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SHOWING CATHOLIC STRENGTH

Milwaukee, Jan. 10.—From advance sheets of the official Catholic directory published in Milwaukee, it is found that the total Roman Catholic population of the United States is 12,651,944, an increase of 189,161 over the previous year. The total number of Catholic priests, including seculars and regulars, is 14,484, an increase of 627. The total number of Catholic churches is 11,814, an increase of 427 over the previous year. The number of children attending Catholic parochial schools has increased 1,066,207 an increase of almost 38,000.

WALLOWA SHIPS ITS HOGS

Lostine, Or., Jan. 10.—On advice from one of the local hog buyers, the farmers of this and outlying districts drove their surplus hogs to Wallowa Monday to be shipped to outside markets. George Chandler was the receiver. The price paid is not so high as that received earlier in the season, but as yet leaves a good profit to the raiser. It is generally held that at this season of the year there is small probability of loss in transit.

THOMAS LAWSON WILL HELP

Boston, Jan. 8.—"When I am invited to go to New York to testify in the Standard Oil hearing I shall accept," said Thomas W. Lawson tonight when the remark made by Attorney General Hadley was mentioned to him. "I have not been advised in the matter yet, but if the attorney general desires me to testify I shall be pleased to do so, I feel like helping him in every way I can."

SMITH VS. WHITE

Baker City, Jan. 10.—Former State Senator William Smith this morning filed his petition as Democratic candidate for nomination and election to the office of circuit judge of this district.

Senator Smith filed copies of his petition with both Secretary of State Dunbar and County Clerk Coombs, stating that there was a question as to which it should be filed with. He has also asked Secretary Dunbar for an opinion on the matter.

WHEEL IS A SUCCESS

A satisfactory test of the new irrigation wheel invented by J. S. Mathews of this city, has just been made in the Des Chutes river, near the mouth of that stream.

The wheel made by Mr. Mathews some time ago has been placed in the Des Chutes river, where a pump was attached and it worked successfully in every way. The wheel floats in shallow water and can be anchored in a stream of any depth and made to operate a pump or other machinery.

Mr. Mathews feels sure that it will be highly successful in lifting water from running streams for irrigation purposes and will manufacture a number for this purpose.—East Oregonian.

ONLY 64 CHINAMEN ENTER

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 10.—During the past year but 64 Chinamen entered Canada, all being former residents. None paid the poll tax of \$500, although two steamship companies which allowed Chinese to escape were mulcted out of \$1000.

INDIANS REVOLT

New York, Jan. 10.—A dispatch to the Herald from Panama says the San Blas Indians, numbering 30,000 and inhabiting a strip of 100 miles along the lower Atlantic coast of Panama, have seceded from Panama and renewed their allegiance to Colombia. The revolt against Panama is said to have been fomented by Colombians. As these Indians, who inhabit the most fertile part of the coast of Panama, have never been conquered or subjected, the matter of bringing them back under Panama's flag may prove serious.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at Newlin's Drug

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Oregon, Montana Development Company will be held in the city of La Grande, Oregon, on Friday, January 26, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing officers and board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting.

W. W. RANDALL, Pres.
E. A. WILLS, Sec., Pro. tem.

PRESIDENT HARPER DIES

(Scripps News Association)
President Harper took suddenly worse this afternoon and the expected came to release him from his intense suffering. Death was caused by a cancer which was discovered nearly one year ago while he was being operated upon for appendicitis. The affairs of the University of which he was president, for the present at least will go on as it has been during his interest under the direction of Dean Judson.

NEW PIPE LINE

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—William H. Taft, Secretary of War, today granted the Union Oil Company, of California, permission to lay an oil pipe line across the Isthmus of Panama. The company agreed to pay \$500 per month for the privilege.

OUT OF BUSINESS

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland, Jan. 10.—The suspension of the firm of Denison, Prior & Co. was announced this morning. The cause of suspension is not given.

TO PREVENT

(Scripps News Association)
Des Moines, Jan. 10.—A bill was introduced in the house this afternoon providing for the compulsion of all railroads to furnish passes to furnish passes to all congressmen and other public officials. It is claimed for the bill that it will prevent bribery on the part of the railroads and officials.

CASSIE LOST OUT

(Scripps News Association)
Cincinnati, Jan. 10.—The United States Courts of Appeals this morning refused to grant Cassie Chadwick a rehearing.

DEPRIVATE THIEF CAPTURED

Kalispell, Mont., Jan. 10.—After twice swimming the ice cold Kootenai river and exchanging shots with pursuers, William Heard, a 19-year-old boy accused of robbing the postoffice and Wood's store at Troy, has been captured while asleep in a barn. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

BOLD HOLDUPS IN BUTTS

Butte, Jan. 10.—The Hennessy Mercantile company's branch store at Centerville suburb was held up last night by two masked men who escaped with more than \$5,000. Manager Mullan was surprised by the highway man and forced to open the safe. Watchman McGeever was also captured by the bandits and disarmed. The police have two men under arrest under suspicion.

BOURNE BEFORE VOTERS

Jonathan Bourne, Jr., of Portland, the mining king, and the man who is making an independent political fight, has sent broadcast an interesting appeal to the people of Oregon under the heading of the "People or the Grafters" which is well worth reading. In this connection he has submitted a postal card pledge to the voters asking them to support no one to the legislature who will not subscribe the following pledge: "I further state to the people of Oregon as well as to the people of my legislative district, that during my term of office I will always vote for that candidate for United States senator in congress who has received the highest number of the people's votes for that position at the general election next preceding the election of a senator in congress without regard to my individual preference."

NOTICE TO FRUITGROWERS

All Fruitgrowers who wish to become members of the Northwestern Fruit-growers Association should send their name and one dollar to Hon. C. D. Huffman, secretary of the Association. Do this at once and thereby become a member of the Association.

Remember a letter addressed to C. D. Huffman, Secretary of Northwest Fruit-growers Association containing one dollar will receive prompt attention, and you will be entitled to the full printed proceeding of the meeting. The one article of Prof. Ball's on fruit tree spraying is well worth the dollar alone.

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The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at Newlin Drug Co.'s drug store. Price only 50c.

LOST CALVES—The undersigned will pay five dollars reward for the return or information leading to the return of one two year old brockel faced heifer branded quarter circle seven on right rib, ear marks unknown. Will also pay a liberal reward for the return or information leading to the recovery of one yearling brindle heifer calf with split in one ear. The first named animal never returned from the hills, the second left my place about the tenth or fifteenth of December, 1905. Address Ed STRINGHAM, La Grande, Oregon. Phone Farmer's line 196x6.

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