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SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Oregon. PORTLAND, June 17.—Steamer California arrived last evening from San Francisco, and sailed on Tuesday 21st.

DELAYED DISPATCHES

Eastern States. WASHINGTON, June 15.—The President has sent to Congress a message in condemnation of the atrocious manner in which the conflict in Cuba is conducted on both sides.

California. SAN FRANCISCO, June 19.—Sailed—Bark Oregon, Seabeck; ship Commodore, Port Ludlow.

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West Indies. HAVANA, June 14.—Police arrested a number of foreign residents at a meeting in Masonic Lodges.

London, June 16.—Advises received here announce the total loss of the British gunboat Olay in the China Sea.

San Francisco, June 14.—Among the committee of 200 citizens appointed by Jacob Deith to make arrangements for the celebration of the Fourth of July are two negroes.

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Shipping Intelligence. PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ARRIVED. June 14.—Norwegian bk Alpha, Nelson, Liverpool ship Hamley, Wilson, Burrard Inlet.

DEPARTED. June 14.—Schiffli, Middleton, Spanish Schir Hina, Middleton, Spanish.

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It would indeed appear to be altogether to avoid the conclusion to which it is our duty to belong

below her great duty and her privilege in the matter of colonial improvement.

The greatest possible good to the largest possible number is the true object of a government.

But what has said of a government which has retarded the growth of an abnormality?

almost reversing the motion of the wheel of pauperism?

has been perverted to accumulate vice shadow of the throne.

has become a festering blister upon the otherwise fair great nation.

Thousands are thus dragging down to wretchedness and ought to make happy and colonial communities.

How true the nation sinned in this matter, how terrible has been its punishment, how are not wanting signs of its moving for some time.

how far, how very far is the mind from fully realizing its privilege in this respect.

one for pauperism is now of colonization; but the question where the money is to carry out a large colonization?

is only half aroused. In this subject an Australian gentleman, Mr. Carlyle says:

The subject used to be one of painful interest to me in that I assumed to me that no nation so glorious opportunities of doing nearly intolerable wrongs and wrongs.

Great Britain, by colonizing, is steadily throwing said away. I have since learnt that will go on with Parliamentary and term a deaf ear to all counsel that or the like kind, and so the speculation long ago, and dead in me.

The English mind, we are being told, is now thoroughly impregnated with a colonial question still awaits an answer sufficient for these things.

question gives the lie to the English mind be fully awake.

the hoarded wealth of the nation is the fifteen or twenty millions better than thrown a year in a futile attempt to purchase a cure?

English going a begging over the sea for four per cent., and yet is asked 'where is the money from? Leaving high and out of view for the momenting at the matter in its low has the British nation any