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Dr. Graham, who three years ago murdered Col. Loring at the St. Nicholas Hotel, in this city, and who after being convicted of manslaughter, and imprisoned, was inconsiderately pardoned by Gov. Clark, was last week shot in a political quarrel in New Orleans." His assailant was set free by a coroner's jury, on the ground of having acted in selt-defense .- N. Y. Paper.

GAS FROM WATER .- On Saturday evening last, the city of Wilmington, Pa, was lighted with gas made from water, under the patent of Great Fastern has been about three years in con-Prof. Sanders, of Cincinnati. A large company struction, and her entire cost will be about three were present to witness the success of the experiment. The supply of coal-gas was turmed off and the water-gas was let into the pipes the Cunard line, who superintended her rigging The light produced is described as thrice as brilliant and twice as pure, as any that the ci izens had before known, but the water gas requires a new kind of burner, and it was only where the new burners were used that the light was superior.

The Buffalo Republic predicts " that in less than ten years a steamboat will be constructed to run on our lakes which will be longer than about 500. the Great Eastern, and capable of carrying three thousand passengers and three thousand tons A special petty sessions was held at Weymouth, freight, and that she will make over thirty miles on Wednesday, for the purpose of hearing a an hour, and be capable of running in Winter as charge preferred by Captain Harrison, the comwell as summer.

The Rochester Daily Union estimates that one hundred thousand barrels of apples await shipment now at the stations on the Richester and bodied seamen. The prisoners had refused to Niagara Division of the road, to say nothing of the other products." The apple crop of Western New York is very large.

A man named Wilson, dressed in a suit of patent submarine armor, walked across the Schuylkill river, under water, at Philadelphia, last week.

The St. Louis Democrat says that upwards of four hundred slaves leave that city every week, nearly all of whom go to the South, and argues that this draining must soon rid the State of slavery. The gross receipts of money in Missouri. from this source, this year it is thought will amount to millions of dollars.

ENTERPISING FEMALES .-- In the town of Pekin, Niagara county, N. Y. state, reside imously agreed to give £500 to any person who Samuel Roberts his wife Salina, and their four | will introduce five pairs of live full-grown saldaughters. They occupy a farm of a hundred mon into the colony. They are also prepared acres, the work of which, such as plowing, to give at the rate of £2 per pair for salmon logging, planting, hoeing, taking care of the smelts, and £1 per pair for salmon fry. Beyond teams, eet., has, during the last year, been per this, the Government is prepared to expend formed by the mother and daughters. The acres, and one of the younger sisters dragged in the grain.

MISCELLANEOUS.

RUSSIA --- The Emperor Alexander has decided that libraries shall be formed in all the vessels of the Russian Navy which make long voyages, and he has ordered that a sum of \$00 roubles shall be at ouce given for the puppose from his private purse, and that an annual allowance of 60 roubles shall be made to every shipof-the-line, and every frigate from the same source

THE GREAT EASTERN. - The steamship millions of dollars. This vessel will be commanded by Captain W. Harrison, formerly of and fitting out. The other officers are, a chief officer, chief engineer, twelve sailing officers, sixteen subordinate engineers, a sailing master a purser, and two or three surgeons.

The crew consists of 60 able bollied seamen, 90 seamen riggers, 200 engineers and firemen. Steward's staff, 100; making, with officers,

MUTINY ON BOARD THE GREAT EASTERN. mander, against 30 of the crew for mutinous conduct. The chief officer said the ship had not her full crew. There were on board about 60 ablewash the deck on Sunday last. Two of the crew, who appeared to be ringleaders, were respectively sentenced to a month and three weeks' imprisonment, and the remainder to a fortnight, with hard labour,

A Mr. Napier of Glasgow. Scotland, has made a discovery recently, by which the consumption of fuel in steamships is greatly economised. It has been tried on several Ocean steamships with success. The saving is one-third in the quantity used, so that on a voyage from Liverpool to the West Indies and back the saving would be £1500 and £2000. This will be an immense advantage to the Great Eastern, and fortunately for her she appears contemporaneously with the discovery.

The Royal Society of Tasmania has unanseveral hundreds of pounds in forming ponds and eldest daughter, aged eighteen, plowed twenty channels for the reception of the noble fish. Salmon, although one of the migratory fishes, does not seem up to the present time ever to have crossed the line.



THE TERRIBLE BRIDGE ACCIDENT AT ALBI-UN, N. Y. The Rochester Democrat has the following additional particulars of the terrible accident at Albion, which was mentioned by Telegraph-

rope to be stretched from the roof of the Mansion House, on the north side of the canal, to a recommendation is the adoption of the militia building on the south side, and announced that he would walk across it The Rope was about two rods west of Main street bridge, an iron arched structure, like most of the new canal bridges, which of course offered an eligible stand point from which to view the performance. It was accordingly crowded with people and teams. The rope walker had got part way across the canal, when the bridge broke in two at the centre, precipitating all who were upon it into the middle of the canal. Men, women, CHINA.-The Liverpool Post says that children, horses, and wagons, were all piled in an indiscriminate mass. The west half of the and 1000 marines are to be raised from the bridge went down first, and of course many of Channel fleet for service in China. those who stood near the break were pitched The utmost activity prevails in the laboratory ly, fell upon and covered them up, Mr. Grant the past week, an order having been received informs us that a pair of horses and carriage from the War Department to prepare and pack full of people were crushed in this way so com- no less than 3 000,000 lbs, of rifle animunition pletely that nothing had been found of them by Tuesday next, to be forwarded by the overwhen he left-two hours after the accident. land route. This ammunition will be placed He thinks that the number killed must be great- in small square boxes, each encased in a bag. er than reported by telegraph. What became for the convenience of transit from Alexandria of the rope walker no body appeared to know. across the Desert. It is also stated that an He was not seen to cross the canal or to return entire brigade of Royal Artillery will proceed to the side from which he started, so far as Mr. to the same destination,' Grant could learn. He may have been startled by the crash so that he fell off his rope into t e canal and swam ashore.

CENTRAL AMERICA .- Mexico continues in a has broken out in Venezuela, which, after several sanguinary conflicts, has been suppressed by the an active part against the Government, had been summarily dismissed, and embarked from Laguayra in the French steamer, Lucifer, on the 15th ult.

against the Haytian Government has been de- had resigned. tected and defeated by the able and vigilant President. Gen. Prophete, who was the leader, has been allowed to leave the island. The disappointed conspirators, revenged themselves by the dastardly assassination of an innocent child, the favorite daughter of the President who was quietly reading in a room in the palace. the we aldelance

A very able writer in the last London Quarterly Review, after discussing the whole subject in a very intelligent manner, deliberately comes to the conclusion that if the French should invade England with 150 000 or 200,000 men, "A young man from Brockport had caused a the whole military power of Great Britain could not prevent the taking of London. His principal system of the United States.

> A small screw steamer, called the Little Lucy, and only 20 tons register, built at Stockton, England, of thin steel plates, to run on a river in Brazil, has made the voyage out to that country in a very satisfactory manner. The steel plates of which the hull of this little steamer was built are only one-eighth of an inch in thickness.

REINFORCEMENTS AND AMMUNITION FOR "It is reported in Plymouth that 2000 seamen

MYSTERIES OF THE BANK PARLORS -The New York Tribune says the discount clerk of one of the city banks recently resigned his situation. His resignation was accepted, his accounts investigated and pronounced all right, frightful state of disorganization. A rebellion and a complimentary vote passed by the Board for his attention to his duties, &c. He then stated to the Board that he had a communication Government. The object of the Revolutionists to nuke, as a caution to induce them to watch would seem to be plunder and revenge, and the his successor. He stated that, notwithstanding Government has the sympathy and support of his accounts were all correct at the time of resthe people. The French Charge having taken ignation, he had, in fact, been using the bils receivable of the bank for years as collateral for loans, and employing the funds in the purchase of paper at usurious rates. By this course he had accumulated sufficient property to meet his moderate desires, and, having no CONSPIRACY IN HAYTI. - A conspiracy further use for the facilities he had enjoyed, he



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