after-noon, with the following programme:

OUR MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

Clinics of the Philadelphia Hospital

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 14, 1866.-In our brief notice, necessarily so for want of space, in our review of the clinic of Saturday last, illustrating the Laryngoscope, we said nothing of the manipulation of the instrument. One other, very interesting, on its history and use was delivered, early last December, pending a clinic of Dr. J. L Ladlow, none of whose lectures we have reported, his term having expired before we commenced our series. The lecturer was

Dr. Ephraim Cutter, of Woburn, Mass. We give his own words in speaking of the art of Laryngoscopy.

"You will at first find," said Dr. Cutter, addressing the pupils, "great inconveniences 'arising from the inability of the patient to keep his tongue protruded, and of allowing the laryngeal mirror to remain onietly in the pharynx. This may be overquietly in the pharynx. This may be overcome by having the patient apply his finger, or some other smooth body, to the posterior portion of the throat occasionally during the wenty-four hours. In a little while the palate becomes accusomed to the feeling, and will allow any smooth substance to re main within without causing spasmodic attemptsatremoval. The observer should be seated directly in front of the patient, with the artificial light at the patient's side, and level with the eye. Now seize hold of the patient's tongue gently, but firmly, with the thumb and fingers, covered by a nap-kin, and having placed the small laryngeal mirror in position, that is, in the fauces, with the posterior portion of the mirror resting on the uvula, at an angle varying according to circumstances, endeavor to throw a disk of light from the reflected mirror, which is placed in front of the paient at a distance of about twelve inches ipon the laryngeal mirror, and you will hove reflected the vocal chords and all the surrounding parts. The small mirror should be warmed a very little before being placed in the mouth, to prevent the con-densation on its surface of the moisture in he breath.'

Laryngoscopy, it will be seen, is a very delicate operation. We will now proceed with the clinics of the week.

MEDICAL CLINIC, ALFRED STILLE, M.

MEDICAL CLINIC, ABFRED SILLE, M.
The first case presented by the lecturer,
was one of Thrombus in the Saphena
v-in. Thrombus is defined by Dr. Robley
lunglinson, in his admirable "Dictionary of Medical Science," as "a small, hard, round, bluish tumor, formed by the effusion of blood in the vicinity of a vein which has been opened in the operation of blood-letting." The saphena is one of the letting." The saphens is one of the veins of the leg, which, of course, had never been touched by a lancet. Dr. Stille took occasion to speak on the new theory, as regards phlebitis, which is defined as "the inflammation of the interior lining of a vein," of the entire absence of such inflammation. He said that no such thing really exists—that thrombus was most probably the result of obstructions in the viens, by which means a "clot" was formed, producing the disease. The man exhibited had been suffering from severe pleuro-pneumonia, and possibly some matter that had arisen in the pleura or lungs had been carried through the veins, and resulted been carried through the veins, and resulted in the thickening of the blood-vessels. The vein, in all these cases, becomes hardened, and resembles a cord. All that could be done for the patient was the application of

gentle stimulating liniments and anodyne pplications. The lecturer next spoke of a case of heart disease, which had been shown to the class some time previous, the subject of which had died the day before. He exhibited the heart, spleen and liver of the subject, showing the abnormal conditions of the everal organs. The immediate cause of the man's death was drinking immoderately of ice-water, which obstructed the circulation. giving a sudden shock to the system, para-lyzing the action of the heart, and resulting in death. The heart was very much larger than in a normal state, exhibiting clots in both of its sides. The semi-lunar valves showed marked signs of disease in formations of a soft, warty growth of recent date. The spleen was immensely enlarged, as was also the liver. The heart, too, was encumbered with fatty deposits. All of these or-

gans had an unusual and unnatural pallor. differing greatly from their usual high color in a healthy condition. SURGICAL CLINIC, R. J. LEVIS, M. D .-In this Department two very interesting or erations were performed. The first one was one of cancerous formation in the groin, was one of cancerous formation in the groin, extensively involving the lymphatic glands. The tumour was nearly as large as a man's fist, and was removed with very little loss of blood, the arteries being tied up as the operation proceeded. Some of the glands were very much enlarged from disease, and, were very much enarged from disease, and, several were removed in close proximity to the femoral artery. The operation was conducted while the patient was under the influence of anæsthesia, induced by ether, and was very successfully performed.

The second case was one of amputation of the band obeyether weight into the protection.

the hand above the wrist joint. The patient was laboring under Epithelial cancer of that member in its posterior portion. The subject was considerably advanced in years, ansesthesia was endeavored to be produced by the use of the nitrous oxide gas, but he could not be made to inhale it properly, and ether was substituted with the desired result. This was also a success. The patient, who suffered amputation of the leg at the knee-joint some days before

was now introduced to the classes, for the purpose of observing the healing progress. He was doing well, with the prospect of an early recovery.
This concluded the morning's business

The patient operated upon last week, for ligature of auxiliary artery, is in a fair way of recovery.

From the Pacific.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Advices from Honolulu to the 27th ult, have been re-The United States war ship Lancaster was

still there. Her officers were being extensively feted by the authorities.

The Victoria Chronicle announces the total loss of the American bark Mustang on January 21st. She left San Francisco on the 14th.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The steamers

America and Nicaragua have arrived, bringing passengers, &c., from New York.
The Moses Taylor, of the San Francisco line, has sailed for San Juan.
A despatch from Portland, Oregon, says

the steamer Pacific had sailed for this port with \$1,40,000 in treasure. Navigation is not yet open between the Dallas and Unadilla. The merchants of this city held a meeting

Montana trade, carling nye of the best routes from this side.

Mining stocks are again stronger. Ophir, \$245; Chollar Potosi, \$303; Yellow Jacket, \$380; Alpha, \$255; Hale and Norcross, \$985. Crown Point, \$900; Gould and Curry, \$1,060; Imperial, 43½; Legal Tenders, 722.

The ship William Tell, reported lost some time since heaptively gone to pieces. Mining stocks have improved. Savage, \$965; Gould & Curry, \$1,060; Imperial, \$112; Chollar Potosi, \$288; Alpha, \$250; Crown Point, \$900; Yellow Jacket, \$365; Hall &

Norcross, \$970; Legal Tenders, \$72½.

From Fortress Monroe.
FORTRESS MONROE, Feb. 14.—The Norfolk and Portsmouth Ferry was yesterday turned and Fortsmouth Ferry was yesterday turned over to its ow: ers by Brevet Colonel A. P. Blunt, A. Q. M., with the proviso that all Government work, such as the carrying of freight, officers, &c., between the two places is to be done free of charge. This ferry has been in Government hands since the evacuation of Norfolk and her hear a source cuation of Norfolk, and has been a source of great expense, the receipts falling short of the necessary expenditures.

The two ferry boats have been kept in good repair by the Government, and the entire ferry is in better running order than when first taken, some three and a half years

The steamer Lady Lang, for a long time past under Government charter, has been discharged from the service, and proceeds o New York to-morrow.

The steamer G. O. Pierce is now the only to Nev chartered steamer in this Department, and will, in a few days, be discharged from the

The propeller of the rebel ram Merrimac was weighed at the Norfolk Navy Yard yes-terday. It consisted of two flanges and barrels, and netted nineteen thousand four hundred and eighty pounds.
The tug Brandt sailed last night for Wilmington, N. C.

The schooner J. H. Cator, of Norfolk, was wrecked last Saturday on Hatters, and the captain and all her crew, eight in number, were lost. The schooner was sent to that vicinity for the purpose of saving cotton from the steamer Richmond, wrecked there, it will be remembered, some weeks

THE Indianapolis, Ind., Herald says: The winter is, so far, favorable to the country We do not think the wheat is injured much Stock is doing finely—much better than last winter. The roads favor the hauling of wood to market and logs to the sawmills, and labor is abundant for the accomplishment of whatever is desirable in the farmer's line. We think lumber and labor, and pos sibly produce, will be lower next year than this, unless a foreign market shall be opened to us.

A shipment of arms to Vera Cruz, for pri vate use, has been permitted by the Trea sury Department.

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