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THE LASKER LANCE.

Still Being Used To Pierce the Thick Hide of Bismarck.

Official Letters, Telegrams and Talk on the Matter.

Spicy Conversation Between Frelinghuysen and Elendecker.

A Final Official Shaft to Sargent From the Secretary of State.

"A Matter of Regret, but Not of Concern" to the American Congress.

BISMARCK'S BILE.

FURTHER AS TO THE LASKER INSULT.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Accompanying the president's message to the house on the Lasker resolutions, were a number of official letters and telegrams between Secretary Frelinghuysen and Minister Sargent, and between Sargent and the German imperial secretary, which were purely of a routine character. Following these was a memorandum of the conversation of March 7 between Secretary Frelinghuysen and Herr Eisendecker, which opens with the formal presentation of the dispatch from Prince Bismarck, some points of which have already been published, but never officially. It is as follows:

FREIDRICHSRHUE, February 9th, 1884.—[Translation.] The envoy of the United States of America has communicated, with a note dated the 1st instant, the text of a resolution of the American house of representatives, dated the 9th of January, in which the house expresses its regreat at the death of Dr. Edward Lasker. Every appreciation which the personal qualities of a German receive in a foreign country cannot but be pleasing to our national feelings, especially when eminating from such an important body as the American house of representatives. I should therefore have gratefully received Sargent's communication, and should have asked his majesty, the emperor, to empower me to present it to the reichstag, if the resolution of the 9th of January did not at the same time contain an opinion on the direction and effects of the political actions of Representative Lasker, which is opposed to my convictions. In the resolution it is said, in relation to the deceased that "his firm and constant exposition of free and liberal ideas have materially advanced the social, political and economic condition of these people." From my knowledge of the course of the political and economic development the German people has taken I cannot regard this opinion as one in accordance with the facts I have witnessed. I would not venture to oppose my judgment to that of an illustrious assembly like the house of representatives of the United States if I had not gained during an active participation in German internal politics of more than thirty years, an experience which encourages me to attach also to my opinion a certain competency within these limits. I cannot make up my mind to ask his majesty, the emperor, for the necessary authorization to communicate the resolution of the house of representatives of the United States to the German reichstag, because I should therewith have to officially endorse myself, and also to endorse with his majesty, the emporor, an opinion which I am unable to recognize as just.

(Signed) VON BISMARCK."

After reading and presenting to Secretary Frelinghuysen the above letter Minister Von Eisendecker added: "I am further instructed to express to you, Mr Secretary, Prince Bismarck's regrets that he found himself unable to comply with the wish formulated by Sargent, and also to leave with you, if you desire it, the engrossed copy of the resolution which, in my deference to its high origin, I may add my government cannot on its own responsibility feel at liberty to retain.

The secretary of state said: "Mr. Minister, in response to your offer to return the engrossed copy of the resolution, let me say the president cannot be supposed to have any wish in respect to what the German government may do in regard to the disposition of the copy of the resolution of house of representatives after it has decided that it cannot be transmitted to the body for which it was courteously intended."

The minister replied: "Your answer, Mr. Secretary, expresses no wish, and consequently relieves my government from the obligation it has felt to return the resolution which was entrusted to it for transmission."

The last document of the series is a letter from Frelinghuysen to Minister Sargent, written to-day, and is as follows:

"WASHINGTON, March 10, 1884.—SIR: I enclose a copy of a note, of which a copy has been handed me by the German minister, and which state that Prince Bismarck declines to be the medium of communication between the house of representatives of the United States and the reichstag of the resolution on the subject of the death of Mr. Lasker. The resolution was passed by the house with the most courteous motives, for the single pupose of expressing sympathy with a corresponding branch of the government of a friendly nation in the loss of one of its distinguished members, who died within the national jurisdiction of congress. If any other purpose has been surmised, the indisposition of this republic, as proven by the history of a century, to obtrude upon other nations the sound political principles upon which our own prosperity is founded, should have counteracted that surmise. In the customary order of transmission the resolution came into the possession of his excellency, who is pleased to explain the embarassment under which he conceives he would labor by forwarding it to its destination This position, and the personal conviction to which he alludes, are matters affecting his excellency alone, and upon them it is not becoming that I make any remark further than to say it does not occur to me how the transmission of a resolution would have involved an endorsement of the political views of Mr. Lasker. My duty of courtesy to the house of representatives ended with forwarding the resolution through the proper channel to the hands of an officer charged with the administration of foreign affairs of Germany. This government is not disposed to inquire into the relations existing between the different branches of another. The sentiments of the resolutions are now generally known; their merits or demerits can be judged, and its mere transmission officially, as it was intended and claimed on its face to be of friendly intent, while a matter of regret, is not one of concern to either branch of the government of the United States. You will either forward a copy of this instruction to the minister of foreign affairs, or read it to him and leave him a copy, as you ascertain he prefers. I am, &c.,

(Signed) FRED. T. FRELINGHUYSEN.

Letter from Dr. Serre.

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I have been a sufferer in the past with Malaria, which finally became Chills and Fever. Treatment by my physician failed to help me. I used BRANDRETH'S PILLS and was cured. Thirteen months have elapsed since then, and I have had no recurrence. Other members of my family used them for the same trouble, with the same good result.

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J. E. SERRE, *Dentist.*

The Cattle Plague.

TOPEKA, KS., March 10.—Governor Glick, in reply to the resolution adopted at the meeting of the Osage county stockmen, held last week, says: "I do not think the public would justify the calling of the legislature together. It seems to me that the stockmen of your county have started out in the right direction by calling a public meeting. The county's board should meet and make an appropriation for the purpose of buying and destroying any animals diseased in any locality in your county. The legislature has appropriated no means nor authorized any officers to act in such matters, and all I can do is only advising. In case the disease should make its appearance the animals should be at once killed and buried and all straw, and everything on the premises that was exposed, should be burned, and cattle liable to be infected should be properly quarantined. Should the disease break out there should be a competent committee with a veterinary surgeon appointed to appraise the property, pay a fair value for it, and require the owner to disinfect his premises. I have no doubt the legislature would provide for the reimbursement of counties that adopt such measures to stamp out the disease. Many surgeons throughout the country are sending remedies they warrant as being a sure and effectual cure." The governor and several other parties will leave for the diseased districts on a special train to-morrow.

A Case Not Beyond Help.

Dr. M. H. Hinsdale, Kenawee, Ill., advises us of a remarkable cure of consumption. He says: "A neighbour's wife was attacked with violent lung disease, and pronounced beyond help from Quick Consupmtion. As a last resort the family was persuaded to try DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. To the astonishment of all, by the time she had used one half dozen bottles she was about the house doing her own work. I saw her at her worst and had no idea she could recover."

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TRIFLES BY TELEGRAPH.

Gladstone is suffering from catarrh and confined to his room.

The French postoffice reports that the robberies for the past week amount to 100,000 francs.

Mrs. Elizabeth Keating, age 80, burned to death at Philadelphia, yesterday, during a fire in her house.

A fund is being raised in London for the benefit of the family of Tewfik Bey, commander of the ill-fated Sinkat garrison.

James Hughes, who shot and wounded Officer Welch, in Clinton, Iowa, last October, was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

At Boston yesterday the first suit was begun against the Savannah Steamship company to recover damages for loss of life on the steamer City of Columbus.

Carl Schurz, Joseph H. Choate and a number of other gentlemen have been added to the New York independent republican executive committee.

The west-bound express on the Texas & St Louis road was derailed five miles east of Corsicana last Sunday night. Two gentlemen and one lady were seriously hurt.

The Berlin newspapers are absorbed in discussing the rise of a new political party, formed since Lasker's death, by the union of the secessionists and progressists.

Commissioner Fink denies the truth of the report in New York of a cut in rates from Chicago and St. Louis, and says no reduction of rates is contemplated by him.

A Montreal dispatch of yesterday says: The snow storm of the past two days has been the most serious of the winter. Trains are simply cancelled. The snow is 8 feet high.

Frau Materna and Hedwen Winkelmann and Scaria leave Vienna on the 24th of March and Liverpool the 29th for the United States to take part in the Wagner concerts under the direction of Theodore Glenn.

In the New York legislature inquiry into the management of the Ludlow street jail, testimony is given to the effect that whiskey and lewd women were introduced into the jail for prisoners who had money.

At Elgin, Ill., yesterday morning, Charles Koster, an employe of the Elgin Watch company, was found dead in bed from the effects of coal gas, and his wife and two children are in a precarious condition from the same cause.

The Colorado division of the Southern Pacific is badly washed for six miles west of Dargett. One break is 1500 feet long, and two others 800. On the northern division a number of bridges are gone, and it is impossible for passengers to be transferred.

Carl Hathausen, aged 19, a nephew of Her Hathausen Cemloplier, of the Duchy of Brunswick, Germany, was arrested at New York yesterday, on the arrival of the steamship Amsterdam, for entering his uncle's house masked and robbing him of $2,500 on the night of February 15th.

The Northern Pacific and its Chicago connections announce a reduction in the rate on emigrant moveables of about 20 per cent between Chicago and all points west. The Chicago lines will this week issue through freight tariffs in connection with the Northern Pacific.

The republicans carried 4 of 7 wards in Bangor, Maine, yesterday. No choice for mayor. Humphrey, the republican, lacking 77 votes of a majority. In Augusta, also, there was no choice for mayor. The republicans elected three aldesmen and the "citizens" and democrats elected four at Biddeford, the democrats elected the mayor and carried 6 of the 7 wards.

Senators Morgan, Gibson and Blair, of the public lands committee of the senate, have submitted a minority report to accompany the bill to declare the forfeiture of lands granted to aid in construction of Texas Pacifice road. They express the opinion that the judicial power of the United States cannot be exercised either to declare the forfeiture or to relieve against it in the existing state of on laws.

A Monroe (La.) special says: On Thursday night John Rodgers and wife, aged 75 and 60, were murdered, it is supposed, by John Millican and John Clark. The bodies were not found until Saturday, when a posse started in pursuit of the murderers. The men had taken lodging for the night at Rodgers' house. The old couple, sitting by the fire, were shot and instantly killed. The place was ransacked but the murderers failed to get the money which was concealed in a mattress. The murderers escaped on stolen horses.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is an extract of the best remedies of the vegetable kingdom known as Alteratives, and Blood-Purifiers.

WHITE ELEPHANT TALK.

Circus Agents on Their Mettle.

Philadelphia Times.

"Has Forepaugh a white elephant?" said the gentlemanly Ananias of the Barnum show, repeating the reporter's question, and scornfully adding: "Why don't you ask me if John O'Brien has one?"

"Has he?"

"Who? John O'Brien? Why, great Egypt, no—unless he has whitewashed his old African elephant. You're twenty-one, ain't you? Well, don't let any of those Forepaugh guys close your eye on this subject. I'm telling you straight when I say Barnum is the only showman that has a white elephant. Of course he's white," continued the agent, referring to the pachyderm—"that is, as white as sacred elephants go. I don't say he's as white as snow, but he's white in patches. A sort of a calico elephant, so to speak. You've seen a calico hoss?"

"Yes."

"Well, just try and picture to yourself an elephant that looks like that."

While the reporter was endeavoring to draw a mind-picture of a bay elephant, decorated with pink and white patches, the awful untruthfulness of Mr Forepaugh's emissaries flashed through the brain of Mr. Barnum's agent, and, with a frown on his face, he inquired: "Now, you don't for a moment believe that his biscuits"—by that remarkable title he meant Mr. Forepaugh—"up Chestnut street could buy a white elephant? No, of course you don't know. That's just the point. He knows you don't and so he sends guys around to swell your head."

NEXT BEST THING.

"When he heard that Mr. Barnum had a white elephant his Philadelphia biscuits says if I can't get one I'll make 'em think I have. I tell you it takes big money to get a sacred elephant: and what's more, there was only one for sale, and as soon as Mr. Barnum heard of it he at once dispatched twelve agents to Burmah. That was eight years ago. The agents labored seven years and spent $137,000, but were unable to secure the prize. Not wisning to return empty-handed they, in 1882, bought an elephant with white feet, a white trunk and a white tail, but it was not sacred. The brute was shipped to this country, but when Mr. Barnum learned that it was neither pure white nor sacred he said to Mr. Baily and Mr. Hutchinson, 'I will never consent to deceive the people of my native country by palming off on them a curiosity that is not genuine.' That's the governor's style, you know—straight up and down as a center pole."

Here the agent broke his narrative, and holding up two fingers of his right hand said to the bar keeper: "Whisky sours." Turning to his companion he said: "The governor won't have a drinking man with the show; and the instant he hears that one of his employes has taken a drink, off goes the drinker's head. I'm taking big chances when I order sours in a public place like this. Then returning to the matter he was most interested in he said: "Say old man, don't you believe that any one except Mr. Barnum will exhibit a white elephant in this country next summer. Oh, yes—that spurious white elephant. Well, Hutch and Baily, they said: 'What will we do with it?' and the governor, he said: 'Kill it and get one that is genuine or none at all.' So it was poisoned."

LEASED FOR A FABULOUS SUM.

"And another force of agents went to Burmah with $30,000 worth of presents (costing at least $5,000) for the king and at last succeeded in securing at Doang Damee the largest, whitest and most intelligent sacred elephant in the world, and, mind you it is the only one that ever left the country. It cost $200,000 and its golden bath tub and feeding trough cost $75,000 more, and, by the way, the trappings were only leased at that. The priests that wait upon the elephant are paid $5,000 a month. Millions of natives gathered on the Salween to see the lord of white elephants leave home. What do the natives think of Mr. Barnum, do you say? Why, they worship him. Old Swam, who was over there tells me they have images of the governor in all the temples now. There's the bill of sale of our elephant published in The Rangoon Gazette," he added, unfolded a dirty-looking little newspaper and pointing out a column article on Toung Taloang, the spotted proboscidian that Mr. Barnum is now exhibiting in England.

THE OTHER PICTURE.

An hour or so later the reporter met one of the picturesque story-tellers employed to do part of the Munchausen business for Mr. Forepaugh's aggregation.

"Look at that!" he said, holding up this cablegram:

"White elephant will reach Philadelphia in April. Expert naturalists say he is the only pure Albino elephant in the world. All others are leprous."

"That knocks Barnum higher than a kite," remarked the agent, gleefully.

"I tell you the Main Guy—(Mr. Forepaugh's agents, in referring to their employer, frequently give him that unique title)—"has the only white elephant that ever left the east. What? Call that measly little beast of Barnum's, with a few dirty gray patches on his trunk, white? Why, it's bosh, and when it comes down to the sacred business we have all the best of it. On the quiet, I'll tell you that that scaly elephant of Barnum's was never called sacred by any one except circus agents, while the Main Guy's white monarch lived for twenty years in a temple and was worshiped by millions upon millions of people. When it became known that he was to leave his native land the natives bought single hairs from his body for a rupee apiece. The priests who have charge of him made about $12,000 selling hairs. That little elephant in London cost about $10,000, while ours cost $250,000 before he left his temple, and his diamond-studded trappings cost $75,000. Now, I am giving you facts." Then there was a long pause.

SCIENCE TO THE RESCUE.

"Oh, you saw one of those chumps of the Barnum show, did you? Filled you up, didn't he? I hope he told you all about the carting of Professor Doremous, of New York, down to Bridgport to try to turn an ordinary elephant white. He didn't, eh? Yes, its true, Old Doremus went down there and doctored and painted and fooled with a black elephant and just when the operators thought the beast was becoming a shade paler it died. Ask some of those jays about it; but say, don't you let 'em pull your leg and convince you that that sick elephant they got in Burmah is white or sacred, for it isn't. Just bear in mind all the time you're talkin' to them guys that Mr. Forepaugh has the only legitmate white elephant and we've got the documents to prove it."

The conversation was interrupted by Mr. Cox, one of the imaginative agents of John B. Doris' show. "Say, fellahs," began Mr. Cox, "did you hear about Doris?"

"No."

"He's just bought a sacred white elephant. The only legitimate one that will be exibited in America this year," declared Mr. Doris' representative, unblushingly. The agents locked horns at once on the white elephant question and the reporter fled.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

Specific Virtues in Dyspepsia.

DR. A. JENKINS, Great Falls, N. H., says: "I can testify to its seemingly almost specific virtues in cases of dyspepsia, nervousness and morbid vigilance or wakefulness."

A SOMNAMBULIST'S FREAK.

The Result of Talking About Murders and Murderers.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

On Thursday night the family of Mr. M. T. Vandevoort, of the firm of Merrell Vandevoort & Co., had quite an exciting event at their residence, near the Presbyterian church in Loveland. A lady visitor and relative of the family arose in her sleep, jumped from her bed-chamber window, and was found walking down the Cincinnati, Washington and Baltimore railroad track. The lady is a widow and highly connected, and has never had any similar experience before, although she has reached nearly the age of 50. She feels considerably embarrassed at her freak, and at her urgent request her name is withheld. The family had several young people as callers during the evening, and considerable conversation concerning the many recent murders was indulged in. About 11 o'clock the callers left for home, and the family retired. The lady who was the central figure in the after excitement occupied a chamber having a window opening out onto the veranda.

About midnight some of the family were awakened by voices of men and the wailing of a female voice. Mr. Court Vandevoort, the eldest son, appeared at the window, revolver in hand, and saw two men and a woman in the street. When they caught sight of the weapon they retreated, making some remark about one of the murderers. Nothing further was heard, and the supposition being that the parties were some belated inebriates, the family again went to sleep. In about half an hour the son was again awakened, and found a young army about the house. Alarmed at the strange sight, he ran down stairs revolver in hand, and found some of the parties trying to force open the dining-room door, while at the same time the front door-bell was violently ringing. The son ran from one door to another, determined to keep the murderous robbers out. Up to this time not a word had been spoken. Mr. Vandevoort, sen., was awakened by the noise, and inquired what was up. A voice from outside answered that the family were murdered, and a woman had jumped from the upper window. Mr. Vandevoort immediately imagined a foul scheme. Opening the door he found a crowd, headed by Officer Martin. Mr. Vandevoort informed them that his family were all alive and well, and used some violent language against the intruders, at the same time inquiring where the woman was. He was escorted to the residence of Col. Nash, and there found his guest, who was supposed to be found asleep, and the family using caution to prevent her rest being broken by the noise. Explanations were in order, and were given as follows: The crew of an eastern-bound freight on the Cincinnati, Washington and Baltimore railroad were taking water and receiving orders when they saw a white object coming down the track toward them. As it drew nearer they discovered a woman in her night-dress and barefooted walking over the frozen ground, through the freezing wind. They asked her what was the matter. She said, the Vandevoort family were all murdered, and she had escaped by jumping from the window. When asked where the house was, she led them toward the Vandevoort residence, making strange and pitiful noises all the time. As they neared the house they saw young Vandevoort at the window, and mistook him for one of the murderers. Alarmed, they fled, and after taking the lady to Col. Nash's house they raised a crowd, including Officer Martin, and proceeded again to the house, determined to capture the murderers, with the results already stated.

The lady has no recollection of anything that occurred until Mr. Vandevoort spoke to her at Col. Nash's. Up to that time she had persisted that the family were all murdered. When awakened she again went to bed, and yesterday did not seem to be suffering from any very bad results of her remarkable night's experience. Although weighing over 200 pounds she escaped without a visible injury or scratch.

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"I had epileptic fits for 16 years," writes John Keithly, of Principio, Md., "*Samaritan Nervine* cured me." $1.50 at Druggists.

Mysterious Testimony as to Fitz John Porter.

BOSTON, March 10.—The Herald says in an article on the Fitz John Porter case: "Evidence of an important character bearing on the disputed dispatches of August 29th has been discovered and that much-advertised-for and most prominent dispatch bearer at the battle of Bull Run, who conveyed important orders from General Pope to General Porter, has been discovered." The article claims that through the instrumentality of Logan new evidence which, it is claimed, will throw much light upon the question of Porter's guilt or innocence, has been obtained. Logan will present the new evidence when the bill is called up in the senate.

Ladies should reflect well before using an preparation that is applied to so delicate a surface as the skin. *Any* cosmetic will at first impart a beautifying effect and not apparently injure the skin, but in a very short time little blotches and discolorations appear on the face which conclusively show the poisonous drugs in their composition. It can be safely said that more than *two-thirds* of the face powders contain these injurious ingredients. Pozzoni's medicated complexion powder is not only absolutely free from all deleterious matter, but its *principal* ingredient is an active curative for all diseases of the skin. It has stood the test of years. Sold by all druggists.

Heavy Snow in Minnesota and Dakota.

CHICAGO, March 11.—A severe wind storm, accompanied by snow, has been raging since Sunday night over a considerable portion of Minnesota and Dakota. The snow is drifting badly in places, delaying trains, and in one or two instances causing freight trains to be abandoned.

The Lower Mississippi Overflow.

VICKSBURG, March 11.—The crevasse at Hughes is 600 feet wide, and the water 20 feet deep, flowing through and inundating all the rich bottoms, doing more damage than last year.

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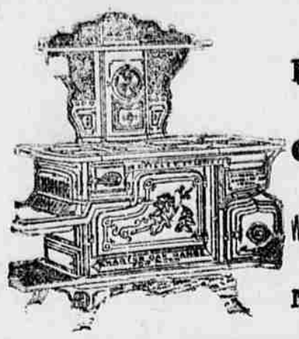

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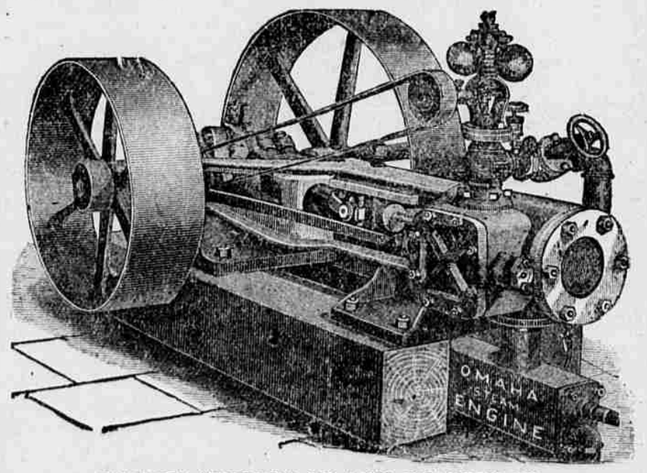

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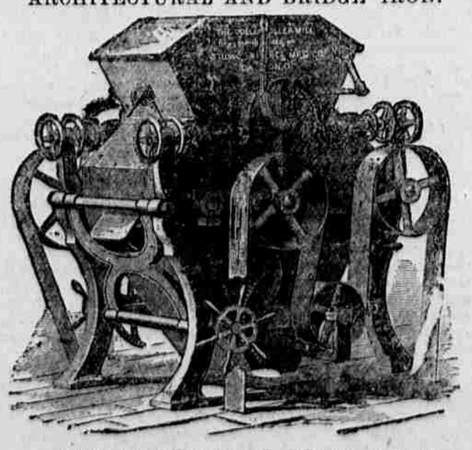

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