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BETTER TIMES FOR STOCKMEN.

Late dispatches assure us that Germany resolved to withdraw the embargo on American pork. The Germans are beginning to understand that "no pig" on their part means "no beet sugar" on ours. We are also assured that "public satisfaction over the admission of American cattle increases as the quality of imports becomes recognized."

A FAIR DEFENCE.

Section 8 of The Dalles charter bill divided the city, for the purpose of municipal representation, into three wards. The present division, it is well known, comprises two wards, the first embracing all the city north of Third street and the second all the city south of the same street.

AN IMPORTANT CIRCULAR.

We publish in another column a circular certificate signed by Paul Schulze general land agent of Northern Pacific Railroad company which is intended as a general answer to all persons seeking information as to the policy and practice of the company as regards the license under which many have gone upon and improved the land to which they are now seeking to acquire title under the provisions of the forfeiture act.

A PROPER PROVISION.

Section 10 of the defeated charter bill provided for the election of the mayor, recorder, marshal and city treasurer as at present, by the popular vote. But it

at the rate of over \$1,000 a month. But this is not by any means the worst of it. The city needs an extension of the water system, the building of a new city hall and the construction of a sewerage system, besides money to buy up its floating scrip, all of which will require "a large amount of bonds at an early date."

A WORD OF THE CROAKERS.

There is a homely old proverb about distill hills being always green that finds a constant illustration in the large class of social dyspeptics who are constantly bewailing the deadness and lack of enterprise of their own town or neighborhood. "There is nothing going on; the town is dead; the business is all leaving it; capitalist won't invest their money; you can't sell real estate; nobody wants to buy; there's no money; interest is high; taxes are high."

FREE MAIL DELIVERY.

The last congress passed a joint resolution empowering the postmaster-general to test the practicality of a free system of delivery and collection of mail in towns and villages where there are offices of the third and fourth class and other offices not now embraced in the system of free delivery.

EMPIRICAL ASSESSMENT.

Assessor Brannon, of Umatilla county, has made an effort to discover the rate at which the several counties of the state are assessed. He has received returns from 18 counties and has given the rate at which he intends to assess property in his own county, which makes 19. The result is curious but in no way surprising to any one who has given any attention to the subject.

THE PRESIDENT'S NEW YACHT.

The Old Dispatch has Outlived Her Usefulness and Will Be Succeeded by the Dolphin. WASHINGTON, April 5.—The president is to have a new yacht. The Old Dispatch has outlived her usefulness. She will be superseded by the dispatch boat Dolphin.

Wanted: Men. Not systems fit and wise. Not folks with wild eyes. Not wealth in mountain piles, not gold in the pockets of his smilies. Not even the potent pen.

Wanted: Deeds. Not words without action. Not thoughts from the lip remote. Not fond religious words. Not sweetly languid prayers. Not long religious sermons. Not even the potent pen.

Men and Deeds. Men that can dare and do. Not long religious sermons. Not fond religious words. Not sweetly languid prayers. Not long religious sermons. Not even the potent pen.

W. C. T. U. Miscellaneous.

Last Friday being the day for the first regular meeting of the month, our monthly devotional meeting was held, which was conducted by Mrs. S. French. The Bible reading as given by her was highly interesting and profitable to all present; and led to the free interchange of views and ideas concerning the lesson selected.

THE PEACE OF EUROPE.

While it is not being threatened Troops are Preparing for War. LONDON, April 7.—The advices received here from several principal capitals of Europe show that the political situation on the continent is regarded as serious by leading statesmen. Several significant moves have been made within the past few days.

THAT BLANKET MORTGAGE.

Gould Admits that such is Being Contemplated. St. Louis, April 7.—In a published interview Gould is quoted in reference to the reports as to the proposition to issue a blanket mortgage covering the Union Pacific debt, he said: "Yes, I think that when the stockholders meet toward the last of the month they have something to offer in that connection. A bond covering the entire property and low rate of interest would be most advantageous."

Their Own Graves.

The punishment which follows wrong doing is sometimes so evidently just and appropriate that it is natural to speak of it as "poetic justice." The penalty is not only deserved, but is so nearly commensurate to the offense as to seem almost ideal, or poetical in its fitness.

This is a Bad Year for Foreigners.

BRADDOCK, Penn., April 7.—The eleven men seriously burned early this morning by an explosion of gas in the row of frame tenements were all Hungarians and married. Four will die, while others have a bare chance of living. The gas leaked from an unused pipe of the National gas company, and when it was ignited by a lighted match, it exploded, demolishing the building and injuring the occupants.

The Society Will Liquidate.

PARIS, April 7.—The share holders of the society Des Depots Explores Comants had a meeting today to approve the official report which holds the directors liable for the recent crash and urges that the society should pass into liquidation and that it should be afterwards reorganized.

Agents to Allot Indian Lands.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Edgar J. Somerville and Jas. E. Eddy, of Pendleton, Or., have been appointed special agents to allot lands in severally to the confederated band, Cayuse, Walla Walla and Umatilla Indians residing on Umatilla reservation, Oregon.

Famous Boat Bought by German's Emperor.

BERLIN, April 7.—The famous Scotch cutter Thistle, the well known boat which was defeated in the international race for America's cup at New York by the American yacht Volunteer has been purchased by Emperor William.

General Gibson's Successor.

St. PAUL, April 7.—It is announced at army headquarters here that the rumor naming Gen. Thomas P. Ruger as successor to Gen. Gibbon in command of the division of the Pacific was correct, and that Gen. Ruger will proceed to San Francisco April 20th.

More Men Go to Work in the Coke Region.

MT. PLEASANT, April 7.—Fifty more men went to work this morning at Morewood, making a total number at the ovens of about one hundred. The first that went to work yesterday were followed by a number of others today.

Leprosy Being Eradicated.

OTTAWA, April 7.—The report of Dr. Smith, physician at Tracadie Lacareto, shows that the leprosy with which a few settlements of fishermen in New Brunswick have been afflicted for the past half century is being slowly but surely eradicated.

Justifies His Action.

SIMLA, April 9.—A letter received from the Mainpuri who ordered the massacre of chief commissioner Quinton and his colleagues at Mainpuri, says: "The British troops attacked the palace, massacred my soldiers, killed my women and children. In addition they threw women and children into the burning houses and destroyed the temple, therefore we killed chief commissioner Quinton's party."

Boomers Ordered out of the Indian Country.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kansas, April 9.—Secretary Noble has ordered all interlopers out of Sac and Fox, Cheyenne, Arapaho, Iowa, Pawtawnto and the Indian reservation, and instructed the soldiers to clear the entire country.

The Ladies' Tailor.

Is the very latest Ladies' Tailoring System invented. It is the merchant tailor's square combined with the most complete set of curves ever given with any system, making it complete in one piece. It is the same system for ladies that tailors use in the above cut and is the same principle in dress cutting that are used by every milliner. It is the latest of inches and compass, therefore absolutely perfect. It is the only system in the country that discards guesswork altogether.

The polls opened at 7 o'clock this morning and will close at 4 this afternoon. A heavy vote is being polled. At 3 o'clock about one-third of the entire registered vote had appeared and been cast.

At noon indications are that Chicago will poll the heaviest vote ever cast and will far exceed the number cast at last election.

There were numerous fights in the rougher wards increasing as the day progressed. In an altercation in the first ward this afternoon one man was shot and dangerously wounded.

The Post, a democratic organ, has come out with an editorial saying that Hempstead Washburn, republican, is in the lead.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed executors of the will and testaments of Daniel Handley, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to present them with the proper vouchers within six months from this date, to the undersigned at the office of Mays, Huntington & Wilson, The Dalles, Oregon.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco county as administratrix of the estate of Charles E. Dunham, late of Wasco county, Oregon, and now deceased.

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U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Or., April 6, 1891. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, to that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, on May 25, 1891, viz: Edward C. Fitzpatrick.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Or., March 16, 1891. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, to that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, on May 9, 1891, viz: C. L. Barnhart.

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