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Tuesday, October 15, 1867

The News.

We have only time to-day for a passing allusion to the important despatches received late last evening. It will be observed that the elections in the East have resulted generally in in the East have resulted generally in saw the afray; Tomlinson had the stick first favor of the Democracy. States that and Marks took it from him. went Republican for many years have In answer to Mr Ring, witness said he did suddenly changed front and elected not know that the term "fixed" meant. the opposition candidates. In Ohio negro suffrage was repudiated by a to others to come, over, I should think that the term "fixed" meant mischief to some majority of 40,000, while the Demo- one; it may have meant to "fix" the cards in crats only carry the State by some some way to rob some one. [Laugnter.] 10,000 majority. The vote on this point indicates that a majority of 30,000 Republicans in the State are do Republicans in the State are opposed to the extension of the franchise to colored citizens. President Johnson regards the result as an endorsement of his policy; and Congress will scarcely venture, in the face of the recent defeats, to insist upon the admission of the Southern States on the basis of negro suffrage. The proposed impeachment of Mr Johnson must fall to the ground for the same reason. Affairs in Italy are still in a very unsatis— Italy are still in a very unsatis- said there was a lie out between me and riage thither; those who bring cattle factory state. The Garibaldians, Tomlinson somewhere or other; I told find that they eat their heads off before through the arrest of their great leader and his son, appear to lack the means of organization, and have degenerated into banditti, in which capacity they are as likely, to inflict. capacity they are as likely. to inflict had sent to Tomlinson; had a conversation injury on friend as foe. A project, with Smith on Tuesday morning; he said which it is said Napoleon favors, is Tomlinson has come over and I want you to brought together. For instance, one day that the Italian troops shall occupy the Papal States, and the Pope remain and that it as a column troops of the Papal States, and the Pope remain and that it as a column troops of the Papal States are the Papal States and the Pope remain and that it as a column troops of the Papal States are the Papal undisturbed at the Eternal City until and that is as good a place as any to see him; Smith then said he didn't want a street or his death, when the temporal power of bar room scene and I'd better pick out a sweltering sun. He did not wish to fiture Popes shall cease. This seems place to meet him; I told him that it appeared pull them back and offered them at any While operating in mining in Colorado, a a reasonable proposition. The Pope, to me you fellows are fixed for me; you've price. The same evening I met a gentle. of course, will object; but as the cudgels in hand and batteries slung to you alternative presented is the destruction of the peace of Europe, it is not another named Waters: Smith said I'm a nother named Waters: likely that his wishes or interests will another named Waters; Smith said I'm a be consulted in the matter. The the kind used—I want you and Tomlinson to Fenian troubles continue. Kelly, who have an explanation as there may have been of the season, no one had so large a stock was rescued by the mob at Manches- a misunderstanding about it. I then told him and he had considerable difficulty in makter a month ago, was recaptured and I would walk out on any of the streets with ing up the supply in small quantities. has since died. It seems that nothing short of a fearful example will end the miserable delusion the ignorant masses of the Trick propole labor under with of the Irish people labor under with respect to England.

Saturday, Oct 12th: The Shooting Affray.

The adjourned inquiry into the shooting ceive the conversation that passed between affray on Government street was resumed Marks and Tomlinson previous to the affray

the telegraph line in this section and am he jerked the pistol from his pocket and hit me over the head with it; at the jail I found a mark on my stomach from the pistol ball.

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deny the telegram as having been sent by I don't remember saying that I would cram

Witness resumed-There are two telegrams of Oct 3, 1867. The first reads-Charley Tomlinson, Seattle-Come down on reference to this affair; Smith said that this Monday's steamer; Marks is here; answer. A third telegram, also sent on the 3d inst. reads-C Tomlinson, Seattle-Bring Jack Quail with you-don't fail.-G F Smith.

The despatches taken from the person of Tomlinson were handed witness, who stated that they corresponded with the despatches sent by him. Witness produced two copies of telegrams signed C C Tomlinson and received by witness from Seattle, the purport of which was that he would come down as requested.

Gaoler McBride, sworn-Searched the prisoner Tomlinson and found three telegrams and other articles on his person: examined the prisoner's coat on the morning after the

shooting and found a hole in it.

J H Carmichael, sworn—Am messenger and assistant operator at the Telegraph Office; received the telegrams dated Oct. 5th and directed to C C Tomlinson, Seattle, from beneficiary and Dan McCool had a friendly Mr Smith; two of the despatches were signed bout with the gloves which elicited much in my presence.

A Buhler, sworn—Know Tomlinson and

Smith by sight; Smith was in my store on upon his opponent. Tom Lafont, J. H. Friday or Saturday morning last; he was O'Neil, George Marsh. Miss Maynard and looking for a pair of derringers; he said he others appeared during the evening and were was going traveling on the other side and well received. During the evening Eden wanted a pair of pistols; I had no pistols of made a few remarks, in which he said he was

seen Tomlinson; saw Marks and Tomlinson remain here a few weeks, he would fight any on Tuesday last; was crossing Government street, and saw Tomlinson talking to Smith: Marks came along and said, can I see you? to Tomlinson, and they then walked down Government street together; did not notice a man named "Poker Jack" standing there; When I got to Turner's drygoods store I saw a scuffle between Marks and Tomlinson; military dwelling on San Juan Island, some saw a stick in Tomlinson's hand; he attempted to strike Marks and fell down; Marks of \$2000) on Wednesday, and bolted on then knelt down on him, got the stick from Thursday on one of the Puget Sound steamhim and waled him over the head with it. ers, leaving all the sub-contractors and work. all who have lived shall have been gathered · Cross exam nation—Took no notice of men to whistle for the sums due them. The

not say, who struck the first blow. To the Court-Heard a noise but could not tell whether it was a pistol or not; saw a pistol lying in the lot; the noise sounded like a heavy package falling on the sidewalk;

Smith was not there, I am positive.

F Mancrot, sworn—Saw the affray; saw Marks and Tomlinson fighting; saw something black in Tomlinson's hand and saw it go over the fence; saw Tomlinson have a stick in his hand which Marks took from him and struck him on the head and knocked him

Cross examined-Did not see who struck son walking with a stick;

Government street; picked up the pistol of coal known to exist there. produced in Court in a lot opposite the spot

where the affray took place. AFTERNOON SESSON.

Upon the reassembling of the Court, the George Beckingham, who testified that he

To the Court-Smith having telegraphed

a reasonable man, there shall be nothing of last. [The Magistrate here declined to re-

Mr Ring said that the prisoner did not last; when I saw Smith in the barber shop a lie down his throat or would have a lie crammed down mine; I may have said there was a lie out somewhere, but it had no

> not strike Tomlinson first. Mr Ring addressed the court on behalf of Smith, claiming that nothing had been proved against him, and asking for his dis-

little matter must be settled and if he was

was wrong he would acknowledge it; I did

Mr Bishop objected; and said that an ima portant witness against Smith was now at Sooke and could not attend before Monday. The magistrate said he would admit Smith to bail in the sum of \$5000, and granted a postponement until Monday next at 10 o'clock a. m., to which hour the court adjourned.

SPARRING EXHIBITION .- A very interesting sparring entertainment came of last evening in the Theatre Royal, the occasion being a benefit to Joe Eden. The bout with the gloves which elicited much applause, Joe delivering several of his tremendous "ribbers" with a stunning effect the kind he wanted.

H. Aarons, sworn—Know Marks, and have had done his best, and as he only intended to man, great or small, on the Island for any sum, before he left. The offer was received with a round of cheers by the audience.

the fellow to justice. RIFLE MATCH .- The most interesting match of the season, and probably the last, will come off on the 26th instant, two weeks from date, between ten of the officers of the day next

the first blow; Tomlinson picked up the schooner with a number of workmen, tools tained outside; and tables and benches had stick from the sidewalk; have seen Tomlin and provisions for three months started for been erected outside calculated to ac-Baynes Sound, where it is the intention of commodate one hundred and fifty persons. T Allsop, sworn—Saw two persons who I the Company who have pre-empted the coal The elements, as I have before said, were think were Marks and Tomlinson fighting on seam to work the rich and extensive deposit adverse to such an arrangement; old Sol

Spark, R. N., advertises that he will receive tenders for the purchase of the gunboat Grappler until the 15th of next month, The vessel is in comparatively good order, and would perform many years' service as a coaster.

THE Fideliter had not arrived up to the hour of going to press this morning. She is probably detained by fogs, dense banks of which hung over the Straits yesterday.

THE California, under the most favorable circumstances, will not be due here until

The Necessity for a Public Market.

Now this is not for want of buyers, but just because buyers and sellers are not which he had pulled up in his boat under potatoes, and offering much more than the other sought. As it was in the beginning

Now cannot the Municipal Council at once set the thing in motion. It will protect the lieges from green-grocers who are anything but green. They have running about to places where firearms are simply to fence a bit of ground and prosold and I spoke to Tomlinson about it; I claim that the first Saturday of every saw Tomlinson and Smith in Buhler's store month is the market day of Victoria. between the hours of 1 and 2 on Tuesday There are several desirable spots for this -a bit of the Church Reserve, the Indian Reserve, or the front of the city prison. yesterday. Mr Ring announced that he had been instructed by Mr Courtney to appear for the detence of Smith and Tomlinson.

F H Lamb, sworn—Am superintendent of beld a stick in his left hand; after he fired haps the Institution might be colonial Or, if we may expect anything so small in office, and the old assembly room, at northwest and southeast, crossing the vein 4,047,288 sovereigns were coined at the Mr. Editor, and oblige yours,

AGRICOLA.

Great Harvest Home Festival at the Parsonage. Cowichan.

Notwithstanding that the weather has been anything but propitious, this annual festival came off with an amount of eclat surpassing the expectation of the most sanguine. Probably not more than half the number of persons got together that would have done so the vein, the stick is not affected, but the had the weather been more agreeable; nevertheless, no fewer than seventy-nine individuals (including a goodly number of crossing a vein causes it to turn. Anladies) assembled to hear the Harvest Home other peculiar feature is, that a coin service, that we have all now learned to look forward to as quite an annual event. The church was tastefully decorated with the fruits of the field; beautiful devices and appropriate mottoes met the eye everywhere. Just over the east window, above the altar, and beneath a cross that stood out, an em- shall be perfectly willing to prove them to £65,005 12s 7d.; the contribution towards blem of hope, and smiling bunches of grain, etc., was written in evergreen letters the text from which the Rev Mr Reece preached a by a current of electricty passing up from sermon that went to the hearts of all his hearers. The rev. gentleman reviewed the different stages of plant life, from the seed to the ripened grain, and pointed out the analogy that exists between it and human life, discover water, oil, etc., it may be that by a current of electricty passing up from the bowels of the earth, through these treviews, and dffusing itself through the atmosphere. As many use the "hazel" to discover water, oil, etc., it may be that an increase, as compared with 1864, of 544, and of the hearts of all his the bowels of the earth, through these treviews, and dffusing itself through the atmosphere. As many use the "hazel" to an increase, as compared with 1864, of 544, and of the hearts of all his the bowels of the earth, through these treviews, and dffusing itself through the atmosphere. As many use the "hazel" to an increase, as compared with 1864, of 544, and increase the compared with 1864 and increase the compared sermon that went to the hearts of all his he referred to the harvesting process that electricity is carried by them; or, again, was constantly being carried on among men, water and oil would more likely be found where God, the great reaper, was daily, hourly, gathering to himself the souls of mortals and stowing them in his garner. He solid rock. The operations of the stick, SKEDADDLE-King, a Westminster man, alluded with touching earnestness to the if properly understood, will save a large SKEDADDLE— King, a Westminster man, who obtained a contract for building the military dwelling on San Juan Island, some months ago, was paid the money (upwards of \$2000) on Wednesday, and boited on Thursday on one of the Puget Sound steam— down to the last turn of the wheel of time, all who have lived shall have been gathered are leaving all the sub-contractors and work.

Skedaddle— King, a Westminster man, alluded with touching earnestness to the grand Harvest Home gathering that will be amount of time and money, expended in various places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and when the surface soil is trejects even the simplest food; and in other invarious places; in stripping the rocks of the surface soil, to discover a crevice; and the surface soil is to industry the surface soil is to industry t in; when we all shall be there, either in the character of fruit fully developed and ripe, or Smith after the affray took place; could transaction is a most rascally one, and every character of fruit fully developed and ripe, or not say, who struck the first blow.

transaction is a most rascally one, and every character of fruit fully developed and ripe, or not say, who struck the first blow. sin and iniquity. The sermon throughout was well reasoned and replete with home thrusts. Mr Reece commanded the interest of his hearers throughout, and altogether the Harvest Home service was quite a success. Service over the little church emptied itself of its unwonted crowd of worshippers, who, on the invitation of Mr Reece, adjourned to any scientific attainments. My informathe Parsonage, where they found a bountiful repast provided for them. Mr and Mrs
Reece did the honors with their usual good
tests. He westles been better it good taste. Had the weather been better it was

FOR BAYNES SOUND COAL SEAM .- A intended that the multitude should be enternever deigned to lift upon us the light of his countenance—not a single smile vouchdo it again under similar circumstances, "for with such eager anticipations of pleasure by The Necessity for a Public Market.

Victoria, Oct 10, 1867.

Editor Colonist:—You have several mes urged in your columns the necessity tance, and soon the tramp of freighted sheets and the parting greetings of friends announced that the festive party was breaking up, and that all were prepared to seek again their own respective residences. What matters it that the experience of every one than wind rain, and mud. The whole affair from first to last was a complete success, for which Mr and Mrs Reece have the congratulations of every one, including,

Yours truly. WILLIAM SMITHE. COWICHAN, Oct 6th, 1867.

The Divining Rod-The Practical

EDITORS JOURNAL OF MINING :-Gentlemen-Your remarks (in a late issue of the Journal of Mining) concerning a work on the subject of the "witch-hazel," has led me to address you on the subject. building would do well enough for an the stick) that there was a "lode" running derstand that a few horses and carriages six feet longer in that direction, so as to 1.905,288 threepences, 4,752 silver twothe more convenient. Indeed we want a deceived me, as the "hanging wall" of a 3,584,000 farthings. Altogether, there

the surface. Its operations are singular and worthy of a thorough examination. By walking directly over and in lime with least deviation to either side, causes it to bend towards the person carrying it; or der the instructions from the Secretary of placed in a slit, cut in the point of the fork, appears to break the connection, and its operation ceases. These are facts 1865, the latest date for which the Commisand as I intend to return to the Madoc sioners have returns, was £15,662 8s 9d. mines in the early part of September, I The entire revenue from local sources wa any one who will undertake to fathom the police and magistrates from the Commissarmystery. My theory is that it is caused lat chest was £12,037 6s 4d, making a total

GEO. W. JONES.

AMERICAN ESTIMATE OF SIR MORTON PETO'S POSITION.—The New York Times says :-We should be extremely sorry to add to the misfortunes of Sir Morton Peto by ungenerous criticism, but if the statement which comes by the cable be true, there is a most extraordinary disparity THE GUNBOAT GRAPPLER. - Paymaster safed he for our benefit; but in spite of the between his means and his indebtedness. old fellow we enjoyed ourselves and could Liabilities to the extent of nine million pounds sterling, (say forty-five million where there's a will there's a way. The out-door games that had been looked forward to and pounds, or a trifle over a quarter of a the youth of both sexes were of course out million, is a balance sheet not often of the question; the rain put a damper on everything of the kind. Two or three hardy We cannot help doubting the statement as young men did indeed brave for a short time to the liabilities, but Sir Morton Peto's the pelting storm and play a game or two at debts must be immensely large. He has been in difficulties a very long time, there their position in the wet and retreated to shelter beneath Mr Reece's hospitable roof is every reason to suppose that he was so again. As evening drew on people began to when paying that visit to this country, think them that their homes lay at a dis- which is memorable, if for nothing else, on tance, and soon the tramp of freighted steeds account of its extravagance and pretension. After that there was an awkward relation in connection with the London, Chatham and Dover Railway, and the Spectotor openly accused Sir Morton of was for a time after sounds of patter, patter, splash, splash. Stout frames and light hearts are proof against more serious things thought that a member of Parliament cold not lightly afford to accept such a st zma. From that time to the present there have been repeated rumors that the Peto firm was in a state of collapse, and we confess that as the facts appear now we think it would only have been honest in Sir Morton Peto to have wound up his affairs long ago. He has only added to his ruin and dragged innocent sufferers Experience of a Medium in Quartz into its vortex, by letting it be supposed that he could weather the storm. A pretty episode this to the display and profusion which the Peto party exhibited here two years ago!

> GOLD IN RUSSIA .- The quantity of gold produced in 1864 by private industry, as well in the Oural mountains as in Eastern few years since, I was let into the mysteries of the "witch-hazel." Previous to
> that, I was as great a skeptic as any one
> that, I was as great a skeptic as any one in regard to it, but my senses of sight and sian gold, the results obtained having everyfeeling (as fate has ordained me one of where surpassed those of preceding years. the mediums) were too severely worked As regards Eastern Siberia. the production upon to remain any longer a doubter on the subject. At that time I tested its operations in every way, and was fully drought had not often interrupted the works, satisfied that it was a reality. For the was the result of works in new bearings. past five months I have been operating in In Western Siberia, 1865 yielded 0 272 ton mining at Madoc, C. W., and have con- more gold than was obtained in 1864, and tinued my experiments with the forked stick (not with the "hazel" alone, as I find most young wood will produce the same effect.) In April last I selected a spot where the stick indicated a vein running northeast and southwest and set my ning northeast and southwest, and set my an idea of the importance of its bearing, men to work, (where there were no surface adopt as a minimum the average production indications of a "crevice.") After excavating a few feet, the crevice became very clearly defined, showing two regular wells about four feet apart, with the vein walls, about four feet apart, with the vein running perpendicular. By continued extwenty six tons in 1864, and at a little more than twenty six tons in 1865.—London Mining

Coinage of 1866.—In the year 1866. of the officials, could be turned into a the northeast end of our shaft. 1mmedi- 914.760 florins, 4,989,600 shillings, with Tomlinson except the one on Tuesday sheep-fold and chicken-house. As I unately directed the men to open the shaft 5,140,080 sixpences, 4,158 fourpences, which have been connected with court develop the two veins with the one shaft. pences, 7,920 silver pence; also 9,999,360 will soon be sold, the market would be all | This experiment proved the stick had not copper pence, 2,508,800 halfpence, and market and want it badly. Do help us, northwest and southeast vein, dipping to fore, money was coined at the Mint in the northeast, was exposed, showing, as I 1866 to the amount of £5,076,676 in expected, another well-defined "lode." I gold, £493,416 in silver, and £50,624 in experimented with this systery continually, copper, or £5,620,716 in all. Worn and I am satisfied that it has never yet silver coin of the nominal value of £115. deceived me, and I venture to say that I 000 was purchased from the Bank of can trace any quartz vein as fast as I can | England, for re-coinage, and a loss of calk, taking a Virginia fence course, on £15,648 was occasioned by its re-coinage.

> WESTERN AUSTRALIA. - The number of emigrants, exclusive of convicts, who proceeded from this country to Western Australia in 1866 was only 167. Of these 144 were despatched by Emigration Commissions un-State, and consisted of 68 single women, 22 married people, 5 single men and 19 children No deaths occurred on the voyage. The number of convicts despatched to the colony ef 77,942 18s 11d. The total expenditure Paper.

WEAK STOMACH, OPPRESSION AFTER EATING. sunk, in blind groping for a crevice in the rocks, where the forked stick would have pointed it out in a few moments, without trouble or expense. It is time this puritanical stigma of witchery, was trampled under foot, and science assume the mastery. I would urge upon you the importance of this matter, and would be pleased to render any assistance in my power towards its development. I do not claim any scientific attainments. My information has been gathered from practical experience in quartz mining.

York, testifies that for five years, she was unable to digest solid food—taking nothing but jellies, rice, and arrow=roct—and even these caused her so much uneasiness, that she was obliged to limit the quantity to a couple of ounces, three times a day. She was terribly emaciated, and, to use her own words, "hardly cared to live." After having tried more than twenty modes of treatment, she at length commenced taking Briston's SUGAR—COATED PILLS, and she states the result as follows: "I am thankful to say that I am quite well. I eat heartly, sleep comfortable, have recovered my flesh, and feel no pain. All this I owe to Briston's SUGAR—COATED PILLS, and I carnestly recommend them to all who suffer from weak stomach. They are sure." They are put up in glass vials, and will keep in any climate. In all cases arising from, or aggravated by impure blood. cases arising from, or aggravated by impure blood BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA should be used in connection with the Pills.

Fort street near Douglas,