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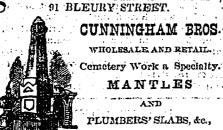
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Plaintiff:

oferna i ees o **Va.** . The said Auguste Bourget, Defendant

An action en separation de biens has been instituted in this cause, the 15th reb uary instant.

ROY & BOUTILITER,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Montreal, February 17th 1879.

DAMPHLETS, DEEDS OF SALE, LAW FORMS. &c.,

761 ORAIG ST. West of Victoria Square. I New York, February 26:—A Washington | Chargory, February 27.—Prince Larguer, nice of the German Emperor, Epites as an appearing to the air.

### TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES.

CINCINNATI, O., February 25 .- Archbishop Purcell publishes a card denying the statement that German Catholics are disaffected towards him in his present troubles.

LONDON, February 26.—The British Museum was successfully lighted last night with the

New York, February 26 .- David Pender, who recently tore a diamond ring from the ear of a lady on 5th Avenue, was found guilty of robbery in the first degree and condemned to the most severe punishment possible under the law-20 years hard labor. Ladies are rebuked for wearing tempting jewelry in the streets and carrying portemonnales in an exposed fashion.

New York, February 26 .- The lady physicians, in a card published to-day, condemn female tramps, and say a few miles a day, moderate walking, is the most any woman should ever attempt.

Sr. Petersburg, February 26 .- The sale of the Golos on the streets has been prohibited, the authorities declaring that its plague news was false and exaggerated.

MADRID, February 26.—Work has been commenced on buildings for the International Exhibition of 1880. Duelly, February 26.—The condition of Dr.

Butt is decidedly improved.

London, February 26.—Mail advices from Cape Town explain the recent disasters to the British forces: The Zulus attacked Durnford's column before it reached the encampment, where Pulleine commanded; Pulleine went to the assistance of Durnford, and was himself cut off by the Zulus.

VIENNA, February 26 .- The Political Corresuondence states that there is some excitement at Adrianople on account of the arrival of a number of Eulgarian refugees, and the recent attack on the Greek Archbishop. The Russian authorities have adopted special precautions against outbreaks.

CONSTANTINOPLE, February 26.—The Bulgarians at Demotica sacked the residence of the Greek Metropolitan, where the Ottoman Governor was residing.

CAIRO, February 26.—The Khedive's son,

Prince Hassan, commander of the army, publicly apologized to the English Consul for insults to Mr. Rivers-Wilson. Paris, February 26 .- The "Soir" professes

to have private information that the Khedive has asked England and France what civil list will be guaranteed him if he abdicates in favor of his son. Berlin, February 26 .- The Emperor is

slightly indisposed with affection of the larynx and cough. Lord Dufferin remains here some days. He will have an interview with Bismarck. London, February 26.-A Berlin despatch

says: Brisk official correspondence is progressing between Germany and Denmark. Bismarck, replying to a deputation of Alsatian members of the Reichstag, who presented a petition for extension of self-government, malformation. She consented, and last

mated that further concessions may soon be

expected. New York, February 26 .- The Herald's Tashkend despatch says there is conflicting evidence concerning Shere Ali's condition. Afghan ambassadors pretend that they have received news of the Ameer's convalescence. General Kaufmann has decided to await instructions from St. Petersburg before receiving the Afghan ambassadors, as, in the event of Shere Ali's death, the visitors lose all their

quality of ambassadorship.

London, February 26.—Nearly all Ashton-

under-Lyne weavers have resumed work. BLACKBURN, Eng., February 26 .- Operatives in Marriage and Pinnock's mill have struck against 10 per cent. reduction. The masters are acting in concert to enforce a general reduction.

London, February 26 .-- An estimate will be submitted to Parliament for an advance of have ever read?" "Well, I like Buffalo £1,500,000 for expenses of the Zulu war. Bill' best," he replied; "it was full of mur-This does not purport to represent any exact wise be a deficiency in the budget, which could do the same myself." expires on the 4th of April.

Prince Louis Napoleon has written a letter | Field has issued invitations to a reception, to announcing his intention of joining the British forces. He says:—"For the last eight the 10th of next month, the occasion being years I have been the guest of England. My the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization completed in an English military tion of the first cable company. The cards of school, I have strengthened my ties of friendship with the English army by taking part in its annual manœuvres. The war at the Cape having assumed a more serious character, I have wished to follow the campaign. I could not refrain from sharing the dangers and fatigue of the troops among whom I have so many friends. Moreover, the time spent in

murderer, executed at Leeds yesterday, died forgiving all his enemies. Some days before the execution he confessed he was the murderer of the Manchester policeman at What- years ago. The times have marked a great ley Range in 1876, for which a man named Harbon was sentenced to death, but the sentence was commuted, on account of Harbon's youth, to life imprisonment. Peace said he was surprised by the officers while attempting a burglary, and fired in self-defence. He was in court when Harbon was rentenced. Manchester newspapers find discrepancies between the statements of Peace and the circumstances of the Whatley Range murder. It is believed that Peace sought to prolong his life pending an investigation of his statement. The Home Office bas begun an inquiry.

San Francisco, February 26 .- Chinese agitation in Australia is subsiding; nevertheless the Government proposes to introduce a bill restricting Chinese immigration.

CHICAGO, February 28.—Dr. Detmars, Government Inspector of Cattle, has written to Mr. Hickson, of the Grand Trunk Railway, stating most positively that there is no trace or suspicion of pleuro-pneumonia in any section of the Western States.

TRENTON, N.J., February 26 .- The Supreme Court heard arguments yesterday as to whether the State was not bound to release Graham, the accomplice of Hunter, the murderer, in return for testimony on the trial. stated that Connecticut lawyers are watching the result with reference to the coming trial of Wesley Bishop, whose confes-sion was used in the rial of Mrs. Cobb.

NEW YORK, February 26 .- The World says the scaudulous conduct of several senators during the session of the Senate on Monday night is the occasion of much gossip. At the night session last week two or three senators were so much intoxicated that ridionlous speeches made by them were withheld from the record.

Sr. Louis, February 26.- A sensation in the United States Circuit Court yesterday was caused in the Great Middlings Purifier suit against St. Louis millers. for infringement of patents invo ving \$45,000,000, by the statement that ex-Governor Stanard, Vice-President of the Millers' National Association, and Mr. Keplor, of Missouri State Association, had compromised with plaintiff. Stanard and Keplor will probably be expelled from THE EVENING POST, the National Association, and stricken from

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will claim that the evidence shows that Florida and Louisiana were carried by the Democrats.

A Washington special to the Tribuns says: sumptuous collation was set; coffee, chocolate and lemonade was served abundantly, but no wines. The Sun says :- There was a promiscuous crowd and shabby supper at the White House last night, and Evart's dispensed punch and wines in a small room in the State Department. The Times says :- It was intended that none but the higher officers of the Government should attend the reception at the White House last night, but in consequence of the blundering or ignorance of those charged with the management, many invitations were secured by professional parties, and in some instances by people of questionable reputation. For the first time in the history of the country, newspaper representatives were excluded from the public reception at the White House; they were given tickets of admission to the vestibule only.

London, February 26.—A despatch from Cape Town says that latest advices from the Interior are to January 29th, at which date communication had been established between all the British forces. Several successful engagements had been tought with the Zulus, in which the latter lost heavily. News from South Africa is more assuring, and the feeling here is calmer.

Lisuon February 27.—An examination of the damages sustained by the United States frigate "Constitution" develope the necessity of placing her on the dry dock for repairs, which will take at least one month.

Panis, February 27 .- The Soir says that the Khedive of Egypt contemplates resigning.
Berlin, February 27.—The funeral of Field Marshal Von Roon took place to-day with great pomp. The Emperor was unavoidably absent, as he is suffering with a severe cold. The Empress, Crown Prince, Generals Von Moltke and Manteuffel and many other distinguished persons were present.

The Tariti Commission propose a tax on raw iron of fifty pfennigs per hundred

Petersecre, February 27 .- In Sussex Co., yesterday afternoon, Anderson Mason, a negro man, assaulted Richard Hale, aged 17. The boy ran, and the man pursued and killed him with a butcher's knife. They had a dispute

about a dog. The murderer escaped. WILMINGTON, Del., February 27 .- In Hartford Co., on Monday evening, Thos. Lomax, and Englishman, quarrelled with his wife and smashed her skull with a hammer. The police are looking for him now.

New York, February 27 .- Miss Kate Farnham, a beautiful and accomplished lady, of Oswego, came here troubled with malformation of the feet. Dr. Stephen Smith, after carefully diagnosing her feet, recommended amputation as the only means of obviating the painful evil. He explained that was the only remedy for the peculiar nature of the admitted the justice of their claim, and inti- Thursday was placed under the influence of powerful resthetics, and Smith, assisted by another surgeon, amputated both feet from the ankle. She seemed to be progressing favorably until the second day, when she became delirious, in which condition she remained for five days, death putting an end to

her oufferings yesterday. Four Italian boys, under sixteen years of age, who say they were slaves to a padrone, were freed by the Children's Society at the instance of the Italian Consul-General.

New York, February 27 .- James Fields, in his lecture on fiction last night, said: "I recently paid a visit to the l'omeroy boy, sentenced to be hanged for killing three children. but afterwards commuted to imprisonment for life. I asked him if he read much, and he said he did. "What kind of books do you read?" "Mostly one kind," he said; "mostly dime novels." "What is the best book you ders and pictures of murders."

New York, February 27 .- Mr. Cyrus W.

tion of the first cable company. The cards of invitation are gotten up in a most artistic manner, Europe, Asia, Africa and America being represented in each of the four corners, and all intertwined and gracefully joined together by a cable which surrounds the card in the centre. At the bottom of the card is an engraving representative of the room in Mr. Field's house where the com-Chandler White, and David Dudley Field, who was present as counsel. All are still living, except Mr. White, who died over 20 change in the appearance of these gentlemen since then, with the exception of Peter Cooper. who looks almost as young as the likeness of 25 years ago, still, all of them are healthy, active men, and are likely to be spared a long time to the world and the community which they have so greatly benefited. Mr. Cyrus W. Field is as active as ever, and the noted difference between his present appearance and the likeness is in the whiteness of his hair, which was then dark and Iuxuriant. The center at the top of the cards contains the coat of arms of the Field family, finished in gold, the motto being Without God nothing," and adds greatly to the beauty of the card. Many of the prominent men of this country, Canada and Europe, will be present, and in all probability it will in point of guests and entertainment be the most elegant and noteworthy reception evergiven in this country.

BROOKLYN, N.Y., February 27.- John Jason a Chinaman, says he gave one Patrick White \$205 to keep for him and that White appropriated the money to his own use. Jason has brought a suit to recover his money.

New York, February 27 -- Margaret Mc-Grath, aged one hundred and seven, died last night.

The mysterious John Wilbur is on trial now for burglary in connection with notorious outlaws. Wilbur is middle-aged and intelligent. He lived in a stylish house in a fashion able locality.
New York, February 27.—It is reported

that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company are offering to carry freights to New York from the West on a basis of 25c, per 100 lbs from Chicago. It is understood to be in reprisal for the combination recently effected whereby the B. & O. Company secured the through outlet to this city.

Beaum, February 27 .- It is reported that Bismarck has given it to be understood that, in the event of a decrease of the powers of the Speaker of the Reichstag over the members thereof, it has been proposed that the Parliamentary Discipline Bill may be ultimately withdrawn. Vienna, February 27.—An avalanche near.

Marburg killed 21 persons and destroyed nine houses.

special to the Herald says Potter's committee | kine, Governor of Charkoff, Russia, who was | takes place at Windsor on March 13. She shot by an unknown assassin, while return-

ing from a ball on the 21st inst., has died. St. Petersbung, February 27 .- The footman supposed to have been attacked with -At the White House reception last evening | the plague, and who, with 48 associates, was isolated, proves to be afflicted with a very

ordinary disease. The Grand Duke Wiatcheclay, youngest child of the Grand Duke Constantine, and nephew of the Czar, is dead, aged 17.

SOUTHAMPTON, February 27 .- Ex-Empress Eugenie accompanied her son. Prince Louis Napoleon, to this city, and witnessed his departure to-day for the seat of war in South Africa. LONDON, February 27 .- In the House of

Commons, Sir Stafford Northcote, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in submitting a supplementary credit for £1,500,000 which he proposes to obtain by Exchequer Bonds, said he anticipated an excess of expenditure over revenue of £3,000,000, two million of which are provided for. A portion of the credit is to be used for the Transvaal war, and the balance for the Zulu war. The credit was adopted without a division.

Although the House of Commons voted the credit asked for, considerable opposition was manifested to the Government's proceedings against the Zulus, especially by the Home Rulers. Chamberlain, a Radical member, also declared that the war was unjust and iniquitous.

Waddington told a deputation of Protectionists, yesterday, that it would be difficult to resist the result of the debates in the Chambers upon the economic regime. He could well understand the intervention of the United States, as a producing country, should play a great role in the crists, from the reaction of which France is now suffering.

La France states that Waddington is of opinion that England is now shut out from the United States market, and, consequently, that the full weight of the competition of English manufacturers would be concentrated on France, who required to protect herself by duties.

VERSAULES, February 27 .- In the statement of the Commission on the Amnesty Bill presented to-day, it is reported that the Commission thought that they had reason to be indulgent, but they would not have accepted any proposal for a complete amnesty until the debate on the Bill on Friday.

Loxbox, Feb. 27.—Imbert, formerly a Communist engineer officer, who was condemned in contumacium and who, on the accession of M. Grevy, announced in the papers he was in Paris, and had amnestied himself, has been sentenced by Court Martial to five years' imprisonment. It is said that Imbert will, doubtless, be pardoned when the Amnesty Bill passes the Senate. PESTA, February 28.—The delegations were

opened to-day, when £4,500,000 was asked on account of the Bosnian occupation of 1879. London, February 28 .- It is announced that Prince Napoleon has been recommended to Lord Chelmsford, Commander-in-Chief of the South African forces, as an extra aide-de camp. He will shortly be gazetted with the

local rank of captain unattached.

proportion of the expenses of the war. The said, "how do you feel after reading such officially notified of the decision of the two vote is necessary to supply what would other books?" "Oh!" he said; "I felt as though I powers to-morrow. He will probably submit, although it is asserted that he has been

privately encouraged to resist. VERBAILLES, February 28 .- The Souate by

163 to 86 adopted the Government Amnesty bill. Paris, February 28 .- Major Labarderoe, who, in December, 1877, refused to obey or-ders which he considered indicative of a coup d'etat, and who was consequently superseded for disobedience, has just been gazetted to the command of a buttalion. General Breolles, who gave the objectionable order, re-

mains unattached. Berlin, February 28.—The Reichstag today commenced a debate on the budget. The witnessing the struggle of civilization against barbarianism will not be wasted for me."

Charles Peace, the notorious burglar and Cooper, Marshall O. Roberts, Moses Taylor, pointed out that a resort to indirect taxation was indispensable, in order to render the Empire financially independent and relieve indi-

vidual States from heavy contributions.
A criminal inquiry into the affairs of the Cronstadt Bank has been opened. The man-

aging director of the bank has been arrested. DANVILLE, Va., February 28 -The indict-

commanded. General Rosgonoff says if Shere All should die Yakoob Khan will in all probability continue the war.

New York, February 28.—Mrs. Dion Boucicault (Miss Agnes Robertson), who was re-cently announced to appear in Booth's theatre. was a passenger in the "City of Chester," short time.

gave a farewell reception in Berlin on Thurs-

New York, February 28 .- There are a num.

ber of places in New York now where tolerable lodging for males or females can be had for ten or even five cents, and meals at the same rate; but it is asked, how is the following for low :- The proprietor of the lodging house into which the old church at Prince and Marion streets has been metamorphe e., appeared before the Health Board recently to request permission to extend his accommodations. Incidentally he said he charged three and two cents for lodging and a penny for breakfast. His guests either pay in cash or work out their indebtedness in the morning by sawing wood. The landlord of this hostelry does not pretend to be a philanthropist. His was merely a business enterprise. He told the Board he entered into it as a money-making operation, and a subscription of \$50 that had been sent to him from some charitable person he returned to the donor. Another anonymous gift he handed over to the Chil-

dren's Aid Society. New York, February 28 .- Mrs. McKerns yesterday gave birth to two female children, and being a stranger in the house and too poor to hire attendance, she died from the lack of necessary assistance soon after the birth of the children. She was found some hours after her death by the neighbors, who went to see how she fared. The babes were nearly dead from exposure, being but poorly covered, their unfortunate mother not having had strength to wrap them up, nor to call for the help she so badly needed.

New York, February 28 .- James l'attee, the man of many schemes and head of the Wyoming Mining Company, charged with the crime of misusing the Post Office Department, was arrested and bailed in the sum of \$2,500. Pattee was first heard of in 1870 in connection with the Temple lottery of Omaha. He subsequently appeared in Laramie, Wyoming Territory, where he established himself on terms of intimacy with the members of the Legislature, and was enabled to get a charter for a lottery known as the Wyoming lottery. He afterward started the Black Hills Improvement Company. This was succeeded by the American Gold and Silver Mining Co., whose prospectus announced that it owned rich mines in the Black Hills, but had no money for machinery to develop them. His next scheme was the Bullion Gold Minning Company, which was followed in 1876 by the Ferris Centennial Association of Carbon 'ounty, Wyoming Territory.

Loxpon, February 28 - A Russian circular s shortly expected, pointing out the advisability of an early settlement of certain questions which are still pending in connection with the execution of the Treaty of Berlin. Russia will ask the Powers to devise some means to obviate the difficulties attending Turkish military occupation of the Balkans after the evacuation of the Russian troops.

#### The Letellier Question,

OTFAWA, February 28.—The Lefellier-Chap-leau papers were laid on the table of the House of Commons yesterday after the formal com-munications from officials. The correspondence feet from progressing lens she below the second to she regard to say that the lens she below the second day in the presence of the principal English residents.

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"(Signed)
" L. A. CHAPLEAU.
" L. R. GHURCH.
" A. R. ANGERS." Then follows a communication from the Secretary of State of Canada, transmitting a copy of the petition to Lieutenant-Governor Leteller, and requesting a reply from him on the same, after which comes the following telegram:

"Quenec, December 3, 1878. To the Honorable the Secretary of State, Ot-

tawa:

"The obligation I was placed in to go and welcome the Marquis of Lorne and Her ricyal Highness the Princess Louise, coupled with the painful duty imposed upon me of being absent from Quebec to attend the burial of a near relative, have caused a delay in taking up the examination of the petitions which I received through your office on the day I lot. I have telegraphed the Premier, in Montreal, to submit the case to his consideration, and will endeavor to forward an answer at the earliest moment.

"(Signed), "L LETELLIBU."

Licutenant-Governor Letellier brings forward various official documents to prove his case and closes with a letter, of which the following con-

"Government House, i "Government House, i "Quebec, December 7th, 1878. "To the Sceretary of Blate of Canada, Allawa. aging director of the bank has been arrested.

DANYLLE, Va., February 28.—The indictment of \$vo County Judges by the United States Grand Jury causes much excitement. The judges will act in concert and make it an open fight between the State and Federal authorities.

Washington, February 28.—Public Printer Defrees writes to Scantor Anthony, protesting against the amendment to the sundry civil bill, turning over to private parties the Government printing office at a rent of \$50,000, reduction of 10 per cent in the jublic printing. Defrees claims that such arrangement would give parties interests a profit of \$206,377 a year. Defrees also holds the scheme is disastrous to public interests.

New Orleans, February 28.—A run commenced on Monday on the New Orleans Savings Institution. Half a million has been paid out to-day. The Managers decided to pay 15 per cent to depositors, and the balance after 90 days. The officers report the bank solvent.

London, February 28.—It is reported that efforts had been made by English agents to bribe one of the Ameer's Ambassadors, to prevent Russis from intervening, offering \$80,000 as the wage of treason to his master. The Ameer was received with acclamations by the people, and firmly reiterated his Intention of continuing the war. It is also asserted the Afghans have 200 cannon and splendid cavalry, with which they could destroy the invaders of their country if they were properly commanded. General Rosgonoff says if Shere Alt should die Yakoob Khan will in all prob-"I must call your attention to the very extra-

THE DISMAL SWAMP .- The "Dismal Swamp" n Virginia is said to be an entire misnomer. There is nothing dismal about it except its general solitude. It is described by recent visitors as a capital resort for sportsmen, game heing abundant, and fish being ready to rise for Liverpool, restorday. She is accompanied by her daughters, Miss Patrice and Miss Nine, who are to enter a school in Paris.

Mrs. Boucicault will remain abroad only a This purity is ascribed to the influence of the

Lonnon, February 28.—The wedding of juniper tree, which certainly colours if it does Prince Arthur, of England, to the Princess not improve the water, and possibly contri-