

THEIR ARREST DEMANDED

Colfax, Wash., Nov. 30.—F. T. Abbott, local O. R. & N. agent, has made a demand for the arrest of six citizens of Winona, a small town in the western part of Whitman county, demanding that they be officially accused of larceny and arrested on that charge. The alleged offense is the theft of company coal from a car at that place. The demand was made by order of Division Superintendent Thomas Walsh of the O. R. & N. at Teko.

Last Wednesday a car of coal was received at Winona, consigned to the agent at that place. Many families in the town were entirely out of coal and suffering extremely because of the cold weather. In many instances children were sent

neighbors who had some fuel to keep them from suffering extremely from cold. Leading merchants and business men offered to buy the coal to prevent further suffering, but were met by a refusal, whereupon the citizens collected enough money to pay for the entire car of 20 tons at the rate of \$8 a ton and deposited the money with Stewart Small, a merchant. They then appointed a weighmaster and proceeded to help themselves to the coal. The entire car was appropriated and distributed to the people who were out, each getting about a half ton.

The prosecuting attorney refused to file an information, giving as his reason that no jury in Whitman county could be found who would convict these men.

DRUG TAKING ON THE WANE

A distinguished medical practitioner of New York City not so very long ago wrote as follows:

"Whether we would have it so or not, it is evident to the most casual observer of the trend of medical events, that a new era in therapeutics has been inaugurated and entered upon. For years, our profession was reproached with the taunt from the lips of the critical if not unfriendly laity, that while surgery had made rapid and brilliant strides, therapeutics had stood still. It was measurably true. The era of slavish dependence upon drugs is rapidly giving place to advanced therapeutics methods in the treatment of a large and increasing number of diseases of the human body. No matter whether we deplore it or rejoice because of it, the fact nevertheless remains that the propulsively progressive spirit of the age appears to be back of these movements and actually forcing what may be very properly called advanced therapeutics upon the attention of our profession."

Without a doubt, Osteopathy has done more toward eliminating drug treatment and bringing about rational methods than any other single agent. The remarkable percentage of cures accomplished by it, even in cases which have defied every other treatment, simply cannot be overlooked; and even quite a percentage of medical practitioners, who are naturally somewhat loath to recognize a system which has been bold enough to declare its independence, are now sending patients to Osteopaths. The system is being even more fully recognized, however, by those not of the medical profession; and the fact of its having received legislative recognition in a large majority of the states of the Union, coupled with its good work everywhere is making it rapidly take its rank as the foremost healing method of the day.

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CHURCHES OF LA GRANDE UNITE IN OFFERING THANKS

Thanksgiving day was generally observed among the churches of the city yesterday. A union service of the Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian and Christian churches was held in the Christian church yesterday morning. This was the annual service at which the churches offer up thanks and follow their thanks with a donation to the city's poor.

Presiding Elder J. D. Gillilan, conducted the services, which were wholly along Thanksgiving lines.

In the evening, the Presbyterian church was the meeting place of the union services Rev. Gibson of the Baptist church delivering the sermon.

Following is a brief outline of Rev. Gibson's sermon on the theme "What hath God Wrought?"

We are living, we are dwelling in a grand and awful time. In an age of ages, "Count your blessings and it will surprise you what the Lord hath done." Because of what God has wrought in our age, we stand differentiated from all other ages.

The last hundred years have been differentiated from all others in history because of: First, Progress in civil government. Our age, and especially so by the Americans' achievement as a republic, decrees that every despotism, monarchy and empire shall fall and on their vacancies shall rise a government for the people. Second: We have a marked progress in invention, discovery, and thought. Along economical lines, the modern convenience of which we think so little; in the medical work world, antiseptics, anesthetics and osteopathy are on thirty-six years old. Inventions have in the last one hundred years, perfected the steamboat, the locomotive, the electric cars, the bicycle, the automobile, the telegraph, trans-atlantic cables of steel, the harvesters, printing press and sewing machine. Means of lightning, wireless telegraph airships.

We are living in an age of expansion. An hour or two spent in the study of American history will refresh the forgetful memory of the expansion by the American people. Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines are only the latest additions to our territory.

Educationally, this age has made wonderful strides. In 1800 we had eight

colleges, now the universities, colleges and high schools of the nation are legion.

Greatest of all expansion, is our broadening out along religious lines.

In 1800 we had 365,000 protestants, now there are twenty-two millions. Then there was one protestant to 145 inhabitants; now there are four. The Methodist church had, in 1800, 65,000 members; now there are 7,000,000. The Baptists may almost duplicate this rate of increase. In 1804 the first Bible house was instituted. Today, the American Bible Society puts out per year, 1,000,000 copies of the Holy Bible.

But with all these advances and expansions and developments characterizing our age, we need men of sterling qualities. We have many perils, paramount among which is the liquor traffic. What the world needs, what America needs, is men, men who are men.

EPISCOPALS' THANKSGIVING

The Episcopalists held thanksgiving services in St. Paul's church during the morning.

The rector's address was based on some of the thoughts suggested by the President's Thanksgiving proclamation. After pointing out the great national prosperity and blessings which the nation at present enjoys, he emphasized the point that the nation must be mindful of the source whence all blessings are derived.

He reminded his hearers that if we forget that it is primarily to God we owe thanks, then we would be like Nebuchadnezzar, and assemble the glory solely to ourselves and become self-centered. What we must do is to recognize that we are stewards for God and to use our riches for the good of all and endeavor to promote peace, justice and good will among men. We should remember the words of the prophet Micah, and ever act on them. "What doth the Lord thy God require of thee? But to do justly, to love mercy and walk humbly with thy God."

CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Sacred Heart Academy was a little premature, but nevertheless had appropriate services. The evening preceding Thanksgiving, the students in the school rendered a Thanksgiving program. Yesterday the usual mass was observed.

TO EUROPE BY HUDSON BAY

(Scripps News Association)

Quebec, Nov. 30.—The proposed new route to Europe via Hudson Bay is attracting considerable attention in the Canadian northwest. Should the proposed route be worked it will be the means of bringing Canada 1000 miles nearer Europe and by the saving of price will give the farmers of Western Canada practical control of the grain markets of the world. Up to the present eight railroads have applied to the Dominion government for charters for lines to Hudson Bay from various points in the interior of Canada and some of them are now being built from the South and West. An enormous tract of country will be tapped by these lines and not-withstand-

ing the fact that the season in the Bay only lasts from July 1 to October 1 the shorter railroad haul will give such inducements that a heavy traffic can easily be developed. Huge storage elevators will have to be erected at the end of the railroad lines but the added insurance and storage rates will be offset by the great decrease in freight rates. It is predicted that the route, if found serviceable will eventually handle a large amount of traffic of the western states of America as well as that of Canada. The Canadian Northern is building a line from the Prince Albert branch and the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk announce that they intend building branch lines in the spring.

MARK TWAIN IS SEVENTY ONE

(Scripps News Association)

New York, Nov. 30.—Mark Twain, the prince of American humorists, is receiving the hearty congratulations of his friends from all parts of the continent and abroad today on the occasion of his seventy-first birthday. Mr. Clemens' seventy-one years have been only mellowing in their effect. The wonderful lock of hair has been gray these several decades, and any lines in his grave countenance are only the marks of quizzical observation or perhaps of inward laughter. The years find him, after as widely varied life as a

man could have, a citizen of New York, and this is probably his permanent abiding place. He is domiciled in one of those dignified old mansions in lower Fifth Avenue, in sight of the Washington Arch, which hold their own against the encroachments of office buildings and the noise of business streets with a grim determination that earns for them added respect. Mr. Clemens was born in Florida, Mo. He is just recovering from his annual attack of bronchitis but states he is enjoying capital health.

FAT CIVIL SERVICE JOBS

(Scripps News Association)

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 30.—The United States Civil Service examiners are holding an examination in the federal building here today of applicants for the position of laboratory assistant, qualified in optics, for service in the bureau of standards at a salary of \$1000. On Dec. 5 there will be an examination for an arboriculturist in dry land agriculture, for the department of agriculture at a salary of \$2,500 dollars.

ESTRAY NOTICE

Came to my place south of town a yearling steer, black with white spots, invisible brand on hip and slit in each ear. Has been there about a month. Owner can have same by calling and paying the pasture bill and other charges.

Mrs. SARAH R. WILLIAMS

FIGHT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

(Scripps News Association)

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—The fight to a finish, for the welterweight championship of the world, between Mike ("Twin") Sullivan and Joe Thomas, takes place here tonight and has attracted a large number of sporting men from all parts of the country. The weight will be at 145 pounds and all arrangements in connection with the match are being carried out by what is known as the fight trust.

NEGRO EXECUTED IN TEXAS

Waco, Texas, Nov. 30.—The negro Jesse Washington, who was sentenced to death by Judge S. R. Scott on October 29 for the murder of Matt Block on the night of Sept. 8, was executed here this morning. Since his conviction the condemned man has shown great coolness and before his execution made a statement declaring that he was innocent.

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