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Society Notices.

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sains as on or before each full mount #7:38
at Masonic Hall.

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V. Leaves M. Heiens for Clatskanie MouWednesday and Friday at 8:30 A. M.

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PACIFIC COAST.

lity of Saints Has a Visitation of Footpads.

ROBBED HIS SISTER-IN-LAW.

Whistling Dick" is Doing Truckee Honor---He is Regarded as a Veritable Mascott

Spokane is to have a \$500,000 court

The Salt Works et Salton have begun

The steamer Keweenaw, 154 days from New York, has reached San Diego. The Portland Smelting Works are be run to their full capa ity.

Sacramento's freeholders to form harter have organized for work. A most important find has been made in the Old Abe gold mine at White Oaks, N. M.

California will have 469,000 tons of wheat for export between now and the first of next June.

The closing of the Candaller mines has considerably affected traffic on the Carson and Colorado road. So far \$8,300 have been paid out as two weeks wages in an effort to raise the steamship San Pedro, on the rocks off Victoria, B. C.

A new evening paper is contemplated for Virginia City, "to be run independ-ent of the mining companies and in the interest of the stockholders."

The violaters of the game law in O egon are many, and an association has been organized at Portland which offers a reward of \$25 for the arrest and conviction of each offender.

The celebrated mining suit of Gipfn rs. The Sierre Nevada Company, has ended in favor of the defendants at Boise City, Idaho. Gilpin, by an injunction has kept the mine closed three years.

Harry Gatshall, a well-known saloon proprietor of Astoria, is under arrest for unning away with his sister-in-law's fiamonds and jewelry and a negotiable note for \$500. He was caught in Port-

The chapel car Evangel is traveling through the Northwest in the service of Gospel Army. It has been turned over to the American Baptist Sunday School Association, under whose charge it will be while on this coast.

Salt Lake City is overrun with foot-pads. Scarcely a night passes but from six to ten men are held up at nights on the residence streets of the town. The police seem powerless to deal with the fellows. Anaconda is likewise troubled.

Johnsthan Oldham, a carpenter of Seattle, lost what little cash he had at faro, and not satisfied with his ill luck. lorged his wife's name to a certificate of deposit of \$203. The paper was cashed and Mrs. Oldham will hold the bank responsible. The officials of that institution will prosecute Oldham for forgery. The first full cargo of American tin ever produced from an American tin mine was received at San Diego last week from the Temescal mines. The shipment consisted of 420 pigs, or 35. 800 pounds. The output of the Temes cal mines is being rapidly jucreased, and American tin will be regularly put on market in car load lots.

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Mrs. Delaguerra, the widow of Don Pablo Delaguerra, who was a prominent character in the early history of Callfornia, is suing for the plana on which the city hall of Santa Barbara now t ands, a valuable piece of property in the center of the business portion, claiming the land by virtue of a grant made by the Ayuntamiento of the town in the 47s. and confirmed in 18851 by the Cty Council.

Whistling Dick is respected at Truckee as the luck est man who ever entered the town. He has been shot at nine times by men who meant business, and has escaped the slightest injury. The other day he got in a dispute with a bartender, and was ordered to leave the house. Dick re'used, and called the bartender a bad name. The latter pulled his revolver and fired at Dick point blank. Although her liy six feet separated the men, the bullet struck the door three in her from Dick's body. Dick turned and walked out of the door.

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All the compositors on the Oakland
Times went out on a strike the other
night. They state that about three
weeks ago the proprietor of the paper
left notes on the cases of several print
ers, maying that their services were no
longer desired and warning them not to
come around the office again. The men
walked out quietly. A committee had
an ineffective conference with the Times
manager afterwards. It is understood
that the printers asked for reinstatement of the discharged men and the
manager refused.

The first failure, caused by the un-

The first failure, caused by the unusual condition of the grain market and the drop in charters of ships, occurred at San Francisco one day last week. Lowenthal, Livingston & Co., shipping and commission merchants, were attached by ship owners for money due on unfilled charters and attachments. This means the failure of the firm. The formal attachment was for \$10,137, but this is but a small part of the money due by the firm. The Sheriff took possession of the office, receiving some \$3,000 or \$4,000 on hand in cash. Lowenthal, Livington & Co. were dealers in salmon, and have an interest in an Ala-ka cannery. They shipped canned salmon to Robert Crooks & Son, a large and very wealthy firm of Liverpool. Mr. L. wenthal said t -day that as a result of the attachment the firm will either make an assignment or go into insolvency for the general protection of all creditors. "The failure is due to causes," he said, "the fail in the price of salmon, and the fail of charters." The debts of the firm are 460,000 or

PERSONAL MENTION.

ves, a Convict in the Massachusetts Pen, Has Translated Eight of Dumas' Novels.

Arthur James Ba four, the English ader, is a bachelor and about 43 years

Count Herbert Bismarck's resemb-ince to his great father is said to grow hore striking as years roll on. Captain J. Wall Wilson, a survivor of the Kane Arctic expedition, is hale and learty despite the loss of a toe in the

Gilbert a' Beckett, the humorist, who recently died, was a man of sweet and gentle disposition, though a life-long invalid,

Dr. Charles C. Abbott has fould a cave of slate in New Jersey in which were discovered vestiges of the life of pre-Columbian man.

Professor F. Nicholls Crouch, the composer of the music for "Kathfeen Mavourneen," now lives in Baltimore at an advanced age. Although Horace Greely died nine-teen years ago, letters to his address are still received every now and then at the New York Tribuns office.

The Czar's famous minister, M de Giers, is now in bad health, suffering from the painful disease which carried off the last Emperor of the French.

William II loves homely fare. He in-sists on having on his table every Thurs day a dish of mashed peas, sm ked beel and esnerkraut to be eaten together.

In Boston the remarkable shock of hair which Puderewski, the pianist, wears has led som body to remark that he looks like a human chrysantheman.

Mrs. Hodgson Burnett has called a newsboys' home that she has founded "Lionel's Home," to perpetuate the memory of her son Lionel, the original of "Little Lord Fauntleroy."

Field Marsh I Von Moltke was in the service of the Sultan of Turkey between 1836 and 1841. During that time he wrote several essys on Oriental mil-itary affairs and the geography of Asia

Mr. Du Maurier, the famous social caricatarist, has been for some time without the sight of one eye and the other is considerably affected. His work is done on a large scale and reduced by the engraver.

Dean Swift did not consider critics immortal. He once said: "If the men of genius would resolve never to com-plain in their works of critics and di-rectors, the next age would not know that they ever had any."

G. B. Ives, the young ex assisunt district attorney of Essex county. Muss, who is now serving a sentence in Charlestown State prison for extensive forgeries, has translated eight of Dumas novels for a Boston publisher since his term of imprisonment began.

tonishing that there should be so much certainty about this detail of his life which is otherwise almost entirely con-

### NATIONAL CAPITAL.

To Puchase the Collection of "His torical Information Concerning the Western Half of America."

The office of Assistant Chief of the Weather bureau has been filled by the appointment by Secretary Rusk of S. S. Rockwood, Chief Clerk of the Department of Agriculture. Henry Casson, Private Secretary to Secretary Rusk, was appointed Chief Clerk.

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The President has issued an order for the removal of Samuel D. Warmcastle, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Third District of Pennsy vania, Pitteburg, and designating Deputy Collector Mitchell to perform his duties temporarily. Warmcastle is charged with neglect of duty.

of the act.

Representative Wilson says he feels perfectly assured of getting through one public building for Washington. Bepresentative Sweet, of Idaho, who is on the committee, says that he observes that the Washington Senators have introduced bills for four cities and that he does not think more than one will pass. In that event he na'urally fels interested in Spokane, as it is the city nearethis home, and one which his people would naturally expect him to favor.

### EASTERN ITEMS.

A Scheme to Still the Troubled Waters.

THE GRANGE ON UNCLE SAM

Land Containing Aluminium Does Not Render it Subject to Entry Under the Mining Laws.

Keeley's gold cure has been applied the tobacco habit.

Rabits are so thick at Burleigh, Pa. hat the trains run over them. An electric road is to be built across he Potomac at Washington.

A movement is on foot to organize a naval battalion at Portsmonth, N. H. Natural gas is being discovered in abundance in Western Pennsylvania.

The overhead electric system is to be used by New Orleans street railways.

The State debt of Pennsylvania has been reduced \$2,538,3.2 during the year. The American District and Mutual District Telegraph Companies have seen consolidated.

The project of draining the City and the Valley of M-xico has been tempo-rarily abandoned.

lowa State Grango thinks Uncle Sam should run the liquor business as he does the postoffice.

This year's hop crop is much larger than last year's, but owing to lower prices will not less money.

The Illinois State Board of Agriculture reports that winter wordt has been greatly damaged by drought.

The Grand Army of the Republic in Indiana will probably erect a monument to the late Governor Hovey. A rich vein of silver and gold ore has een opened on Monadnock Mountain, ear Colebrook village, N. H,

Ex Secretary William Windom's por-trait decreates the new \$2 note just put in circulation by the Treasury Depart-

A member of a commission to ne-ptiate for Indian lands in Wyoming eclares them to be utterly useless for The railroad and express officials are

The railroad and express officials are considering preventative methods to protect their trains from future attempts at robbery.

W. H. Winans, a wealthy farmer, prominent in church, social and political circles at Franklin, Pa., has been arrested on a charge of burglary.

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Abour \$27,000.0 to in go d has been returned to the United States from Europe since the movement in this direction set in three months ago.

The Vice Consul from Japan at New York has made an appeal for the assistance of those who are suffering from the affects of the great carthquake.

The Interior Department, her desided

The Interior Department has decided to pay R and Valley Settlers whose land was taken for use as an Indian reservation about \$90,000 in the aggre-

Harvard's Committee on Athletic and football schedule for Hitherto Yale only has be by Harvard.

Millionaire Thomas Cornell, the Hud-son river steamboat man, left a will and cut off his son-in-law. The legal fight against the will has begun. The estate

unts to \$5,000,000. The grip is epidemic in Philadelphia. Physicians assert that the number of cases is almost as great as at any time last year, but that the disease is of a much milder type.

The recent heavy disbursement for pensions have reduced the Treasury cash balance to \$33,128,315, of which amount \$13,364,491 is on deposit with the national banks and \$13,984,232 is in subsidiary coin. The eating of dog flesh to cure con-sumption is quite a fad at Skelbyville, and. In one case the diet is said to have been beneficial, and now several people who are afflicted with the dis-case are trying the "remedy."

In a decision rendered by the Com-missioner of the General Land Office it is held that deposits of clay valuable for aluminium or for the manufacture of pottery ware does not render the land containing such deposits subject to entry under the mining laws.

### EDUCATIONAL.

ansas to Have a Quaker College-A School of Special Instruc-

Young women are not allowed to grad-date from German universities.

The students of Brown University are to try the experiment of running a daily

At Harvard 210 courses are offered in the liberal arts and sciences. It would take a student forty years to pursue all

Mrs. M. H. Hotchkiss of Lakeville, Conn., has given seventy-five acres of land and \$275,000 to found a preparatory school for Yale College,

That is a pleasant innovation of the trustees of Columbia College whereby the public is to be allowed to attend many of the courses of lectures.

Professor Totton, in a military lecture at Yale, remarked that the average age of the 110 men in the class was twenty-one, and he added; "Upon graduation you will have before you shout forty-ight years spiece."

University extension is producing a good effect, not only upon its students, but also upon its lecturers and teachers and upon the student body of the universities. College presidents are already finding that the men who go out as lecturers in the university extension courses are doing better work in their own classes. The effort to please and instruct a promiseuous and popular audience reacts upon the university class-room; the individual needs of the students are more carefully studied; the teaching is modified to meet them, and professor and student come into more sympathetic relations. All the large universities report increased numbers; and experience is proving that university extension means university intension.—

Boston Transcript

Coal Palace to Be Erected-Esti ted That the Fair Will Cost

tion for Dull People.

college paper.

Texas learning has been made the target for many a shaft, yet the State has a school fund of \$100,000,000.

In Eucador and several other South American nations, primary education, at least, is compulsory.

The University of Michigan had last year 168 more students then Harvard University. This year Harvard has 118 more than Michigan.

Washington, Kas., is to have a Quaker college. When 125,000 shall have been raised a start will be made on the found-

There are at present 182,000 colleges and schools in India for men, with 3,026 390 students, but there are only to be found a few hundred schools of low vernacular standards and half a dozen colleges for women, with 294,251 students.

Three thousand women of Greece have signed a petition to the government seking that public schools of art and industry be established for women, and claiming that the failure of Greece to meet the expectations of its well-wishers is due to the backward condition of its women and their nonparticipation in public affairs.

### WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

All of \$31,000,000.

Ludwig Wieler, a member of the Lower House, has been appointed Commissioner to the Chicago World's Faby the Cape Colony. Scranton, Pa., coal operators are going to build a Palace at the World's Facut of authracite coal.

The Pennsylvania display at the Cleago exposition will enst \$200,000. T State appropriated \$300,000.