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Visits Naval Accademy

By Scripps News Association
Washington, Jan. 30.—The President, Secretary Morton and party left this morning at nine thirty for Annapolis on the Pennsylvania railroad, in order to attend the graduating exercises at the Naval Academy, which will occur at three o'clock this afternoon. The president will leave Annapolis for Philadelphia, where he will address the Union League Club tonight, returning to Washington in the forenoon tomorrow.

SEVERAL KILLED BY TROOPS

By Scripps News Association
Reval, Russia Jan 30.—The strikers here attacked the Meir Company's work today and were fired upon by the troops, the result being that several of the men were killed and wounded.

Prince Eitel Worse

By Scripps News Association
Berlin, Jan. 30.—Prince Eitel is reported worse this morning, as he has had a hemorrhage of the right lung which lately set in, and is accompanied by extreme weakness. It is said that the Prince is suffering intense pain.

Dynamite Explosion

(By Scripps News Association)
Toledo Ohio, Jan 30.—Joseph Bogog is killed and five laborers seriously injured as a result of the explosion of fifteen sticks of dynamite. The explosion occurred this morning at the Iron Ore docks.

Serious Accident

Mr Nathan Freshman, who has been working 12 miles above Perry, Oregon in a logging camp for the Grande Ronde Lumber Co returned home today on account of the accident that happened him in which he narrowly escaped death, he was driving a logging team coming down the hill with four horses and five thousand feet of logs on his sled and the chain broke with which he had his load bound on and the logs began to roll from under him. He jumped, but was caught by one log 12 feet long and 14 inches through which rolled over his head and lay across his stomach, when found ten minutes later by his fellow men he was badly bruised but no bones broken, he seems to be hurt inwardly —Wallawa News

Codlin Moth

The Observer through the kindness of our Congressman J N Williamson received on Saturday morning Farmers Bulletin No. 171 issued by the U. S. Agricultural Department. This pamphlet contains 24 pages with description of the codlin moth in all stages of its existence its habits, and the best known means of fighting it. Fruit growers who wish to possess this bulletin will have one sent to them free by applying thereof to the Hon J N Williamson M C or to the Secretary of Agriculture Washington D C

Sultan May Die

Scripps News Association
Berlin Jan 30.—The Kleinse Journal today reports that the Sultan of Turkey is dangerously ill from inflammation of the muscles of the heart. In the event of the Sultan's death, the court clique intends that the Sultan's brother, Rashid Bay succeed him. It is said that Rashid Bay is a hopeless drunkard.

NORTHWEST NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST

The United States assay office at Seattle has \$2,000,000 in gold in its vaults at this time.

There were eight burglaries and holdups in Seattle the night of January 19, which was very foggy.

The wheat crop of the Canadian Northwest for 1904 amounted to 17,046,939 bushels, an increase of 1,291,483 bushels over 1903.

Frank Shafter, a Seattle banker and also secretary of the Clearing House association, is dead with tuberculosis, aged 40. He was a single man.

Ed Cross, a penniless hobo, was acquitted at Salem of larceny from the person. The jury of 12 which rendered the verdict then made him up a

purse and staked him for a night's lodging.

Walter C Cressy, conductor on the motor line, slipped and fell before his engine as the train was starting. His left foot, leg and arm were crushed and he died in a short time. He was 70 years old and had railroaded 50 years. The accident occurred at Monmouth.

In 1861 C R Wheeler, now a resident of Portland, had a thorn broken off in the flesh of his thigh. It gave him little trouble for nearly 44 years, but lately the thorn was discovered in his foot and cut out by a surgeon who was called to treat a painful growth that would not succumb to ordinary treatment.

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The La Grande National Bank

Report of condition made to comptroller of currency, January 11, 1905

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$552,474 81	Capital Stock	\$100,000 00
United States Bonds	25,000 00	Surplus	20,000 00
Real Estate Furniture Fixt' ..	17,000 00	Undivided profits	29,493 88
Due from banks and U.S.tres ..	92,865 62	Circulation	20,850 00
Cash on Hand	57,682 31	Deposits	574,678 86
Total	\$745,022 74	Total	\$745,022 74

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