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California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 19.—The steamer Montana sailed for Panama this morning.

The steamer Great Republic, from Hong Kong and Yokohama, arrived at 8 p.m.

MARKETS.

Flour—No transactions; market steady.

Wheat—Market firm at \$2 45 to 2 55.

Barley—\$1 70 to 1 80.

Oats—\$1 70 to \$1 77 1/2.

Gold in New York closed at 139 1/2; Sterling, 109 1/2 to 110.

Legal Tenders 71 1/2 to 72.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Gold in New York to-day 139 1/2.

Legal Tenders are steady at 71 1/2, buying; 72, selling.

Flour—Market steady at current rates.

Wheat—Firm at \$2 50 to \$2 55 for medium to choice.

Barley—Sales at \$1 70 to 1 80.

Oats—In light request at \$1 70 to 1 85 for fair to choice.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Arrived, Nov. 22.—Steamer John L. Stephens, 14 days from Sitka via Victoria, 6 days; H. W. Almy, 19 days from Port Ludlow.

Steamer Golden City arrived at 8 this morning from Panama.

Opposition steamer Oregonian sails on Monday for Panama.

MARKETS.

Flour—Oregon extra brands, \$7 25 to \$7 50 in small lots; city brands superfine, half-sacks, \$6 75 to 7 00; gr-sacks, \$7 to 7 75; extra, half-sacks, \$7 50 to 7 75; gr-sacks, \$7 75 to 8 00.

Eastern States.

ATLANTA, Nov. 16.—The official vote of Georgia is 102,000 for the Convention and 40,000 against; 86,000 whites voted for the Convention.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—The Treasury Department decides that unless holders of 7.30's present them for conversion into 5.20's at maturity the option is lost afterwards and they will be paid in greenbacks.

ALBANY, Nov. 17.—Official returns for 48 counties, and reported majorities in New York and King's Counties, give a Democratic majority of 50,283.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Coeburn and McCool met here yesterday and signed an agreement to fight for \$5000 a side within fifty miles of Cincinnati, on May 27th.

New York, Nov. 19.—A rumor was circulated yesterday among the Fenians that an attempt will be made to burn a British ship here in case the Manchester prisoners under sentence for shooting are executed.

A meeting of citizens will be held for an expression of opinion in relation to the rights of adopted citizens travelling abroad.

OMAHA, Nov. 19.—A special reports the Indian Commissioners returning to Fort Laramie without concluding a treaty. All the Indians are invited to meet in council at Fort Kearney in June next.

AUGUSTA, Nov. 18.—Returns from Florida show that the Convention has carried by a large majority. Most of the delegerate elected are negroes.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—At the Caucus of leading Democrats held at Washington on Sunday, to take into consideration the most available Presidential candidate, General Steadman was chosen. A statement was made to the effect that General Grant had been sounded and said that he would not accept the Democratic nomination under any circumstances.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The Senate and House met at noon. Forty-two Senators present. The delegates from Montana and Washington were sworn in. Robinson of New York introduced ques-

tion of charges against Minister Adams for neglecting his duty in failing to protect the rights of American citizens in Ireland, demanding investigation in order to present articles of impeachment if the charges are true; also to request the President to order Adams' recall.

A NEW YORK HERALD LIE!

The New York Herald's British Columbia letter says every inhabitant, except the officials, is openly advocating the annexation of that country to the United States.

NOVA SCOTIA.

HALIFAX, Nov. 19th.—The steamer Cuba arrived to-day. Chas. Diokens is a passenger.

WEST INDIES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18th.—A Herald's Kingston special says fears prevail of another negro' revolution and outbreak. The negroes were disciplined and ready to take arms. A great panic exists all over the island. The white population are seriously menaced.

It is announced that San Domingo city is destroyed, probably by an earthquake. No particulars had been received.

The insurrection in Hayti is confirmed. The American consul was fired at but escaped unhurt.

HAVANA, Nov. 18.—No particulars of the submersion of Tortola (?) have been received; only rumors of serious disaster by hurricane. A private letter from Tortola makes brief reference to hurricane, but no mention of a general loss of life. The family of the resident magistrate were drowned.

The Great Tornado.

New York, Nov. 21.—Porto Rico papers give full particulars of the late great storm in the West Indies. The previous reports are almost fully sustained. On the Island of Porto Rico, destruction was lamentable. Not a single house was left standing, and hundreds of lives are lost. The same is true of the island of Vieques. At St. Thomas the damage was very great.

Mexico.

HAVANA, Nov. 17.—Juarez has commuted the sentence of the Imperialist Generals and Colonels, native and foreign, to four years' imprisonment; field and staff officers to three years, and line officers to two years; other foreign adherents of the empire are sentenced to banishment.

HAVANA, Nov. 18.—Maximilian's body is in a badly decomposed state, and has been delivered to Admiral Tegetoff, and was expected at Vera Cruz by the middle of November.

Europe.

PARIS, Nov. 17.—The French troops are preparing to go into winter quarters at Civita Vecchia.

DUBLIN, Nov. 17.—The Fenian prisoners, Halpin, Warren and Costello, on being asked if they had anything to say against the pronouncement of sentence and trial without a mixed jury, claimed American citizenship.

PARIS, Nov. 18.—The Emperor opened the French Chambers to-day. He said France no longer objected to German unity and consolidation.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Parliament opened to-day. The Queen was not present. The speech was read by a Royal commission. She says she had no alternative but to send an expedition to Abyssinia and asks an appropriation for the expenditure. She hopes Napoleon will withdraw his troops from Italy to avoid unfriendly relations with Victor Emmanuel. She refers to the Fenian disturbances, and concludes with the promise that Government will introduce a reform bill for Scotland and Ireland.

The Times praises Napoleon's speech, and regards it as much more liberal, peaceful and sensible than any previous one.

The Queen's speech in Parliament and Napoleon's pacific address have had a tranquillizing effect on Europe and re-

stored confidence in the principal political and financial centres.

MANCHESTER, Nov. 19.—Government is concentrating a strong force of military to prevent an outbreak or attempt to rescue condemned prisoners.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—It is reported that Minister Dix has proposed to the Emperor that the United States be represented in the coming general conference. The Emperor approved of the proposition.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—In the House of Commons, Lord Stanley said England had been invited to join a general European conference, but refused unless a distinct plan of action was proposed. He thought participation in such a congress would only add to the responsibilities of England without doing any good. Nearly all the members who spoke to-night condemned the course of France in sending a military expedition to Italy.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—The Pontifical troops are actively engaged in fortifying the approaches to Rome and building substantial works of defence.

FLORENCE, Nov. 19.—The speech of Napoleon had a good effect on the Italians. They believe the words of the Emperor imply ultimate gratification of the wishes of Italy.

LONDON, August 20.—Despatches from Florence say the Italian Parliament will open on December 5th. Ratazzi is certain to be made President of the popular branch of Parliament. It is said Menabrea has issued another note wherein the action of France in invading the Papal States is severely denounced.

SAFETY OF DR. LIVINGSTONE.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Despatches are received announcing the gratifying intelligence of the safety of Dr. Livingstone. The doctor was known to be safe and well and then exploring the waters of Africa hundreds of miles from the sea coast.

The House of Commons has passed the annual bill.

Last night an effort which was made to save the lives of the Fenians convicted at Manchester gave rise to a long and earnest debate. The motion was finally withdrawn. The condemned Fenians have been granted a respite. Public meetings were held at Manchester and London yesterday and resolutions adopted petitioning for mercy. A large public meeting was held at Birmingham for the same purpose. Riotous demonstrations occurred.

Miscellaneous Items

A Viscountess Montmorency has recently been fined in a London court for abusing her servant.

Earl Russell is 75 years old, and a correspondent thinks it time that he retired to water his laurels.

The fish-dealers in Lambeth, England, have a way of deodorizing half-decayed fish, which makes it just as good as new, if you don't know about it.

M. du Chailu, the African traveller, whose arrival in the United States was noticed not long ago, has returned to England.

The workmen of Birmingham are considering the question of sending a workingman to Parliament as the third member for that borough; and propose to raise £500 a year to pay his expenses.

On being chosen president of the British Association, the Duke of Buccleuch made a speech in which, alluding to the phrase "the bold Buccleuch," he said that of all the deeds attempted by men of his race, perhaps the boldest was his taking the chair on that occasion.

An English judge visiting a penal institution proposed to try the treadmill. After a little time he desired to be released, but was told by the warden that it was set for twenty minutes, the shortest time possible, and the poor judge had to tread until his term expired.

A new wonder has appeared on the Paris stage. Her name is Albert. The story is told that one evening the orchestra failed to appear, but she went on and played a vaudiville full of snatches of songs without any other accompaniment than the plaudits of the audience, without missing a note.

Manner of John Brown.—It is undoubted that the Queen will shortly lose the personal services of her faithful Highland gillie, John Brown, who has been her Majesty's chosen attendant in her rides and drives ever since the death of the Prince Consort—who having a special liking for and trust in him—transferred him to her service. He was included, as it may be remembered, in the striking picture by Sir Edwin Landseer, of the "Queen at Osborne," in this year's Academy Exhibition, and no photograph could have given a more perfect fac simile of his personal appearance and respectful bearing. It appears that, despite the confidential post assigned him in the Royal household, he is desirous to redeem the troth long ago pledged to a young Scotch woman of his own grade; and it is understood that a residence in one of the lodges at Balmoral, with the supervision of a certain part of the domain, will prove a gratifying testimonial to him of the value entertained of his service by his royal mistress.

A SINGULAR SLIP IN THE REFORM BILL.—The Observer inserts the following singular statement from a correspondent: "The Chancellor of the Exchequer and his friends thought themselves very clever in including only males as voters; but the Act of 1850, known as Lord Brougham's Act, for shortening the language used in Acts of Parliament, provides that in all Acts, words importing the masculine gender shall be deemed and taken to include females, etc., unless the contrary is expressly provided. Mr. Disraeli has not expressed the contrary, and therefore women are safe to vote if they like. The same Act also enacts that county shall be held to mean also 'county of a town or of a city,' unless such extended meaning is expressly excluded by words. In this case, the Representation Act expressly excludes county of city and county of a town."

THE PRINCESS OF WALES.—The Princess of Wales, we understand, has made decided improvement in her health; it is anticipated, her recovery complete, and not distant. Her Royal Highness already begins to walk a little in her room with assistance, but unfortunately the roads outside of the town are too rough to enable her to take much carriage exercise, and the sheltered drives in the park are too much frequented for the Princess to be often in them. Under the skilful and attentive direction of Mr. Paget, the visit to Wiesbaden so far promises every success. Her Royal Highness is retaining flesh, and the reports of her doctors are all favourable.

Dr. Gross, the justly celebrated surgeon of Philadelphia, was once dangerously ill. Shortly after his recovery he met one of his lady patients—they are not always patient ladies, who remarked to him: "Oh, doctor, I rejoice to see that you are out again; I had lost you our good people would have died by the dozen." "Thank you, madam," replied the affable doctor, "but now I feel they will die by the Gross!"

A gentleman once asked a little girl, an only child, how many sisters she had, and was told "three or four." Her mother asked Mary, when they were alone, what had induced her to tell such an untruth. "Why, mamma," cried Mary, "I didn't want him to think you were so poor that you hadn't but one child!"

Shipping Intelligence

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Nov 19—S/r Eliza Anderson, Finch, Pt Townsend. Schr A Crosby, Perkins, Astoria.

Nov 14—S/r Eliza Anderson, Finch, Pt Townsend. S/r New World, Winsor, Fort Townsend.

CLEARED.

Nov 19—S/r Eliza Anderson, Finch, Pt Townsend. S/r New World, Winsor, Fort Townsend.

PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND, W.T.

ENTERED.

Nov 12—S/r Helix, entered coastwise, loads at Pt Helix for San Francisco.

Nov 14—S/r Hawaiian bark Ava, loads at Unalaska for Callao.

MARTIME ITEMS.

The new schooner Alaska sails to-day for San Juan to take in cargo of lime and stone for Portland.

The British clipper ship Don Juan was yesterday towed into harbor by the steamer Cyrus Walker from Unalaska, bound for Valparaiso. She may be detained a few days owing to the illness of the Captain's wife, who is on board. Owing to the dense fog which has hung over the harbor since Thursday afternoon the Don Juan barely escaped getting aground on the bars near Point Wilson.

PASSENGERS.

Per S/r ELIZA ANDERSON from Puget Sound—Mr McNaught, Leppard, J Rily, J M Hines, R C Hines, J D Stocking, Jas Corbett, Hadsbary, Wm Carroll, W Wagner, Mrs Gulle, W Strong, B Bowman, C Lima, Powers, W Joseph, Jaggins, Armstrong, J Martin, J McDonald, A Havel, N Lewis, W Lewis, Jas Frank, Geo Watson, A Kloutch, 1 Stwaab, 3 Chinamen.

IMPORTS.

Per schr CROSBY, from Portland—400 ske bran, 300 do flour, 600 do flour, 178 do wheat, 810 do bran, 225 do middlings, 68 do flour, 30 boxes apples, 12 do 3 pgs butter, 20 ske flour, 1 bbl salmoun, 1 c on books.

Per S/r ELIZA ANDERSON from Puget Sound—27 ske bran, 2 do feed, 1 c alf, 2 boxes apples, 1 box butter, 1 c on hay, 12 ske oysters.

CONSIGNEES.

Per schr CROSBY, from Portland—J R Stewart.

Per S/r ELIZA ANDERSON from Puget Sound—J Jackson, Francis, Brodwick.

MARRIED.

In this city, Nov. 20, the wife of Mr R. Dickinson, of a son.

November 19, the wife of Mr C. Maidment (Half-way House, Esquimalt Road), of a son.

In this city, Nov. 16th, the wife of Mr R. H. Alexander, of a son.

MARRIED.

In this city, Nov. 16th Inst., by the Rev. Thomas Somerville, David Ross, Engineer, to Amelia Stoddin, both of this city.

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