

"To preserve French friendship I have repeatedly given way to French demands and thus often have antagonized opinion in this country. But I cannot go to the extent of approving a policy which is endangering the peace of the world, even to please one section of a people for whose country I have always entertained most genuine admiration."

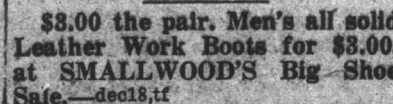
"I am told these proposals (for detachment of Rhine Prov-

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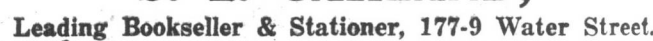
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GOVERNMENT.
Fortia sailed north at 2 a.m. to-day.
Senef arrived in port at 7.30 a.m. to-day; sailing north to-morrow.
Sebastapol left Argentina yesterday afternoon for Hr. Buffet.
Susu left Wesleyville early this morning.



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O'Regan's Meat Market

Rosalind is due at 6 p.m. this
yesterday, with a full load of
vision for that port and Bay
lands. ~~made bread~~ ~~cottages~~
Mapledawn leaves St. John, N.
morrow for this port.
Meigs hauled to the S.S. S. E
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