

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST

Eastern States.

New York, May 17.—James H. Taylor, attorney for the Atlanta and Chattanooga Railroad, blew out his brains on Sunday. He left a note in which he stated that he committed the act under apprehensions of approaching insanity.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Wormerth's fur store was robbed of 350 Hooded Bay sables.

New York, May 20.—The Russian Commissioners now on a tour of inspection were received at the City Hall to-day, and were also entertained by Judge Ingersoll, Minister to Russia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The population of the 37 States last November, according to returns from the revenue districts, made to the Census Bureau, was 34,100,255; including the Territories, 34,505,882.

New York, May 20.—Frank B. Fisher committed suicide at a bank at noon to-day. Heavy losses were the cause. He was about visiting California.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The Grand Jury reported the Tombs and several station houses to be in a disgraceful and filthy condition.

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New York, May 20.—Booth's diary has been published. It occupies less than half a column of the Tribune. It is dated April 13, 14, and 21. It is unimportant, and there is no reason to suppose there has been any of it suppressed.

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tion of the Reform questi understood by our read the medium of the telegr can find no feature in debates of sufficient impo produce in these columns. the annual budget laid be ment by Disraeli are at ha sent a more favorable coe ver. The wonderful increa lish revenue, notwithstanding reductions in imposts, was strikingly exhibited than ent budget. Verily, th Country for a nation that to her enemies in this Colo the wane," possesses a gr vitality. The Spectator st Disraeli's estimate for year was as follows:—

Table with columns for REVENUE, Interest on Loans, Income Tax, Excise, &c.

—showing an estimated £1,206,000. Of this Mr Disraeli proposes to apply £750,000 reduction of Debt, which will, of course, the first item in lation of expenditure by and to devote further £210 reduction of the duty on surance, which will, we s adopted, reduce the estimat of the stamp duties by th leave it £9,340,000 instead 000, and make the total r year £69,180,000, instea 346,000. Mr Disraeli pr 346,000 to guard against con Last year Mr Gladstone's fig as follows:

Table with columns for REVENUE FOR FINANCIAL YE, MR GLADSTONE'S ESTIMATE, Customs, Excise, &c.

—showing a gain of actual over Estimates of £2,42 which, as it will be seen, is in the Customs, and th part of the remainder in th —the latter duty, says Mr R for East Norfolk, to the n the good crop of barley of before last, not, of course, year's very wretched crop. raeli did not give the deta actual expenditure, but he e estimated by Mr Gladstone (the supplementary charges) 081,000, and was actually o 780,000, showing an additi on expenditure of £251, s scandal has been exposed lishment. Sir J. Pakington h appears, promoted Lieutenan son of the Earl of Hardwick Commander over the head s 350 senior officers, some of w all events, must be more co Mr Hanbury Tracy wished t to know why. Sir John Pa in reply, admitted the char fessed he had promoted Li Yorke simply because he father's son, but pleaded an that Whig First Lords had b as bad, the Duke of Somerse in the same way promoted so James Graham, Sir Charles W the Earl of Munster. Sir J. P evidently thought that two b make a white, proverbs notwi ing, but Mr Gladstone was posed to see the Navy turned aristocratic preserve, and in that he should support a futu for papers on the subject. S tail of the tremendous earthd Miltonyone have been received dion. It occurred at 6 p.m. 6th March, when a doubl was felt, which flung down a ment whole blocks of soil