SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

Paris, Sept 7—The new Republican Government seems to count much on moral and material support of the United States, their old ally. Its organs, particularly labor organs call on Jules Favre to address himself for aid to the Government at Washington.

Daily conflicts are occurring between the military and people.

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The Prussian plan of attack on Paris is an advance by Marnes and Fontainebleau to Versailles, while the army now advancing pushes on to St Denis. This latter force will be also be advanced by the also be also be advanced by the also be also

pushes on to St Denis. This latter force will make an attack on Montmartre, but the attack will be on the other side. The enemy will occupy Versailles and advance by road to Mendon, and thence by Fort Dessay to the beights of Claremont where they will throw up earthworks and plant batteries against Fort Dessay and open fire on Paris.

London, Sept 8—Parts of Lorraine, now in the hands of the Prussiane, and all of Alsace will probably be demanded from France as indemnity by Prussia. The western border will begin at Esche, on the border of Luxembourg, fianking the river Messelle ten miles from the west bank, crossing that stream at Courdy, half-way between Metz and Pont-a-Mousson, then following the course of the Moselle and Meuse, and then from the east bank of the latter to invest from the east bank of the latter to invest Dupon. The south-western frontier will consist of the present boundary of the department of the upper and lower Rhine— Haut and Bas Rhine. This district comprises Alsace, Saarbrucken, Saargaenimes, Metz, Thionville, Chalone, &c.

Bazaine is still negotiating for the surrender of Metz.

The Emperor is at Withellsole, near Cassel.

Paris, Sept 8—Rumors pravail here that peace proposals have been laid before the King of Prussians under Gen Morning have occupied Rheims.

A Berlia correspondent says all thought of admitting negotiation or intervention is

admitting negotiation or intervention is abandoned for the present at least.

The official journal of the Republic to-day prints a letter from Minister Washburne declaring himself authorised to recognise the French Republic and offering the congratulations of the American Government and people, who hear with enthusiasm of the formation of a republic without bloodshed, and offer every sympathy with the great movement so big with results and happy for France and mankind. The letter concludes by recalling the traditional friendship be-

tween the two countries with congratulations on the choice of Fayre as Foreign Minister.

Count Palikao is at Larna.

Berlin, Sept 8—King entered Rheims on

Monday.

Paris, Sept 8—The following official address have been made public: Dispatches from the Prefect of Aisne to Minister Gampetta, dated London Sept 7th says, flags of truce proceeding from the 3d Corps de Armee from Rethel, Chatteaux, Porciean and Rheims, have just been conducted to the citadel and admitted to Gen Canby. The summons was in the name of the King of Prussis who left Rethel this morning. Advance garde of the corps should now be in the neighborhood of Soissons. The reconnoitering party which was driven back yesterday belonged to this corps.

The Minister of the Interor has issued the following circular to the Perfects of Depart.

advance guard of this corps has summoned Laon to surrender, which shuts its gates and resists. The Gards Mobile are asking to be led to Paris. Many battalians are now on the march thither. Signed GAMBETTA. Rumors are abundant. One declars that

Washburne has gone as envoy to the Prus-sian King. Another says Prussia offers peace on the payment of five (thousand?) million france which has been guaranteed by

LONDON: Sept 8-The reported proclamation of an Italian Republic is false.

Pagis, Sept 8—The death of McMahon is not confirmed.

The official j urnals have stories of horrible quelties committed by the advancing women on the roadsides. Terrible reprisals are demanded by the Government of

LONDON, Sept 8-A dispatch from the correspondent at Brassels Thursday says French maranders are reported on the frontier. Troops bave been sent

to meet them.

McMabon arrived to-day.

The following report of a declaration by the French Foreign Minister comes through private sources from a correspondent whose position warrante the facts and who gurrantees the accuracy of the statement: Jules Favre has been appointed as quasi-official delegate to the Republican Convention in Marrid, which has invited Prim to become President of the Spanish Republic. Favre realized that the Government of France with replied that the Government of Prance with not at this moment make any movement to encourage Republican Government in Spain, and would even prefer that it should not be declared. The reason which obliges this refusal is that Republicanism so spread would alarm and territy Russis, and Imperial negotiations now pending between the Provisional Government and Russia for an alliance offensive and defensive against Prussia, should the latter prove too exacting as to the terms of peace, [would be endangered.] Should this alliance take place, and it is on the point of realization, thesis marches straight on Berrealization, pussia marches straight on Berlin. She has already begun to arm and send troops to her western frontier. It you ask what can tempt Russia, Russia answers that the military strength which Prussia has now directed against France will sooner or later be turned against Russia with a view of acquiring all the German Provinces of that

Page, Sept 9—Minister Washburn was serenaded last night by a crowd of citizens and soldiers. He responded in a speech.

Along the Bonlevards last night shouls of Vive le United States I and Vive le Inde-Pendence were heard continually, Bralin, Sept 8-After a protracted con-

By Clectric Telegraph. German Confederation Perfiament it has been decided that Alsace and Lorraine are to be annexed to Germany and not to Prussia

individually.

London, Sept 9—An action is reported in the Department of Metz.

It is authoritatively denied that the Corps

Legislatif is in favor of peace.

New York, Sept 9—A London dispatch says notes of a decided character have been addressed to Berlin on the subject of peace by the Cabinets of St Petersburg and London don. It is said that Queen Victoria has ap-Pans, Sept 9—An official decree has

been issued convoking the electoral colonies on the 6th of October next to choose a national constitutional assembly, agreeable to the law of March 15th, 1849.

Garibaldi has offered his services to the Louison, Sept 9—It is confirmed that the

ship Captain has been lost off Cape Finisterre with 500 lives.

A special from Brussels says Gen Failley was killed by one of his soldiers.

More French soldiers have been brought to Narmour, Belgium.

The Tribune's correspondent telegraphs from Carlsruhe on Tuesday of there being no doubt of the speedy capture of Strasboury.

The Prussian General offered to agree to an emisting of 24 fourself, the French General armistice of 24 hours if the French General would arrange terms of capitalation at the end of that time, The French declined the invitation, office inhabitants are reager to nerender. The shricks of women and children were distinctly heard in Kehl. The French not only shelled the houses in Kehl, but a church which hid been converted into a hospital and filled with wounded was also burned, Nearly all the villages in the vi-

A special from Florance last night states that the official gazette has published a citcil has decided to transfer the Government to Rome before the end of September. The Government by this announcement intends to absolve itself from indemnity claims. The news came to Florence like a thunderbolt.

London, Sept 7-The Prassian advance has reached Liafere Sure Aiene, forty miles from Paris, him edd oder palenavhs neutrice A correspondent of the Pall Mail Gazette at Paris says that Lyons and Nigra, English

and Itstian Ministers, are about to go itoKing William's headquarters to negotiate for
a suspension of hostilities, and respective for
The Republic is opposed to war but is
faithful to the dignity of France.

Advices from Copenhagen to day states
than the French Batter fleet unanimously accepts the new Government wais and trood

The Prefect of Haute Marne announces to be Ministry that St Dzier has been occupied by the enemy different has been down averaged by the enemy different have appeared in front of Laon, and as detachment of 1500s Uhlans were repulsed there by the Garde Mobile, which occupied the citadeless of Communication between Paris and Mulley

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Minister Washburn had an interview with Jutes Favre, at which he amounced that the United States Government had recognized the new Republic of France, I colored work of the reported that house Blanc, Ledrus Rollmand Dafrayse will be appointed Amelbassadors to London, Washington and Visiona, respectively.

10.000 of the enemy and capturing many gues.
The Prussians attempted to dross on ponio The Pressians attempted to cross on pon-toons between Port Jurbes and Port Austerlitz and were nearly additioned by the mit-rations and infantry fire at Port de Recuth. PARIS, Sept 94-Jules Favre, has declined the bervice of the Orleans Princes and bag-

ged themsto quit the city. yas of brow stants he troops are falling back on Paris under the orders of Gen Mury, and the Ulhans have been on the help of the army since the Brain Sept 9-Authority is confident

that Russia wills withdraw her proposition for a conference, owing stouther persistence of Prussia.

It is reported that owing to the creation of the French Republic Austria has thoughts

of arming again. OARLSRUHE, Sept 9 A flag of truce conveying papers for the surrender of Strasbourg was ing papers for the surrender of Strasbourg was sent by General Ulick, in which he proposed a cessation of hostilities; the French garrison of 20 900 men to leave the citadel, which shall, however, be retained in the hands of the French, who are pledged, moreover, to fire no guns and take no further part in the Prussian war. The remainder of the garrison to be released; officers to retain sidearms, and the Prussians to hold possession of the city. The terms were immediately rejected and an unconditional surrender of the city and fortress conditional surrender of the city and fortress demanded the Governor to become a prisoner of war and to be paroled. I Permission for all civilians to leave the city dwas refused except for women and children and Hadron dead to Leave the City dwas refused except for women Sept 9—The Prussian regardly are

within ten miles of Paris fortifications. The mais body of the army is within thirty miles of the city.

Paris, Sapt 9—There is a report that Jules Favre has gone to King William's headquarters, and the report seems confirmed by the fact that he did not appear yesterday at the Office of Foreign Affairs.

London, Sept 10—The Bavarian Government is negotiating for admission into the

ment is negotiating for admission into the North German Confederation.

North German Confederation.

A dispatch from Strasbourg save 4000
Baden troops are fighting night, and day in
the third line. They are exposed to a continual fire from the defences. Over 2000
citizens have been killed and 600 buried by
falling walls. Hundreds of expelled Germans have been killed between the fires of

he opposing atmices not add and a agreeto fi Twenty three thousand Prussians were at Vitry to Francis yesterday has spanned and

BRUSSELS, Sept 10-At the present pace of the army the Prince Royal and the Bri various should be in their designated positions around Paris on Wednesday next.

From these points they will slowly close in on the French fortifications, it was a state of great; ass, in controlling extreme radicals.

A Prussian force was at Campeigne this PARIS. Sept 10-Light draught French gunboate are ascending the Ruine.

All the railroads and material, as well as the bridges, in the Departments of Seine and Marne have been destroyed. The Bank of France will be removed to

After to-morrow the supply of gas will be

out off from the city.

LONDON, Sept 10 Information received at
the Pruseian Embassy at London makes it
certain that King William has resolved to certain that King William has resolved to ignore the revolutionary Government in Paris se destitute of all shadew, of authority. In the event of the occupation of Paris he will treat with no officials save those recognized

by the Emperor Napoleon.

Span, Sept 9 There are now marching on Paris five corps d'armees, and a Bavarian corps left Rejour at 5 o'clock. The other corps have all been ordered to take up their respective positions ten leagues from

Paris, on the 14th.

Paris, Sept 10—The afternoon papers report the following: The Prussians having demanded the surrender of Laon, the French commandant opened the gates and when the Prussian troops had get well inside the com-nandant fired a mine, blowing up the citadel and killing and wounding a great number of he enemy.

Ambassadorship at Vienna (?).

This evening there is considerable exciteen the receipt of a report that Bazaine has succeeded in cutting his way out of Metz and is now marching towards Paris.

The Prussians are advancing very leisurely.

Paris. The French forces evacuate Chuescy as the Prussians appeared before he town, destroying the railroad as they re-London, Sept 10 A letter from Paris o the 9th, evening, says. The session of Government lasted until 6 in the morning. A

roposition was made to call a Constitutional vention to impart formal authority to the Government. Members were divided on the question, five voting for and five against a convention. According to French parlia-mentary rules the vote decided the question in mentary rules the vote decided the question in the affirmative. The members opposed to the convention were Linion, Gambetta, Pelleton, Ferri and Rochelors.

Berlin, Sept 10—The conditions of peace, as printed by the Gazette de France, are grossly exaggerated. Bransia demands no three hillion (rance, and the conditions of peace, as indemnify and the

hree billion france as indemnity, nor the NANCY. VIA LONDON Sept. 10 Bazaine, in a recent sortie, inflicted heavy losses on the Saxon landwebt on Pont de Mosson. PARIS, Sept. 10, 4 p.m. Prassian scouts

Paris, Sept 10, 4 p m—Pressian secuts have appeared at Montreal and various other places. Two corps of 100,000 men each were advancing in that neighborhood.

The telegraph to Soissons has been cut.

New York, Sept 11—A Paris special last night says the prospects of peace are more favorable. Austria and Russia have consented to negotiate with Germany, and beagan by insisting on an armistice. The Envoys of Russia and Austria, authorized in the name of all neutral powers to protest against any dismemberment of France and of intervention to secure the suspension of of intervention to secure the suspension of hostilises. need and ti-, southeast sonal

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and Juarre. Rolling stock road, with drabridges and enlyerts, are all destroyed.

Prassian secute are reported at S. Villers,
Veruniel, Chattillion, Mont Mirail, Vailley
and Seyance.

A large French army is forming in France which will be commanded by Proche in person and operate on the German lines in case Paris is besieged.

The existence of an alliance between the United States, Austria and Italy, Blooking to

termination of the war, is mentioned, London, Sept 11 - Two formidable demontrations took place here to-day in favor of the French Republic and against monarchy, at home and abroad. At the meeting at Hyde Park Professor. Bosby made a speech vigorensly denonneing the Embassy of the British Government, and charging it upon the Queen by name that she was encouraging the King of Prussis to march as Paris for the purpose of destroying the new French. Republic. At a meeting at St. James' strong resolutions were adopted, denouncing the inconsistency of the Prussian advance on inconsistency of the Prussian advance on Parisi The feeling in this city against the Government and Royal family is extremely bitter not only among avowedly demogratic diasses but generally among the concervative masses. The impression made by the leading journals of this city that the toreign policy of the Government day been dictated by personal prejudice of feeling in the interest of the Queen's tamity, has produced a feeling of general indignation. general indignation, are ord again faul this to Manager Sept 11.—The Government and a prominent committee of the Deputies have agreed to postpose the Convention to the

Ortes. No date has been fixed.

Gen De Redas has tendered his resignation, the acceptance of which is under conideration.

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OSTEND, Sept. 11—The latest intelligence from Pressian Head Quarters is, that in re-

from Prussian Head Quarters is, that in reply to propositions made through the Austrian Legation King William declared that he will disten to no proposals except from the Imperial Government of France.

London, Sept. 12—The World's special correspondent telegraphs:—This city is beginning to be isolated—we have no mail to day from London—no dispatches have come through by telegraph except from newspapers. perew special sads egod eds gaineang office at Place de la Bourse from which

office at Place de la Bourse from which alone dispatches are allowed to be sant.

The aspect of the pity is perfectly tranquil.

No tears of mod violence are entertained by any one. I have never seen order more perfect than since the proclamation of the Republic.

The Legations of Austria and Russia are | Vallejo, the steamer was headed for home busy at work in interest of peace, and it is believed they would have already secured an armistice had not the Government of England blocked the way by its besitating and bold, bostile attitude. The English Government is believed to have counseled with the King of Prussia contrary to the wishes of Count Biscark in order to crush if possible the Republic. Samo of stories as one to

On high authority Bismark desires neither Asace nor Loraine, and is anxious to secure peace as early as possible, but King William is bitfelly opposed to any negotiations with the Republic, and insists on advancing on Paris to crush the Revolution before the fever can extend to Germany.

Paris, Sept 12—Sener Mordineau has arrived in Paris. He brings the assurance that the Italian Government has determined to ferestall all revolutions or movements in

to forestall all revolutionary movements in Italy and Rome by an official occupation of Roman territory, without the slightest intention of harming the people. The Italian army now occupies all roads, north and south leading into Roman territory, and the litalian agreement as at Civita Vecchia. talian squadron is at Civita Vecchia.

The Prussian Government has notified the Italian that it has no intention of interfering in any way with the question of Rome or the oceanation of the city.

A pepular vote will be taken throughout the Papal States upon the annexation of the Papal territory to Italy.

The Ministry has just made public the fol-

lowing important intelligence: The Prusisians attacked Toul on Saurday at 5 o'clock in the morning and persisted until 9 in the evening. They were constantly repulsed and many of their batteries dismantled. More than 10,000 Prussians were placed hors de

At Montmedy on Thursday the garrison plendidly repulsed the Prussian attacks. The Pruseians have surrounded Meaux, they have arrived in force at Crecy and are Paris was cheered this morning by a re-

port that Russia is insisting on an armistice, and also that the United States has sent desided dispatches to Berlin. It is said the Prussian advance has been stopped in con-AGRICULTURAL ASD HORTICULTURSORSPO

Lorpon, Sert 12—Advices from Florence are to the effect that the Ralian troops entered Roman territory to-day. The Italians will immediately strip the Pope of his power. The local authority of the Papal territory has not been disturbed by the Italians.

A special to the Evening Telegraph, dated London, Sept 12to, says the siege of Paris is now fairly commenced. The Pressian forces in detachments are formed in a semiforces in detachments are formed in a semi-circle around Paris at a distance of about 25 miles. In this position the army halted at the request of the Russian Minister, that King William and Count Bismarck may con-sider the proposition for an armistice emana-ting from Russia and Austria. Paris remains tranquit. The roads leading to the city are all closed and no more provisions are going in and what the city now contains must

prove sufficient for emergency sobals. Only in Garibaldi is expected to arrive here soon.

Ornerto, Sept II.—Dispatches state that in the province of Viterbo has originated a movement of a formidable character. Shouts of Long live the King of Italy, are heard on all sides. The main portion are armed and formed into gnerilla bands for the purpose of harrassing the Papal Zouaves.

TOWN YORK, Sept 8 - A special to the World from Burlington, Vermont, shows a large demogratic gain in that state.

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Compare Sept 7—Rich gold discoveries are reported in the Cariboo district in Wyoming. The metal is said to be in the form called use gold, and the richest location is about 70 miles. East of Sonora Springs and near the headwaters of Green river.

California. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 8-Floar -Prices nonauged. Bed whomasey maint ino all Barley-Bay \$150, old brewing \$1 17. The ship Swallow, 110 days from New

York, arrived to days and the Champion The Eagle Base Ball, and the Champion Base Ball, Clubs of San Francisco meet this evening to arrange to go to Sacramento to play the Sacramento Club a match game.

The election resulted in the defeat of the Ring and it will require the purchase of at Ring and it will require the purchase of at least two of the Supervisors to reconstruct it. The election resulted as follows: Tax Collector, Abstin, Democrat, Auditor, Ashbury, Chief of Police, Crowley, County Attorney, W C Barnett. Fire Commissioner, John Rosanfeld. Superintendent of Streets, S J Ashley. Public Administrator, Jacob Benjamin, Superintendent of Public Schools, J H Wiber.

Arrived—Bark Onward, Utsalady.

Cleared—Bark Atsmeda, Astoria.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 9—The Proper Ex-cursion to Mate Island proved, a splendid anccess in every particular. About 2000 persons went on the steamer Capital from this city. The book touched at Aleatraz, from the batteries of which a salute was to Vallejo nearly the entire 2000 persons of board were introduced to General Sherman and Schofield and staffs, Admiral Turner, Staff-Generals Cobb and Allan, Staff-Governor Haight, and a large number of Guard were on board. The band of the pupils of the Industrial School played the Marsellaise and Marching through Georgia in a superb style. At Vallejo a salute of 21 guns was fired, and Vallejo and Sacramento Pioneers and others to the number of soon same on board. The literary expresses mere held in the half on Mare Island. After a prayer by the Ray Albert Williams, an oration was delivered by LB Tricknor and a speech by Gen Sherman. The literary exercises over dencing commenced and continued till about 4 p.m., when the excursionists returned on beard and after the Vallejo and Benecia Delegations were landed at

and reached the city at 7 p.m.

Not an unpleasant incident occurred. Gen Sherman was escorted to the hotel and thence o Martin's where a sumptuous dinner is in progress of demolition. Everybody consider. d it the best excursion of the kind that has

happened lately.

San Francisco, Sept 10—The Pavillion is completely jammed this evening and the German sanitary fund is reaping a rich bar-

Gen Sherman, accompanied by Gen Ord and Staff, visited the Pavillion this evening and was there received with 'Hail to the Chief' and ' Marching through Georgia.'

The first shipment of California ripe fruit to Australia per steamer will go forward on Monday. It consists of 100 boxes of apples and 25 of pears:

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 11-Ship Tecumseh, with merchandise from New York, is coming in, also the bark Pearl from Newcastle, N S W, with coal.! The Hawaiian whaling bark Manna Los from the Ockotosh Sea, with furs, arrived this morning.

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PORTLAND, Sept 8-Sailed-Stmt Ori-flamme, San Francisco. PORTLAND, Sept 18—The steamer Idaho, which sailed from San Francisco on Monday, was telegraphed at 6 o'clock. Her detention was probably due to a dense fog at the mouth of the Columbia.

The satling of the California for Victoria and the Sound is postponed to Tuesday.

An accident occurred to the afternoon train on the Oregon and California Railroad. Several on the Gregon and California Railroad Several persons were slightly iojured. The baggage car was badly smashed and the passenger car thrown off the track. The accident occurred between Oregon City and Salem.

Over \$50,000 of the \$100.000 appropriated has already been disbursed on the Custom.

House building here.
Pertland, Sept. 11—The steamer [Idah]
arrived last night.
Portland, Sept. 12—The propeller Calle
ifornia salled for Victoria to-day with fifty

passengers. SALEM, Sept 12-The Legislature was

convened to-day and chose the following officers: President of Senate, James A Day of Jackson County. Clerk, J C Simpson. House Speaker, B Hayden of Polk County. Chief Clerk, E S McComas of Union County. They are all democrats.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. ilds sellient whitered. vitelar outemo Sopt 6-Sip Ocean Queen, Dick, Sau Juan
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On the way from Portland via str. CALIFORNIA.-P Hartman, Capit J T Haskell, Hon R W W Carrall Mis-Hallenger and son, Mrs Smith, John Rasey, Wm Trebook, J R Hayden, wife and 2 chdn, Miss Wiffin, S C Hastey, J Peterson, A F Keyser, Mr Hooker, J Hartniss, M Rourks, D M Duckworth, T J Paterfield, J B Julian, Miss M Mao Donald, Miss S MacDonald, L Bishop, wife and child. and

Donald, Miss & MacDonald, L Bishop, wife and child. and 40 in the steerage

Per Stmr ISABEL from Puget Sound—Capt Batchelder and wife, Capt Burton and wife, W H Wood and wife, A H Tucker and wife, E Bathbon and wife, Miss Westfall, Mrs C Jennings Mrs W Jennings, Mrs Morse, Mrs Smith, Mrs G Jennings Mrs W Jennings, Mrs Morse, Mrs Smith, Mrs Geindon, Mrs Blecock, Messrs Taylor, Meagher, Hack-ney, Jamieson, Carnston, Owens, Judge Hewitt, Messrs Tucker, Hepworth, Hicks, McDougal, Copland, McLane, Schwaberle, Fatton, Wallace, 15 chidren and 47 others.

Per stmr E ANDERSON from Puget Sound—J Murray, Gray and wife, Stewart and wife, Miss and Master Wren, J Sparks and wife, Mrs Carson and dan?, D. Parker; and son, Mr Bagley. West and wife, Miss E Patterson, Miss E Chaspman, O'Comor, H McAlleer, Pather Harris, D Grozier O Jones, P Jones, Miss Bell, Mrs Kellogg, W Jones, Boland Louthen and nine others

Per Sch OCEAN PEARL, in San Francisco—21 os furniture, 10 pkgs hardware, 5 os biscuit, 115 osks; ale, 85
bix tes, 150 kgs nails, 6 pks spice, 12 kgs paperware, 10
bix drurs, 4 pks ciothing, 50 os ced fish, 28 pks condege,
2 cs ship chandlery 10 cs acid, 6 cs cars, 1 gipsey w ndless
510 mats rice, 13 obts china wine, 185 kgs pickles, 250
as coal oil, 91 doz brooms, 2 cs glassware, 136 bix groesries, 2 pkgs mouldings, 10 cs lard, 165 bix soap, 119 feed,
43 bags Barley, 81 bix starch, 48 sks mait, 16 planks, 33
stoyes, 4 bbls rye flour, 10 kgs varnish, 21 os matches, 10
cs madse, and 1149 pkgs goods for Puget Sound.

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WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIS'

PUBLISHED WEDNESDAY MORNING.

AGENTS. Richfi Barkerv Cameronto 

The War in Europe, "Man proposes, but God disposes. How very strikingly has this been ver fied in the present most eventful wa The echoes of the French battle-cry "On to Berlin," had not yet died aws in the valley of the Moselle, when the shout, "On to Paris," was raised b King William's victorious soldiery i the passes of the Vosges! The gran army of France was to have made eix weeks march to Berlin. The arm of Prussia made an eight weeks' marc to Paris! The announcement made b Napoleon that he would " return t Paris a conqueror or a cerpse's ha scarcely been repeated in the streets the metropelis ere he had laid his u used sword at the feet of King William Where is all this to end? This cras whire of the most actounding events takes one's breath clean away leaving the most profound and th most superficial thinkers upon a level with our common exclamation, "What next?" What next, indeed! Are the

dire consequences of that fatal dripk

Ems water to roll on until France sha

have ceased to be numbered among th Great Powers? Or is this mad fatalis only marching to his own destruction It is said that the hereditary malady his family, which carried off his father in a state of religious mania and h brother as a hypochondriae, betray itself in King William through an in conceivable worship of his place an prerogative. He relieves in the infa libility of monarche as devoutedly a Pius IX in the infallibility of Pope So firm is his faith in the divine patur of his position that he keeps, and his for years kept, a minute diary of ever thing which happens to him, and when ever any new emergency arises he turn to his diary to see what he did, or di not do, on the corresponding day in a the previous years of his life of no seventy-three years. But even Wi liam may yet have to learn the trut of the proverb with which the presen article commences, as many a prot monarch before him has. What no about the announcement made at t beginning of the present war, that fought against a dynasty, not against France? Did not that dynasty fa at his feet on the banks of the Meuse Why, then, are his armies beneath th walls of Paris? It may be that, re garding the present merely in the light of a Provisional Government, Kin William does not recognize the end the Napoleonic dynasty; and it ma be that as this war was forced upo him and so many thousands of his sul jects have been sacrificed, he may fe justified in taking the position that from Paris alone will he dictate terms peace to a nation which thought

"luck" which has characterised th War up to the present time continue un cheeked, we shall doubtless soon hea of Paris being in the bands of the Prus sians; and then, indeed, may William make what terms it pleaseth him. But if it should so turn out that he ha carried victory too far, and has passe from justifiable defense to unjustifiable

dictate its terms to him from Berlin

Such a resolve would not appear alto gether unnatural; yet it may prove t be fatal. Should that marvelous run

aggression, is it not possible that the God of Battles in whom he professes t trust may yet be found on the side the French battalions? France is hu

miliated, but not annihilated; and th announcement that Prussia " will prose