

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Railway Disaster. The Carlisle War.

The London Times on Inflation The New Atlantic Cable.

Norwich, Conn., April 24.—The Norwich and Worcester steamboat train to Boston ran off the track near Norwich last night. The baggage master was badly hurt and three cars were smashed and burned. One passenger was seriously injured. The cause of the accident proves to be a broken rail. Seth Cushing was caught between the luggage and pinned there. The hot stove coals fell on to the left side of his body, which is literally roasted.

Madrid, April 24.—Malcampo has been appointed Captain-General of the Philippine Islands. It is reported that the Carlisle has released all their prisoners of war.

London, April 25.—Hugh McCulloch in a letter to the Times praises President Grant's veto of the Financial Bill, and recommends a return to the policy of contraction which he pursued when Secretary of the Treasury. The Times editorially says, "To British eyes the apparently interminable inflation of currency is a hazardous proceeding fraught with peril to posterity and even to unity of the American commonwealth, but it cannot be denied that no other country in the world could do what America has hitherto done with its finances. It is the law of American nature to expand and develop in every possible direction."

The new steamship Farrady has begun to load the new Atlantic cable.

New York, April 25.—An Albany dispatch says Commodore Vanderbilt and the Third Avenue Co., appear to have abandoned all interest in their quick transit plans, and have also withdrawn their opposition to rival schemes.

A Washington special says the result of several private conferences of inflationist senators is announced to be an understanding that the vetoed bill shall receive, when question is put to pass it, notwithstanding the President's veto, every vote that it received when it was passed before.

The measure providing for free banking, with the retiring of per centage of greenbacks, seem now most likely to be favourably considered.

Professor John Phillips, the English geologist, is dead.

The steamship Silesian, from New York April 11th, for Hamburg, is aground in the Elbe, and is reported to be in a dangerous position.

A BULL-DOG who already bore about his muzzle some not ignominious scars, accompanied his master, who carried on his breast the Victoria Cross, to the Ashtabeta campaign. Having from his brother a natural turn for fighting, he distinguished himself throughout the campaign. In one instance he rushed into the enemy's ranks, and, singing out one of his naked foes, so bit and worried him that he actually brought in his prisoner in triumph. He was such a favourite with the men that in a heavy engagement their fire was suspended for a minute to allow of his unjaded retreat from one of his desperate forays. He lives to enjoy his return and his honors, and is one of the greatest pets of Belgravia.

BETTER THAN BUTTER.—A contemporary says: "The very high price of butter just now ruling will doubtless cause more attention to be given to marmalade in lieu of it. Another inducement with many families will be that, on account of the low rate at which oranges can be purchased, this very pleasant article to the taste can be made at so small a cost. A recent trial showed that superior marmalade can easily be made for 3/4 per pound weight."

DON'T SPOIL A SNEEZE.—The Springfield (Mass.) Republican says:—"One may be pardoned for sneezing under any circumstances, in view of the experience of a woman from this city in Westfield, recently. Being in company, and attempting to suppress a sneeze, she felt a queer sensation in the left side of her face, which soon began swelling and drawing out of shape. A physician was called, but by the time he arrived her mouth and the left side of her face had become drawn up, disfiguring her so that her most intimate friends could scarcely recognize her features, while she found it impossible to close her left eye. The physicians say it is a kind of paralysis, caused by the great effort she made in suppressing the sneeze, and give but faint hopes that her features will ever resume their natural appearance. She is now in this city seeking medical advice."

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PRAYER A LA MODE.

Give me an eye to others' failings blind— (Miss Smith's new bonnet is quite a fright and I)

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Table with columns for destination (London, Guelph, etc.) and departure times.

Commercial. Guelph Markets.

Table listing market prices for various goods like flour, wheat, and butter.

Toronto Markets.

Table listing market prices for various goods in Toronto.

Hamilton Markets.

Table listing market prices for various goods in Hamilton.

Special Notices.

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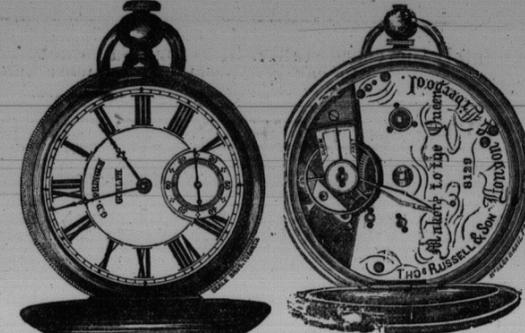
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