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Uncle Sam's Mail Is Heavy Around Xmas Time

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Dec. 20 In American History.

- 1689—Sir Edmund Andros, famous colonial governor of New England, assumed office at Boston.
1800—South Carolina adopted the ordinance of secession, taking lead in the movement to dissolve the United States Union.
1908—Major Orlando Jay Smith, Federal veteran of the civil war, editor and philosophical writer, founder of the American Press Association, died; born June 14, 1842.
1911—Rose Eyring, formerly popular actress, died; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 4:36, rises 7:21. Evening stars: Venus, Saturn. Morning stars: Mars, Mercury, Jupiter.

ANGLO-AMERICAN PEACE CELEBRATION

At the meeting of the American committee in charge of the arrangements for the celebration in 1914-15 of the one hundredth anniversary of peace among English speaking people, Senator Root's proposal that on February 17, 1915, five minutes shall be designated by the Parliament of Great Britain, and the Congress of the United States as a period during which all activities of the English speaking world shall come to a full stop, and that "for five minutes the English speaking world shall review the one hundred years of peace and its attendant blessings with prayer and contemplation," was most enthusiastically adopted.

A WOMAN MAYOR

Kansas is no longer the only state in the union boasting a woman mayor. Warrenton, an incorporated town of our own state has seen to it that Oregon will not permit Kansas to have any the best of us in the way of political innovations, hence the victory of Miss Clara C. Munson. However, the Enterprise heartily congratulates the lady on her victory. There is nothing of the modesty of the violet about the modern political aspirations. The average man will usually make good as councilman, or in some less conspicuous position even, before lifting his eyes to the more exalted office of mayor, but not so with his political sister. She wants the best or nothing,—and she seems to be getting it.

SOME NEW OLD BIBLES

Solomon must have had the Bible in mind when he uttered his famous complaint that of the making of books there was no end. Notwithstanding the millions of new books annually published throughout the world, the bible still leads them all. Many haters of holy writ from Voltaire down have confidently predicted a decreasing interest in the sacred scriptures, and a consequent diminution of the printed output, but time gives them the laugh. Today there are more bible readers than ever be-

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fore, and each year sees an increasing number printed.

Two bibles are just now fresh from the presses. The one issued under the auspices of the American Baptist Publication Society is one of these. It is delightfully readable, admirably printed in open type, has a sensible margin, and is most conveniently arranged in paragraphs. It contains variations from both the Authorized and revised versions, which the translators have made in behalf of greater accuracy. Nevertheless, there are many grey headed men and women who will find it difficult to make such changes as for example the one in the Lord's Prayer: "Deliver us from the evil one;" instead of the old time "Deliver us from evil." Of course all of these changes have long been known to students of the bible, and for the most part can be found in the marginal readings of one version or the other; nevertheless, it is all to the greater glory of God.

The other bible is from the press of C. Wilderman Company, and bears the imprimatur of Cardinal Farley, and Archbishop Prendergast. It is an attractively bound, beautifully printed edition of the scholarly Douay version of the Roman Catholic Church. It will come somewhat as a surprise to people who have all their lives held to the popular idea that the Roman Church discouraged the reading of the bible, to read the quotation which prefaces the New Testament: "An indulgence of 300 days is granted to all the Faithful who read the Holy Gospels at least a quarter of an hour. A Plenary Indulgence under the usual conditions is granted once a month for the daily reading."

RISE OF CO-OPERATION

The constant growth of co-operation of effort is reflected in many ways, but in none more strictly than in action lately taken by Kansas farmers during the session of the State Agricultural and Industrial Congress at Hutchinson. The meeting appears to have brought together, at that point, a number of representatives of lines of effort which are sometimes thought to be antagonistic, but which, it was found on an interchange of views, should really be co-operative. The farmers' meeting which promoted the first steps toward their union was not a part of the proceedings of the State Agricultural and Industrial Congress. But delegates to that congress comprised the meeting, and it included practically all of the farmers there. They adopted resolutions of course. The Kansas habit of adopting resolutions as the beginning of everything

is one which is never likely to be overcome. And among all the resolutions adopted in Kansas which have worked to good ends, probably none better have ever been adopted than these. They set out that, even among the farmers of Kansas themselves, there has not been that unity of thought and purpose which should exist, for the reason that, without it, energies are divided between half a dozen different bodies without any central-state body to serve as a clearing house of works or ideas. It was resolved to organize a state control agricultural body comprising all local bodies. Following this was a resolution declaring it the purpose of Kansas farmers to co-operate with the great transportation interests and all of the other business and professional interests of the state.

Vast distances have, in a large measure, compelled isolation of classes in this country, and to that extent, forced divergences of interests. With distance being vanquished as it is with communication quick and cheap, and better facilities in every way for coming and keeping in closer touch with one another, it will be found, in the course of time, that the solution of some problems now feared to be insoluble is in the one word; Co-operation.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

GERM DISEASES OTHER THAN TYPHOID FEVER

OREGON CITY, Dec. 19.—(Editor of the Enterprise.)—The following data may suffice for a hasty answer to the above query. The subject is exhaustive enough to fill volumes. Most if not all diseases are now known to be caused by "germs." All nature, including the human body itself, is literally swarming with an infinite variety of microbic life, but fortunately comparatively few are "pathogenic," that is "disease producing." Many of them, in fact, are not only protective against, but are antagonistic to disease. Such are the so-called "phagocytes." The most important germs to be guarded against in securing a pure water supply are the "bacillus typhi abdominalis," producing typhoid fever and the "comma bacillus," the active cause of Asiatic cholera. In regard to the first, it is proper to add that several bacilli which have been isolated from cases that were clinically typhoid fever but in which the bacillus typhoid could not be demonstrated, are called "para-colon bacilli," that is near-colon bacilli. This shows the extreme difficulty of detecting the germ in many cases. The prevalence of the disease is proof enough of contaminated water supply. It should be borne in mind that a single "T" of these intestinal germs "parts" (15 drops) when placed in favorable conditions of heat and moisture and so forth, as in the human body, becomes millions in a few hours. The only safety is in procuring water from a source where sewage contamination is an impossibility. "Tuberculosis" is a germ disease which develops slowly enough into a chronic state. It gains access to the human body mainly through the respiratory tracts and mucous surfaces, rarely by means of the alimentary canal, except it may be in the case of infants fed with infected milk. "Cancer" is another disease of slow growth, suspected to be caused by a germ which, however, has not yet been isolated. "Diphtheria" is caused by the "Klebs-Loeffer" bacillus, direct contact with the spectrum of shreds of membrane coughed up by a patient, or with clothing, books, drinking cups, etc., causes infection. "Malaria" is caused by the bite of a species of mosquito, the Anopheles. The infection is not conveyed by water or through the air. Yellow fever is transmitted by the bite of another species of mosquito, "the Stegomyia fatigans." The conquering of that disease in its former hot beds, Cuba and the Panama Canal zone, is one of the grandest triumphs of medical science. Not less notable is the successful fight against the bubonic plague that formerly was a wholesale scourge to the human race. The germ of that disease is now known to be carried and transmitted by rats, the

Blackfoot Indian, Aged 131, Is Oldest Man In the World



Photo by American Press Association.

THIS is said to be the oldest man in the world, and certainly, he looks the part. He is Wah-Hab-Gun-Ta, a 131-year-old Blackfoot Indian. He was born in the region known as the Glacier National park in 1781, according to well authenticated tradition. He is regarded in his tribe as an oracle. His journey to the White House when Jefferson was president was the biggest event in his life. In his younger days he was a great huntsman. He killed 3,000 buffaloes

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fleas from which rodents infect the human body by their bite. And so we might go all down the line, but these instances may be sufficient to give a very slight glimpse of the extensive field covered by "Bacteriology." W. C. SCHULTZE.

FREYTAG PREDICTS OREGON INVASION

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President Mc Bain did the calling forth. Each man was given a pair of quivers seemed to be people who had definitely turned Canada down, and who were two thirds determined to come to the coast. It is from these states that Canada has been getting her best farmers. "The lantern slides lent by the Commercial Clubs of Oregon City and Portland accomplished wonders," continued Mr. Freytag. "They said what words couldn't say, and did quite as much as our exhibit itself, to convince people that Oregon was really what we said it was." Mr. Freytag intends to make a full and complete report of his trip, the moment he catches up with the work that has accumulated during his absence.

SOUTHERN TO GET ENGINE THIS WEEK

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a large part of our freight to Portland over their line. A large freight business on the Clackamas Southern means good business for the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. "The railway commission of this state will protect every stockholder in the Clackamas Southern. The board of directors and over four hundred and fifty good sturdy citizens of Clackamas and Marion Counties will see that every stock holder will be protected."

RED CROSS SEALS ARE FINDING BIG SALE

The typhoid fever in the city should bring to the mind of every citizen the great good that the Red Cross Seals do for the unfortunate persons who are afflicted with tuberculosis. Every purchase helps. Those who can and are able to do so may help by buying a great number but each one helps. Even the little child who sent the following postal to the local headquarters helped: "Dear Sirs—I have only two cents that mamma gave me a long time ago. Teacher told me about you and the Red Cross Seals. I can't send a penny, so I will put a stamp on this postal card. Will you send me a Red Cross Seal for it?" Oregon City rallied to the help last year even stronger than before.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

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CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our many friends and acquaintances and also the Ladies of the Eastern Star and Women of the Woodcraft, for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement, in the death and burial of our daughter and sister, Edna, also for the beautiful floral offerings. MR. and MRS. J. R. PRATER AND FAMILY.

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—One large Merino Buck Sheep, owner may have same by paying for this advertisement and care. E. R. Leek, Oregon City, Route No. 2, Box 12.

HELP WANTED—MALE

Boy wanted 16 years or over. Inquire this office.

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NOTICES

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas. W. W. Martien, Plaintiff, vs. Floe Martien, Defendant.

To Floe Martien, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 1st day of February, 1913, said date being more than six weeks after the first publication of this summons, that being the time prescribed to so appear and answer and for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in plaintiff's complaint in said suit, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between the plaintiff and defendant.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable R. B. Beattie, County Judge of Clackamas County, Oregon, made, dated and entered on the 18th day of December, 1912, Judges J. U. Campbell and J. A. Eakin being absent. M. J. Mac MAHON, Attorney for Plaintiff. Date of first publication Dec. 20, 1912.

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By Dr. NATHAN C. SCHAEFFER, State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Pennsylvania

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