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Special Telegram to The Bee. LONDON, July 16.—This morning's Telegraph, in its article on Afghan news, says: The objection of the ambassador of Afghanistan to Russia's claim to a position practically commanding Zulfikar pass is supported by Lord Salisbury. Lord Salisbury's reluctance to consent to Russia's offer to submit the question to a joint commission is owing to his belief that such a course would be resultless and would only delay the settlement of the matter."

The Daily Telegraph says the negotiations between England and Russia regarding the Afghan frontier question have become serious, Russia preferring new claims and refusing to yield to Salisbury, whose tone, though studiously friendly, is firm. The Standard says England will never concede a second edition of the Penjdeh outrage. Although no measuring news was received late yesterday from Col. Ridgeway, chief of the British Afghan boundary commission, news from other sources regarding the movements of the Russians is of the gravest character. "The only redeeming feature of the intelligence from Afghanistan," says the Standard, "is that the Afghans have attacked themselves more than they have us." The Times, in an editorial, says that all the powers, with the exception of Russia, have given their consent to the Egyptian loan. Russia's silence increases the apprehension in regard to the Afghan situation. 6 p. m.—The British government has notified Russia that any increase by the Russian focus in the direction of Zulfikar will be regarded as an unfriendly act. THERAN, July 16.—The Russians have personally occupied three positions on Persian territory, lying between Sarakh and Pul-i-Khatun.

ENGLISH OFFICER AT HERAT.

SIMLA, July 16.—Captain Jay and Peacock who were sent by Col. Ridgeway to Herat have arrived here.

THE STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, July 16.—Consols opened at 98 1/2, advanced to 99 1/2, declined to 98 1/2, and are now 99. Russian securities opened at 91 1/2, advanced to 92 1/2, declined to 91, and are now 92. The stock exchange closed with a better feeling, owing to favorable rumors respecting the negotiations with Russia.

THE LIONS ROUSE.

PARIS, July 16.—There was a panic on the bourse to-day and a heavy fall in prices of most securities on account of the reports that a crisis between Russia and England is imminent. The Temps says: Russian officers on a furlough have been ordered to rejoin their regiments at once.

REPORTED FRENCH ATTITUDE.

VIENNA, July 16.—The Politische Correspondenz publishes a semi-official dispatch from St. Petersburg, which says that Russia counts on the help of France in any contest which the czar may have with England in Asia. The article declares it will be compelled to make a concession in regard to the gulf and the English in India then will be between two fires and their interest will be to avoid any policy likely to lead to a Franco-Russian alliance. The article also says that the increasing friendliness between England and Germany.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

PARIS, July 16.—The Arabes of the upper classes believe that the emperor will be dead. The families in Kandahar have become terrible and has extended to Kharotum. THE CHOLERA. MADRID, July 15.—There were 1,496 new cases of cholera and 664 deaths from the disease in Spain yesterday. A SPANISH REVOLUTION. MADRID, July 16.—Several persons have been arrested on suspicion of connection with the conspiracy to bring about a rising in favor of forming a republic in Spain. Intelligence is also received that an armed band of revolutionaries has been counted by a detachment of Spanish troops near Matara, Barcelona and dispersed them. Many of the band were captured. It is now ascertained that a conspiracy exists in the provinces of Alaba and Navarra. THE ENDAINTED LEOPARD. LONDON, July 16.—The Pall Mall Gazette, in a single edition completes the publication of the full text of its revelations. The edition is having an enormous sale and the proceeds will be devoted to defraying the expense of the commission examining into the data upon which the Gazette's articles were based. The commission consists of three lords, and the report will be made to-day. The Gazette publishes a statement to-day that the prosecution of young girls for immoral purposes still continues, notwithstanding the Gazette's recent revelations concerning the traffic of that nature. THE QUEEN'S SYMPATHIES. LONDON, July 16.—At Ester hall meeting to-day Gen. Booth read a letter written by Mrs. Booth to the queen and the receipt of the same from the dowager of Roxburgh, who had been asked by the queen to acknowledge Mrs. Booth's letter. The dowager said the queen fully sympathized with Mrs. Booth on the painful subject of the perils to which young girls were exposed and had already communicated thereon with a lady closely connected with the government, whom Mrs. Booth's letter would be immediately forwarded.

Dynamite Under a Train.

DENVER, Col., July 16.—This morning as the passenger train was being made up at the Denver & Rio Grande yards, an empty chair car ran over a package of dynamite, which exploded with great force, wrenching the car slightly and wounding a workman. The cause of the explosion was intended for the regular passenger train, due to leave in 15 minutes. The officials believe it was the work of the strikers.

Virgins Republicans.

RICHMOND, Va., July 16.—In the republican convention, this morning resolutions of sympathy for Gen. Grant in his affliction were unanimously adopted and ordered telegraphed to him. The nomination of candidates was then proceeded with, and an hour and a half occupied in nominating Hon. J. S. and a wife occupied in nominating Frank S.

Blair. At 2 a. m. the roll call of counties was called and at 3:45 W. was received over four hundred and fifty votes. Before the vote was announced the name of Blair was withdrawn and upon his authority the nomination of W. was made unanimous among the republican voters. W. was immediately brought to the front and briefly acknowledged the honor bestowed upon him, and assured the convention that he and his party were going to fight with him.

Blair was called for and made a warm speech for W. The two men shook hands on the stand amid great enthusiasm. D. Clifton of West River county, was named candidate for lieutenant governor. Capt. Frank H. Blair, of Wythe, for attorney general, was nominated by acclamation, after which, at 3:20 a. m., the convention adjourned.

MEXICAN FINANCES.

EX-PRESIDENT GONZALEZ' PART IN THE PRESIDENT STATE OF AFFAIRS. CHICAGO, Ill., June 16.—A New York special to the Tribune says: The Mexican government is obliged to look in every direction for funds to meet its immediate necessities, while the question of relieving the general financial difficulties of its exchequer is likely to be one of years. Among the methods proposed for securing money at once is one which affects the Tehuantepec railroad project, in which a large number of American and English investors about \$3,000,000. The president of the road was Edward Learned, of Massachusetts, George S. Con, president of the American Exchange National bank, was large stockholder in the company. Nevertheless, the road was sold to the Mexican government for a road to run from Coahuila, on the Gulf of Mexico to a point on the Pacific coast a few miles below a Venusta. The grant of land exceeded 200,000 acres, and the company expected an investment of \$5,000,000 to \$8,000,000. Their prospectus were to \$30,000,000. Their prospectus were to \$30,000,000. Their prospectus were to \$30,000,000.

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Trade in corn was less active than yesterday. The market opened weaker, but rallied under good speculative demand, but reacted and finally closed 1/2 under yesterday. Oats ruled dull and low, with prices ranging a little higher at one time, but finally closing 1/2 lower than yesterday. PROVISIONS. The feeling in provisions was easier, and mess pork gradually fell back 10¢ to 11¢, closing steady at the decline.

DEATH WREAKING ELEMENTS.

PEOPLE AND PROPERTY PERISH IN NORTHWESTERN STORMS. SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 16.—Specials from Dakota points show that the storm of last night was very severe. At Highmore and at Holdrege it was a regular cyclone, the latter town being almost torn to pieces, but no lives lost in town. A. P. Reed, a grain dealer of Miller, was killed, presumably by lightning, and three other persons were badly hurt. E. H. Thompson, living two miles from Highmore, was carried forty rods and his neck broken. Fifteen houses were blown to pieces at Highmore and others badly damaged. St. Paul, Minn., July 16.—Specials to the Globe from various points in Dakota show that the storm of yesterday extended over a large tract of country, but that the greatest damage was confined to a few localities. The most serious damage was done to crops in the vicinity. The storm divided there, the heaviest part following the course of the river, and the heaviest part following the course of the river, and the heaviest part following the course of the river.

The Day on the Turf.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 16.—The attendance at the Homewood park to-day was 5,000. The weather was pleasant and the track fast. First race—Class 2:24, trotting; Joe Davis won; Windsor, second; Blanche, third. Best time, 2:20 1/2. Second race—Class 2:27, trotting; hotly contested, and after the fifth heat the finish was postponed till to-morrow; Rex won two heats, Leo two, and William Arthur one. Best time 2:24 1/2. MONMOUTH PARK, July 16.—At to-day's races there was a much improved attendance. Only one race was taken by a favorite. The track was fair. First race—Mile; Chetwain won; Herbert, second; Detective, third. Time, 1:44. Second race—Three-quarters mile, two-year-olds; Portland won; Electric, second; Salisbury, third. Time, 1:10 1/2. Third race—Mile and half, three-year-olds; Goans won; St. Augustine, second; Katrina, third. Time, 3:40. Fourth race—Mile and three-sixteenths; Jack o' Hearts won; East Lynne second; Conding, third. Time, 2:05 1/2. Fifth race—Three-quarters of a mile, for three-year-olds and upwards; Error won; Followup second; Cricket third; time, 1:35. Sixth race—Steeple-chase, short course; Puritan won; Rose second, Aurelian third; time, 3:18 1/2.

A Newspaper Row Burned Out.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Fire broke out to-night in the building occupied by the Daily Post, the National Republican, the Washington Critic, the Sunday Gazette, the United States Electric Light company and several other tenants. The editorial, composing and press rooms of the four papers are completely ruined and the business offices flooded with water. The building was owned by Stilson Hutchins. It was valued at \$80,000, and insured. The Post, the National Republican and the Critic were valued at \$20,000 and insured for \$15,000. The Sunday Gazette was valued at \$15,000, and was insured. In the basement was a \$25,000 press owned by Secretary Chandler, the plates and 5,000 copies of Stetson Hutchins' new book "Washington, Past and Present," which are a total loss. The Gazette is owned by Thomas L. Morrow, whose loss will reach \$150,000. The total loss will reach \$150,000. The total loss will reach \$150,000.

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Gen. Grant's Condition.

MONTE MCGREGOR, July 16.—Gen. Grant slept eight hours between the time of retirement last night and eight this morning. Food was taken regularly during the night and this morning. Pulse full and steady at seventy-two.

Protecting the Sex of Women.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 16.—The act of the legislature to prevent the employment of female labor in and about the coal mines and

coke manufactories of Pennsylvania went into operation on the first of this month. The act is especially directed at the coke regions, where, during several years past, a large number of Hungarian women have been doing the work of men. The practice has been exceedingly demoralizing. No women are now employed by either coal or coke companies in this region.

MATTIE RODABAUGH'S DEATH.

SENATORIAL RESULTS OF HER RELATION WITH LAWSON BALDWIN. Special Telegram to The Bee. FAIRFIELD, Ia., July 15.—Considerable commotion was occasioned here to-day by the appearance of Van Buren county officials, who were in pursuit of Lawson Baldwin, of that county. The story of the crime, as related to a Bee representative, was of a most revolting character and savored strongly of murder. It appears that Baldwin, a resident of Birmingham, has been in intimate connection with a woman of that place, Mattie Rodabaugh, for the past eight or nine years, and during that period she has been in a delicate condition three or four times through Baldwin, and each time she has had an abortion, which implicates a Fairfield physician, proved false and thence the trouble. Miss Rodabaugh came here about two weeks ago and was engaged as a domestic at Mrs. Culberson's, a sister of Baldwin, where he had frequent opportunities to visit her. During her stay with Mrs. Culberson she was taken violently ill and died. Her death was announced, he was very secret in his treatment. After a week's illness here the patient was removed to her father's residence at Birmingham, where she lingered until Wednesday when she died and was buried on Friday—a week ago. Suspicion was aroused that all was not right and a search was made for the body, which was found on Wednesday he had not been apprehended, although he was known to have been concealed here until Thursday night when he secured \$2500 and fled to the city, which is now understood to be in possession of his father, and made his escape. The officers employed in this case have displayed no very great talents, and have been duped by Stacy Baldwin, the fugitive's father.

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