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SPECIAL TO THE COLONIST AND CHRONICLE.

Europe.

New York, August 1.—The *Herald* has the following: London, August 1—A great meeting was held to-day; three hundred thousand people were present. Resolutions were adopted declaring they had no faith in the Government. Petitions were read which are to be presented to Parliament, demanding an inquiry into the conduct of Sir Richard Mayne, Chief of police. The procession was immense; several bands of music were in attendance and everything passed off quietly.

The *Tribune* has a special dispatch which says; Peace was believed to be certain at Berlin on Saturday. Bismarck and the King would return this week. Prussia carries all her points.

The Hyde Park riots and the movements to form an exclusive Reform league have imperilled the Derby Government.

Eastern States

Chicago, Aug. 1—The President to-day presented to General Sherman his commission as Lieutenant General of the armies of the United Steies. Gen. Grant was present the commission was signed and delivered.

General Eckert, assistant Secretary of War, appointed and confirmed last week, sent in his resignation, to accept the position of general superintendant of telegraph lines from Norfolk, Virginia, through New England to the end of the Atlantic cable on this continent.

New York, July 31—Business messages are being transmitted over the cable to Europe. Four thousand words were transmitted through the cable in twelve hours on the 18th inst.

New York, Aug. 2—Since the 22nd ult., there have been 30 cases and 21 deaths from cholera on Blackwell Island. From 29th to 31st ult. there were 62 cases and 26 deaths on Ward's Island. In the city yesterday there were 21 cases and 9 deaths; also on Governor's Island yesterday, several new cases and 5 deaths. The epedemic is on the increase in Brooklyn.

California

San Francisco, August 2—Gustavus and Charles DeYoung, publishers of the *Dramatic Chronicle*, have been arrested for publishing an alleged libelous article in regard to the burning of the United States Court building, in which it is intimated that the fire was the work of an incendiary who desired to burn the Metropolitan Theatre, and that the incendiary was probably the party most interested in its destruction. The article was generally understood to refer to Mr Maguire of the Opera House and Academy of Music, who preferred the complaint.

Heart's Content, July 31—The President's message to the Queen, containing 77 words passed through the cable in eleven minutes and was delivered to the Queen almost immediately.

The Great Eastern is now firing a salute in honor thereof.

A celebration in honor of the success of the cable, is being held at Valentia, Ireland, this afternoon.

The Albany and Terrible will leave tomorrow for the spot where the cable was lost last year. The Great Eastern and Medway will follow in abont a week.

California.

San Francisco, August 3—About two o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the carriage manufactory of Charles Steinway, Pine street, which destroyed five two-story wooden buildings on the southeast corner of Battery and Pine streets. Loss about $16,000.

The hearing in the case of Gustavus and Chas. DeYoung, proprietors of the *Dramatic Chronicle*, charged with publishing a libellous article reflecting on the character of Thomas Maguire, has been set for Wednesday next at the request of defendants.

Arrived, 2d August—British bark Maravila, 189 days from Liverpool.

Sailed, 3d August—British bark Norseman, Swansea.

Australia.

By the arrival of the British bark Kate, we have dates from Sydney to May 14th, from Melbourne to 31st, and from Auckland to June 5th. California flour quoted in Sydney on that day at £16 per ton. Wheat 6s. 6d. per bushel. California flour in Melbourne was £16 per ton. Oats in Auckland on May 25th, were quoted at 5s. 3d. per bushel.

Eastern States.

Washington, August 3.—Secretary Toucey has appointed J Ross Browne Commissioner to collect statistics in the States and Territories west of the Rocky Mountains He will proceed to the Pacific Coast by steamer of the 11th. This is an important mission and will embrace statistics of products, bullion, population engaged in mining, description of mineral lands, capital engaged, cost of labor, &c.

New York, August 3.—The *Commercial's* money article says a slight reaction in stock noted yesterday continues; government securities quiet but steady. A report is current that private despatches have been received quoting 5-20's at London yesterday at 68. We are unable to trace the rumors. The report that large orders were received by cable yesterday appears to have been intended for an effect upon gold premium; a large shipment of bonds will, however be made to-morrow.

New York, August 3.—Five messages from Europe by cable were received to-day.

New Orleans, August 3—Martial law has been withdrawn. The Grand Jury has found indictments against twenty-five members of the Convention. Their trial before Judge Abell will proceed.

Canada.

Ottawa, C. W., August 3.—Complimentary greetings have passed through the cable between the Queen's and Canadian Governments. One of the messages took only eleven minutes to pass from Newfoundland to London.

California

General Halleck has issued orders to break up the military posts of Forts Chehalis, Yamhill, Bellingham Bay, Hoskins, Cascades, Dalles, Siletz, Blockhouse and Port Orchard, and that the term forts shall not be applied to temporary camps.

The number of deaths in the city last week was 40.

Mexico.

San Francisco, August 5—Yesterday the Mexican Consul received communications from President Juarez, at Chihuahua, dated June 22d. Nothing particular had occurred. All private letters teem with a description of the enthusiastic welcome given by the people to the Liberal Government. The civil and military authorities and most prominent citizens went three miles to meet Juarez and his Ministers. The military turned out in full numbers and paid due honors to their rulers. The authorities all formed procession and moved through the principal streets, which were decorated with flags and triumphant arches with mottoes allusive to circumstances. In the evening there was a general illumination and a grand ball, which was attended by the President.

Sandwich Islands

The ship A. W. Willie, from Sydney *via* Honolulu reports that Capt. Mitchell, late master of the ship Hornet, arrived at Honolulu together with the remainder of the seamen and two passengers, which comprise all that were in long boat. It is really wonderful that under such privations no one of the number died and speaks much for the skill of the captain. The 4th of July was joyously celebrated in Honolulu.

Canadian Summary.

[Dates to June 29.]

The bark Jennie P King has been wrecked near London, C. W., and the captain and one of his crew drowned.

The reports of the commanders of the different corps of volunteers during the recent raid, have been published and show great bravery on the part of the men under them,

Parties of relic-hunters are visiting the battle grounds near Fort Erie. The place has already become famous.

Several Fenians were killed near Pigeon Hill by the Canadians.

A correspondent of the *Minerve* was seized before the dispersion at Pigeon Hill, and robbed of his horse, papers, purse. clothes and boots; and a ragged Fenian's clothes given him. The rascals were roasting whole sheep and oxen, and were well informed of the movements of troops in Canada. The reporter got his clothes back with an empty purse. Ten guards had him in a room. They got drunk and he escaped.

Sergt. Matheson and Mr Lackey, of the Queen's Own, have died of wounds received at Ridgway.

The official list of killed, wounded and missing of the Canadian volunteers is as follows: Killed—Ensign McEachren, Privates McKenzie, Tempest, Defries, Anderson, Mewburn. Wounded—Captain Boustead, Lieutenant Beaven, Lieutenant Campbell, Ensign Fahey, Color Sergeant J. Tuck, Sergeants McHardy, Foster, Matheson, Corporals Robins, Lackey; Privates Lugsden; Bell, Copp, Rutherford, Paul, Vandersmissen, Patterson, Kingsford, White, Robinson, Oulster, Thompson, Muir, Winter, Cranston; Missing—Private Wm. D. Smith.

REMOVAL.—Solomon Bros. beg to inform the public that they have removed to the Brick Building, Government Street formerly the Enterprise Saloon. They have received per "Mohawk," a large assortment of Men's Clothing and Under Clothing, which they will sell lower than any house in town. Give them a call. *

THE STEAMER CALIFORNIA returned from New Westminster early yesterday morning.

Annexation and Annihilation.

EDITORS COLONIST & CHRONICLE.—At last we have got our little Bill, and we can estimate the cost of our unconditional surrender. We are to be wiped out—cleaned away altogether!

Annexation and annihilation, are the shameful conditions proposed for our acceptance, instead of the honorable and just terms of Union we have a right to expect.

Certainly Mr Cardwell's Bill speaks well for the care with which Mr Seymour and Colonel Moody have guarded in London, their interests in British Columbia and its capital; determined at the same time to crush Vancouver Island out of existence.

Mr Seymour has now fairly earned the extra thousand pounds per annum with which a grateful Council bribed him in advance.

Colonel Moody can soon begin to think about selling the three thousand acres of land acquired by him in his official capacity as Land Commissioner in British Columbia; and his possession of which he has hitherto hypocritically concealed from the authorities at home, who believe him to be disinterested. They will realise his character about the same time that he hopes to realise his acres.

From these two officials the present insulting document emanates.

Let the people of Vancouver Island treat it and them with due contempt—let us reject the Bill and despise its authors.

Our population has always been loyal, and true to the Crown; but I believe the majority of Englishmen here would sooner see the Colony annexed to the United States than allow themselves to be thus entirely absorbed by our expansive and expensive neighbour, under whose control our eight years of labor, enterprise, and liberal expenditure are to be placed absolutely, while we are left helpless in a studied minority.

We sincerely desire Union with British Columbia, and we are deeply interested in her prosperity—but it can only be on terms that are fair to each, that a happy Union can be hoped for and consummated.

Yours, truly,
V. I.

The Unconditional Union Resolutions.

[PASSED BY THE V. I. LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, JUNE 26, 1865.]

"*Resolved*, That this House having taken into consideration the present state of the Colony, is firmly convinced that it is expedient at the present time to observe the strictest economy in the public expenditure compatible with the efficiency of the public service;

"And that the immediate Union of this Colony with British Columbia *under such constitution as Her Majesty's Government may be pleased to grant*, is the means best adapted to prevent permanent causes of depression as well as to stimulate trade, foster industry, develop our resources, augment our population, and ensure our permanent prosperity;

"And this House pledges itself, in case Her Majesty's Government shall grant such Union, to satisfy the same by legislative enactment, if required.

"*Resolved*, That the above resolutions be transmitted to His Excellency the Governor, with the respectful request that he may take the same into his earnest and immediate consideration."

Such are the resolutions asking for the Unconditional Union of these Colonies. They formed the platform upon which Messrs DeCosmos and McClure stood during their short but bitter contest with Messrs Young and Sproat, in February, 1865, and the electors, by returning the two first-named gentlemen, ratified the action of the Assembly. The result is before the country in the Union Bil about to be passed through Parliament.

British Columbia.

[FROM "TIMES" OF 18TH JUNE, 1866]

The Bill before the House of Commons provides that, after the adoption by the Legislatures of the two Colonies of addresses in favor of Union, the Governor of British Columbia is to proclaim Vancouver Island united to British Columbia, and thenceforth the two Colonies are to be known as "British Columbia." New Westminster will be the capital; Victoria is a larger town, and is, in many respects the most agreeable place of residence; but it is very desirable that the seat of government should be on the mainland; and British Columbia has also this claim to be selected, that she has not sought this Union, and would rather prefer being left alone. *The House of Assembly of Vancouver's Island has prayed for a Union on such terms as to Her Majesty may seem meet.* It will be a Union with a tariff, and the island is willing to give up its boast of Victoria as a Free Port. The Governor of British Columbia feels compelled to say that England ought to be represented by only one civil authority beyond the Rocky Mountains. Both British Columbia and Vancouvers Island have occasionally to discuss questions with their American and Russian neighbors, and, as things now are, there is nothing to insure uniformity of action. The one Colony may be on the most friendly terms with adjacent Powers, the other in a state of reserve pending a reference to Europe. Dissensions between the two Colonies are looked upon in the neighbouring States as rather a scandalous, but a novel and amusing feature in our colonization, and the result is that British influence and power in the Pacific are weakened. A uniform policy in the treatment of the Indian population is very important, and greater economy of government is felt to be needed. Vancouver Island has an elected Assembly of 15 members, and a nominated Legislative Council; but the Governor has to report that this form of government does no work satisfactorily. The time for two separate Chambers is not yet. British Columbia has only a Legislative Council. Five members—one-third of it—are public functionares, five are selected by the Governor from the magistracy; in the appointment of the other five the Governor is guided, in pursuance of his instructions, by the recommendation of the people in five distinct districts, and the people in effect elect these five members. The Governor considers that the country magistrates supply that section of the Legislature which possesses most the confidence of the people. Circumstances throw them into free intercourse with all classes, and train them to be men of decision and great personal influence, who can preserve tranquillity and secure obedience to their decisions with very little advantage of police force. These functionaries are described as equally respected by the people and the government, and the miners look upon the departure of the magistrate for his legislative duties with quite as much confidence as on that of the men he has assisted in returning to the House. A regular representative Constitution could not work well in British Columbia as it is at present, but the Governor desires to see the popular element increased in the Legislative Council. The present Bill provides that the form of government existing in Vancouver Island shall cease at the Union, and the United Colonies will have the Executive Government and Legislative Council now existing in British Columbia, power being given to increase the number of councillors to 23, in order that Vancouver Island may be represented.

The Lower Provinces

The Halifax papers continue to boast of the fine specimens of gold bearing quartz from the Mount Uniacke gold field.

A New Brunswick paper says: We see it stated in the Sackville *Borderer*, that operations on the Truro and Moncton line commenced last week. Mr Ketchum, the Engineer who has full charge of the New Brunswick section of the work, has begun it by placing forty or fifty men—shortly to be increased to two hundred—on the Dorchester Island road. The work has also been commenced on the Nova Scotian side.

The hon. William Black, President of the Legislative Council, died at his residence in Fredericton, on the 18th instant, at a very advanced age. He has been for some years too infirm to attend to his duties as President of the Council. The members of the Legislative Council will have the choice of his successor.

The New Brunswick Parliament has met and organized by the election of hon. J. H. Gray as Speaker. Immediately after the passage of the Address, Confederation resolutions will be submitted, and delegates in conjunction with those of Canada and Nova Scotia be sent to England forthwith.

Sandwich Islands.

SCHOONER ALBERNI.—This fine craft sailed for Hilo on Tuesday last, with a full freight and as many cabin passengers as she could accomodate. We understand that she is put on for trial, and if satisfactory inducements are offered, she will be continued as a Hilo packet. She is the largest and finest schooner we have that is adapted to the above route, and under the command of the accommodating Clark, cannot fail to become a favorite.—*Advertiser.*

REPORTED LOSS OF A SCHOONER.—By the schooner Prince, which arrived on Wednesday night from Hanalei, we have a verbal report that the schooner Onward, belonging to Messrs Janion Green & Co., had gone ashore at Wahiawa, about five miles west of Koloa. We have no particulars, and trust that Captain Lambert will be able to get his vessel off without serious damage. The Moi Wahine is due from Koloa, and ought to bring in a full account of the accident.—*Gazette.*

BIRTHS.

In this City, July 31st, the wife of W. B. Townsend of a son.

DIED.

In this City, July 29th, Gustavus Frank Tarbell, aged three years, one month and five days.

Friends are requested to attend the funeral this day, (Tuesday) at 1 p. m., from Mr Tarbell's residence, James Bay.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND

ENTERED

July 30—Schr Thorndyke, Thornton, San Juan
August 2—Steamer California, Williams, San Francisco.
Steamer Alexandra, Swanson, New Westminster.
Sch. Nor Wester, Whitford, New Westminster.
Slp Harriett, Dwyer, San Juan.
Slp Louisa, Cutter Chemainus.
Slp Ocean Queen, Smith, San Juan.
Aug 3— Stmr California, Williams, N Westminster
Schr Thorndyke, Thornton, San Juan
Boat Harriet, Dyer, San Juan
Aug. 1—Schr Gazelle, Gollacer, Nanaimo
July 31—Stmr Josie McNear, Crosby, Port Angelos
Schr Shark, Stow, Sooke
August 4—Schr Winged Racer, Haines, Port Angelos
Schr Thorndyke, Thornton, San Juan.

CLEARED.

July 30—Slp Clancey, Robinson, P Angelos
Aug. 1—Stmr Josie McNear, Crosby, P Angelos
Schr Matilda, Greenwood, Saanich
July 31—Stmr Alexandra, Swanson, New WestmInster
Sloop Ocean Queen, Smith, San Juan
August 2—Steamer Alexander, Swanson, New Westminster.
Aug 3—None
August 4—Bark Maschikoff, Benzeman, Sitka.
Schr Thorndyke, Thornton, San Juan.
Sloop Louisa, Cutler, San Juan.
Sloop Forest, Nickerman, San Juan.

MEMORANDA

Per stmr CALIFORNIA, Capt Williams, from San Francisco...Left San Francisco on July 28th, at 1:30 p m; encountered strong head winds lasting forty eight hours; July 30th at 10:40 a m met S S Oriflamme, same day at 1:30 p m met S S Montana; passed Cape Disappointment Aug 1st at 9 a m; arrived at Victoria Aug 2d at 1 p m

IMPORTS

Per Steamer CALIFORNIA, from San Francisco.—1 pkg hops, 7 pkgs cegars, 150 sacks flour, 66 pkgs hardware, 200 cs coal oil, 3 cs groceries, 1 hay press, 35 pgs taps, 2 cs clothing, 16 cs cakes and yams, 2 cs cards, 5 cs tobacco, 3 cs cloth caps, 26 cs boots and shoes, 2 cs hoops, 4 cs ginger, 3 cs chow chow, 1 cs medicine, 5 cs vinegar, 5 cs chocolate, 54 cs almonds 72 cs cheese and butter, 30 cs alcohol, 46 cs candles, 220 cs soap and yaest powders, 12 cs boiler tubes, 2 cs keys, 50 cs peaches, 6 cs butter, 2 cs glue and oil, 1 cs mustard, 5 cs lard, 15 cs rope, 3 cs cheese, 61 cs fruit, &c., &c. Value, $27,529.

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Per steamer JOSIE McNEAR, from Puget Sound—Order, AP Delvin.

PASSENGERS

Per stmr CALIFORNIA from San Francisco—Walter D Duncan and servant, A Poughot, J Lightner, James Moorhead, Capt Jerry Collins, Rev Father Maloney, F C Jeem Robert Burns, T W Price, John Watson, Wm J Reid, H A Webster, Lewis Levy, Capt Cooper, Mrs Catherine Deuger, Mrs C L Fawcett, M Ehrenbug, Mr Whittil, Mrs Jane Richest and 2 children, Mrs L Leland, E Morgan, H Livingston, D McKing, Thomas Richardson and 48 others.

Per steamer JOSIE McNEAR, from Puget Sound—Messrs Shelton, Vanderbilt, Mr Carson and lady, Mr and Mrs Tilley, Mrs Robinson and 3 children, Mr Scott, Mr Byles and daughter, F W James, J Dillon, Bartlett, Rev. Mr Elder, Mr Chapman, Ensign, Tripp, Cabboin, Packshur, Phillips, E T Dodge, Dr Barnard and lady, Mr and Mrs Barnard and 3 children, Mr Laughton, Mrs Monsell, Mrs Suffering, Mr Lowden J W Famer, E W Rice, J W Congreve, D S Maymard, Mr Buffington, Haruss, C McMaun, J Shorev, J C McAllister, Miss Freva, Mr Coleman

GOODS ON THE WAY.

Per bark RIVAL, from San Francisco, sailed July 25... 160 bxs candles, 23 pkgs Chinese mdse, 20 bags coffee, 2 cs crockery etc, 172 hf sks 1800 qr sks flour, 6 cs fruits, 20 cs hardware, 200 bales hay, 1 pkg lime juice, 10 bbls molasses, 50 cs oil, 30 cs china, 20 bbls 4 cs linseed, 5 cs turpentine, 2 stoves, 25 bbls 200 kegs sugar, 100 chts 30 bxs tea, 52 cs tobacco, 10 nests tubs, 10 kegs vinegar, 130 cs wine. Value, $12,924.

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Earl RUSSELL has graciously favored J. T. Davenport with the following extract of a despatch from Mr. Webb, H. B. M.'s Consul at Manilla, dated Sept. 17, 1864:—"The remedy most efficacious in its effects (in Epidemic Cholera) has been found to be CHLORODYNE, and with a small quantity given to me by Dr. Burke I have saved several lives." Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians, that he had received a despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Manilla, to the effect that cholera had been raging fearfully, and that the ONLY remedy of any service was CHLORODYNE.—See "Lancet," December 31, 1864.

From W. Vesalius Pettigrew, M D., Hon. F.R.C.S, England, formerly Lecturer upon Anatomy and Physiology at St. George's School of Medicine: "I have used it in Consumption, Asthma, Diarrhœa and other diseases, and am most perfectly satisfied with the results."

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Victoria, V. I., 3d August, 1866. aud