

News of the Week

Friday, May 16.

The Senate passed the fortifications appropriation bill. England is slow in sending relief to West Indian sufferers. Special Envoy Curry presented his credentials to the Spanish court. Dr. Henry Van Dyke was elected moderator of the General Assembly. Greene and Gaylor, the Savannah swindlers, were spirited away from Quebec. Anthracite miners vote to continue the strike. Imperfect returns indicate registrations in Oregon are 10,000 under the number in 1900. Very rich ore body has been rediscovered in the Golconda mine. Fifty-eighth annual commencement of Willamette University. Two sisters, young girls, of Aberdeen, Wash., eloped. Wheat and corn sagged off a little in the East on good crop news. Iron production of the United States for April beat the world. Thieves rob safe of William Holl of \$1300 in money and jewelry. A. A. Morse elected president of State Sunday School Association. William Allen White visits Portland. Charles S. Savage on second trial in Portland for diamond robbery.

Saturday, May 17.

Prospect that Indian War pension bill will pass the house. Southern Democrats much disturbed by row in Tammany. Mount Pelee shows signs of continued activity. Emperor William will present to the United States a statue of Frederick the Great. Carnegie offers \$20,000,000 for the Philippines. Oregon intercollegiate team won from Washington debaters. A general strike of all coal miners in the United States may be called. Governor Geer did not attend the grand Republican rally at Salem. Vein running 50 per cent gold has been discovered in the Golconda mine. State of Washington will have 90 days within which to select 57,000 acres of arid land. Fickle weather and coal strike retard trade. Consumption of iron keeps pace with the enormous production. Wheat was a little more active in Eastern markets. Fritz Stasbus, who stabbed O. E. Buckley, caught at Holbrook. Port of Portland decides to borrow money by a popular loan. Question raised as to validity of registration of 300 Troutdale voters. Another bad fire has resulted seriously to onlookers. Men, women and children, watching a blaze in the Chicago stockyards, overloaded a viaduct, which collapsed, injuring 20 persons. The most complete lard refinery in the United States, owned by Armour & Company, burned, with a loss of between \$750,000 and \$900,000. Seven hundred men at work in the building made their escape. The fire originated with an explosion of three lard tanks.

Sunday, May 18.

A crazy man disturbed the coronation proceedings at Madrid. The Kaiser may come to Washington to the unveiling of the statue of Frederick the Great. The Scully-Sampson controversy was revived in the House. The remains of General Rosecrans were re-interred at Arlington cemetery. A negro riot at Atlanta, Ga., resulted in eight deaths. Four men were killed in a collision on the Billings line. Discovery of a lost mine, abandoned 50 years ago, in Josephine County. P. L. Campbell resigns the presidency of the Monmouth Normal School and accepts the presidency of the University of Oregon.



Fantastic stories have been written of magic mirrors in which the future was revealed. If such a thing were possible many a bright-faced bride would shrink from the revelation of herself, stripped of all her loveliness. If there is one thing which would make a woman shrink from marriage it is to see the rapid physical deterioration which comes to so many wives. The cause is generally due to womanly diseases. Lost health and lost comeliness are restored by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures irregularity and dries weakening drains. It heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness.

"It is with the greatest pleasure that I tell you what Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery have done for me," writes Mrs. Emma L. Banker, of 195 North 7th Street, Harrisburg, Pa. "They have done me a world of good. I had female weakness for six years; sometimes feel so badly I did not know what to do, but I found relief at last, thanks to Dr. Pierce for his kind advice. I have this medicine still in my house and will always keep it." If you are led to the purchase of "Favorite Prescription" because of its remarkable cures of other women, do not accept a substitute which has none of these cures to its credit. Free. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Or for cloth-bound volume send 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

cepts the presidency of the University of Oregon. Charles S. Savage acquitted of \$10,000 diamond robbery. Alphonso XIII, reaching the age of 16, became King of Spain yesterday, and the regency of the Queen mother came to an end. A gorgeous procession from the palace to the Chamber of Deputies was the feature of the celebration. The reception met with by the procession was, on the whole, lukewarm on the part of the immense crowds, composed chiefly of people who had gathered to witness the pageant out of curiosity. On the Puerto del Sol, no cheer was raised until the King arrived there, when he received an ovation, mainly, however, from the spectators who packed the windows and balconies. There was some cheering from the people in the streets and hats were waived, but many men did not even uncover their heads.

Monday, May 19.

An anarchist plot against the King of Spain has been discovered. Mount Pelee is reported to be again active. Boers are balloting on ending the war. United States trade in far East shows great gains. Civic Federation looking into Eastern coal strike. Jewish women of New York have organized a crusade against the meat trust. High wind along the California coast did damage off San Francisco and Catalina Island. Representative H. A. Smith dies from internal hemorrhage in Portland. Political returns show that W. J. Furnish gains favor. Helena defeats Portland in last game of series, 7-1. Seattle wins from Spokane, 12-2; Tacoma from Butte, 10-4.

Tuesday, May 20.

The House passed the naval appropriation bill. The eight-hour bill was passed by the House. A plot against the life of Francis Joseph was frustrated. Great Britain was swept by a severe storm. In the Goliad, Tex., tornado, 98 persons were killed and 103 injured. The Presbyterian Assembly began the celebration of the centennial of home missions. Heavy slump in local potato market, due to large receipts at San Francisco. Furnish gets brilliant reception at Astoria. Eugene L. Schaefer, head master at Bishop Scott Academy, kills himself. Murderer Williams walks voluntarily into jail in Portland. He killed "Cockney George" May 11.

Wednesday, May 21.

An eruption from Mount Pelee caused a panic at Fort de France. President Loubet arrives at Cronstadt, Russia. A temporary injunction against the beef trust is in force. Hull of the new Port of Portland dredge launched yesterday. Junction City bartender is killed by a robber. Many people going to Thunder Mountain. Dr. Arthur Lachman resigns from University of Oregon. Two-mill tax levy asked from Portland tax-payers for Lewis and Clark Fair. About 2500 men will go on a strike this morning, in Portland, and all work in the building line will be stopped until the Plating Mill Men's Union is granted its demand for a nine-hour day. The strike will call out 13 unions—the electricians, carpenters, painters, plumbers, bricklayers, lathers, sheet metal workers, slingers, bridge and structural iron workers, hod carriers, sand and fuel drivers, glaziers and plasterers—and will seriously affect industries of every class.

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What Shall We Have For Dessert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10cts. Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering. "I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was unable to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by G. A. Harding, Druggist.

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MRS. HULDA JAKEMAN

Wife of President Jakeman of Elders of the Mormon Church, Salt Lake City, Utah, Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound For Women's Periodic Pains.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Before I knew of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I dreaded the approach of the time for my menstrual period, as it would mean a couple of days in bed with intense pain and suffering. I was under the physicians' care for over a year without any relief, when my attention was called to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound by several of our Mormon women who had been cured through its use. I began its systematic use and improved gradually in health, and after the use of six bottles my health was completely restored, and for over two years I have had neither ache or pain. You have a truly wonderful remedy for women. Very sincerely yours, Mrs. HULDA JAKEMAN, Salt Lake City, Utah. —\$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine.



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SENATOR HANNA WILL AID. Promises to Help Passage of Bill to Reimburse Indian War Veterans.

Portland, May 14.—Senator Hanna, Chairman National Republican Committee, Washington, D. C., eight hundred Indian War Veterans and 8000 sons wait Senate bill (640) six hundred and forty passed by the House before election. Will it be done? Committee awaits an answer. T. A. WOOD, Chairman M. S. DAILY. J. P. CRABTREE. W. W. KENTON. FRANK FORD. W. BAILY. R. B. WILMOT. JAMES WHEELER. F. M. THURSTON. N. N. ROBINSON. THOS. J. GEORGEY. COMMITTEES.

Senator Hanna's answer, which was received Tuesday, reads as follows: WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16.—T. A. Wood, Portland, Ore.: Telegram received. Will do what I can to help. Committee will probably act next Wednesday. M. A. HANNA.

MISS PETTICOATS. A Novel That Is Not at All Ordinary. It Tells an Odd Story.

Particular attention is called to the mechanical appearance of "Miss Petticoats," the long expected and much discussed novel by the mysterious Dwight Tilton, which the C. M. Clark Company of Boston has just brought out. We do not remember having seen a hand-drawn \$1.50 book. We have seen "de lux" editions at five dollars a volume which were not so elaborately or exquisitely gotten up. The novel is bound in gray silk and the cover design is that of a young lady of distinguished beauty wrapped in a long red cloak lined with ermine. This is artistically stamped in four colors. The seven full page illustrations are by Charles H. Stephens, and they are printed in colors by a new process which gives the effect of a most faithful reproduction of the original colors in the oil sketches. Lovers of books will appreciate the English hand made paper upon which this novel is printed; gilt top.

Now for the story—this publishing company has already won a reputation for its output of books out of the common rut. Whatever criticism was made of their "Quincy Adams Sawyer" or "Bienenbasset" nobody ever pretended to say they were on the dull level of the common place. They each had something to say, and they said it without fear or favor. The people liked that sort of thing and they bought the books liberally. "Miss Petticoats" will be popular for its distinctive flavor and its piquant originality. Its very name "Miss Petticoats" suggests something unusual. While it enforces through a terse and brilliant narrative the eternal truth that "there is no sex in sin," it is far from being a "purpose" novel. If it has a purpose at all, it is to tell an attractive story first. This is done in a terse and dramatic way that will grip the readers as by hooks of steel and hold his willing allegiance till the last word of the last page is read.

"Miss Petticoats," the heroine, lives as a girl with her grandfather in an old whaling bark tied up at one of the wharves of "Old Chetford," a locality in the novel which many readers will recognize as the Old New England whaling town, New Bedford. She is stormy, passionate, proud as Lucifer, but warm in her affections, brave, honest and truthful. Incidentally she is beautiful. Having done a great service for an aristocratic lady of the town, the girl is taken into the proud household. By and by slander, malice jealousy, and the insulting love of a young society favorite combine to form a tremendous climax in the young woman's life, from which she emerges hardened, embittered and bent upon revenge. Fortune at last makes her a creature of power, beauty, brilliancy and great resources, and then the one ambition of her existence seems near its fulfillment.

The chief charm about "Miss Petticoats" is its absolute unconventionality. Its people are not moulded on the ancient pattern of fiction. Its scenes and incidents have not been doing novelistic duty for the last thirty years. Its theme is fresh and healthful, its love element passionate but clean. Its warm-hearted heroine is a lovable as any young woman of fiction for a long time, yet she she, too, is very distinctive make-up.

Holds Up a Congressman.

"At the end of the campaign," writes Champ Clark, Missouri's brilliant congressman, "from overwork, nervous tension, loss of sleep and constant speaking I had about utterly collapsed. It seemed that all the organs in my body were out of order, but three bottles of Electric Bitters made me all right. It's the best all-around medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter." Overworked run down men and weak, sickly women gain splendid health and vitality from Electric Bitters. Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Geo. A. Harding.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS Regular May Term of the County Board.

J. R. Morton, John Lewellen and T. B. Killin, County Commissioners. In the matter of the Abernethy and Viola road. Ordered that when citizens grade 40 rods near Latourette place John Lewellen is authorized to plank same. In the matter of application for relief of Robert Wickham, indigent soldier. Allowed \$10. In the matter of the application of the Oregon City and Suburban Railway Company for a franchise upon the Abernethy and Oregon City and Oswego county roads to build railway. Granted. In the matter of road supervisors. Ordered to report to-ole on hand each month. In the matter of petition of Anna Stock for rebate of taxes. Granted. In the matter of petition of Mrs A A Wilcox fo. rebate of taxes. Denied.

When the Power is Off What Happens?

Every factory worker and mechanic knows what happens when the power is off. Everything stops. The machinery is idle. If a mechanic were taken into a factory and saw the machinery silent and motionless he'd know at once that the power was off. When you shut off the power from a plant you shut off its activity. If every factory and mill had, every mechanic and workman, understood the



mechanism of his body as he understands the machinery of the mill, he would know that when a man is weak and run down, when his activities are slowed down if not altogether stopped, there is something wrong with the power plant of the body.

The power plant of the body includes the stomach and its associated organs of digestion and nutrition. All physical strength is derived from food digested and converted into nutrition. Nutrition is the power which runs the body. When nutrition fails the body fails. The chemical changes by which food is converted into nutrition take place in the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts. When the stomach is diseased, the nutrition is reduced and the body's power is reduced in proportion.

A DOCTOR'S DICTUM.

An eminent physician in a lecture to medical students, said in substance, "When you are called on by a sick person the first examination must be directed to the stomach." Just as the mechanic knows the power's off when the machinery stops, so the physician when he sees a man weak, tired, and helpless, knows the power is off. The food the man eats is not being converted into nutrition. When food is digested, assimilated and converted into nutrition it must strengthen the body. When the body is weak, deficient in vitality and vigor, it must be because it is insufficiently nourished, either from lack of food or because the food eaten is not digested and converted into nutrition. Popularly and generally this condition is described as "weak stomach," or "stomach trouble."

When you have related the weak physical condition to the "weak" stomach and the "run-down" condition to

In the matter of petition of Theodor A - arbade for settlement of taxes. Granted.

In the matter of Schatzman Hill. Ordered established and survey recorded.

In the matter of report of viewears of damages on survey of Korland road Ordered that petitioners pay damages.

In the matter of report on Barlow and Mt Hood wagon road. Approved.

In the matter of petition of W W Irvin for rebate of taxes. Granted.

In the matter of petition of Tom P Randall for extra deputies. Denied.

(Continued next week)

Wants Others to Know.

"I have used DeWitt's Little Early Risers for constipation and torpid liver and they are all right. I am glad to endorse them for I think when we find a good thing we ought to let others know it," writes Alfred Heinze, Quincy, Ill. They never gripe or distress. Sure, safe pills. Geo. Harding.

Rates Again Reduced From All Points East.

Before you make definite arrangements for that trip east let us quote you rates via the Illinois Central Railroad. Our rates are the lowest to be had, and it will pay you to write us. If you haven't time to communicate with us, tell the agent from whom you purchase your ticket that you want to travel by way of the Illinois Central, and you will never regret the trip. If any of your relatives or friends in the east are coming west while the low rates are in effect write us about them, and we will see that they get the lowest rates with the best service. Through tourist cars, personally conducted excursion cars, free reclining chair cars—in fact all the latest conveniences know to modern railroading. For particulars regarding rates, time, service, stop-overs, different connections and routes, Etc., etc., call on or address: B. H. THREMBULL, Com'l Agt. 142 Third Street, Portland, Ore.

the running down of the machinery the physical power-house, the best way to do is to consider how to turn the power again, restore the vigor and the activity. The best way to explain how to do is to show how it has been done. "It is with heart-felt gratitude I send this testimonial which I wish to publish with my name and address writes Mr. Willis Seaman of Watertown, Orange County, N. Y. "I had stomach trouble from birth and at times it more or less as I grew up. At the age of 26 I was broken down by dyspepsia. My suffering was terrible. Could not eat without distress. I could only eat a few certain things and not able to work half the time. One thing I tried only gave me temporary relief. My wife persuaded me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and "Golden Medical Discovery" and two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I then felt well that I stopped taking medicine. Months have passed and I can do the hardest kind of work, can eat anything that is set before me and enjoy it. I am 37 years old and it is the first time I have ever felt well."

THE CAUSE FOR CONFIDENCE in the ability of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in curing "weak" stomach and diseases in general of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition is found in the fact that the worst and most objectionable forms of stomach trouble have yielded to the influence of this great remedy. "Some time has elapsed since I have written you in regard to the treatment have been taking under your instructions," says Mr. E. J. Cignamus, of Minneapolis, Minn. "When first I commenced taking your remedies I was under the treatment of a well-known specialist in my city (and had been for four months) catarrh, and especially stomach trouble, and I was rapidly getting worse. I had had that I could not eat anything and did not distress me terribly, and I was obliged to quit taking the doctor's medicine entirely. I was greatly relieved. As a last resort I wrote to you and stated my case, and after receiving your instructions I followed them. After taking five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and one of his 'Pleasant Pellets,' I commenced to improve, and decided to continue medicines and observe your instructions regarding hygienic treatment. It was nearly six months since I commenced your treatment and I can say that I am well and never felt better in my life. Am very grateful to you for what your medicine has done for me."

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