

There were seven murders in the State of Maine within the last three months—two women, four men, one infant. Five of them were committed between April 26 and May 10—a period of twenty-three days.

The pioneer party of the Oriental Topographical Corps from New York, engaged in Explorations of Bible Lands, have gone from Egypt to Syria and Asia Minor.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's election at New York, resulted in the displacing of Captain Stackwell by Jay Gould's interest.

The strike of the Carpenters in New York opens auspiciously for the success of the movement. A great many non-society men are at work, under promise of protection from hostile interference.

A letter from the Fejee Islands states that the Mountain Savages had killed a family of whites named Burns and some Polynesian laborers—altogether sixteen whites, whose bodies were found terribly mutilated. Some of the bodies were carried away for a cannibal feast.

Modes were surprised on Friday and thirteen captured, including Boston Charley, Seafaced Charley and Old Schoneh; Capt. Jack, and the remainder escaped.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

ENGLAND.—In the House of Commons the usual motion to adjourn over to the 5th June, Derby day, was offered on Wednesday last.

Thomas Hughes protested against the practice, and denounced as a public humiliation, such action of parliament, in deference to what was called the National sport. He believed the example was injurious in the highest degree to public morals. He hoped the Government would extend the Betting Houses Act to Scotland, where English sportsmen were still able to evade the law.

After further debate, in the course of which Government promised to extend the act to Scotland, the motion to adjourn to the fifth of June was carried.

On Monday the House in committee of supply, took up the item for payment of the Alabama award. Lord Bentinck declared the Government policy on this matter had been humiliating and degrading. After an explanation from Lord Northcote, Mr. Gladstone said that the advancement of indirect claims by the American Government was a gigantic error. In all other respects he defended the course the Arbitration had taken. The item was agreed to.

A fire occurred on Tuesday morning in Berkeley Square, London. Six persons were unable to escape from the burning building and perished, and others were injured by falling walls. No water was available and the flames spread with great rapidity.

The manufacturers of Wolverhampton are importing iron from the United States, in consequence of the exorbitant rates at which the native production is held.

At the annual dinner on Thursday, of the Royal Literary Fund, Mr. Gladstone presided. The Lord Bishop of Kerry proposed "The Literature of the United States." The sentiment was warmly received; and Mr. J. Lothrop Motley eloquently and cordially replied. He had great stress on the International Bond between the United States and England, and said he regarded the literary men of both countries as fellow citizens of a great English speaking Republic.

FRANCE.—A Paris despatch says the new French Government has resolved to adopt a free trade policy and reduce the military expenditures.

The Orleans Princes, when the question was taken on accepting Thier's resignation, voted in the affirmative.

President McMahon sent a message to the Assembly which was read by the Duke de Broglie as follows:—"I am animated by respect for your wishes and will always scrupulously execute them. The National Assembly had two great tasks—the liberation of French territory, and the restoration of order. The first was ably conducted by my predecessor with heroic patience. The country and I rely on you to accomplish the other. I shall follow the Foreign policy of my predecessor. I wish for peace, and the organization of the army, desirous only to restore our strength and regain for France her rank among nations. The Home policy will be resolutely conservative. The Administration must be imbued with a conservative spirit. I will appoint to offices against of the law to defend society against factions, and stand as a sentinel to see that your sovereignty is obeyed in its integrity."

The Assembly on Friday voted to rebuild the Column Vendome, and adjourned until 5th June.

The Official Journal announces the appointment of Gen. Duharail as Minister of War, in the place of General DeCisey, which completes the reconstruction of the French Cabinet. It is reported that the Marquis DuBouville, French Ambassador at Vienna, will be recalled.

The Funeral of Count Marazion took place on Friday. The city was draped in mourning. Prince Humbert, and the Duke of Aosta were among the pallbearers. Fully one hundred thousand persons witnessed the funeral procession.

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