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CORVALLIS OREGON

Mr. Joseph Pominville of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and is a well man today. If trouble with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25 cents per box by Allen and Woodward.

Call and investigate that "Red Box" proposition at Nolan & Callahan's; There is money in it.

A FEW LINES

About Some Items
In Some of our Departments
Should Interest Many.

All our Ladies' Kid Gloves Reduced in Price for April.

Some shades and grades can now be seen in our show window. \$1.50 grade for \$1.35; \$1.25 grade for \$1.15; \$1.00 grade for 90c.

See what a fine Kid Glove
you can buy for 70 cents.

Just Received—Big line of Ladies' Wrappers, Shirt Waists, 50c. to \$6.00; Muslin and Jersey Underwear, Silks, Dress Goods, cotton, wool, linen and silk, and all at lowest prices. Call and see. Big Line Shoes.

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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Jane Shipley, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to present the same properly verified as by law required at the office of Yates & Yates, Corvallis, Oregon within six months from the date hereof. Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, this 19th day of May, 1903.

A. J. SHIPLEY
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Jane Shipley, deceased.

Don't wait until your bees swarm before you get a hive to put them in. Look at Wheeler's hives, opposite Wade's hardware store.

POSTOFFICE FRAUDS.

WOMEN WERE ON PAYROLLS
FOR SALARIES BUT NEVER
APPEARED FOR DUTY.

Postoffice Allowances Used for Junketing Trips for Political Friends of Heath and Others in Authority
—Other News.

Washington, May 17—Developments today in the postoffice frauds are most interesting. S. W. Tulloch for twenty odd years cashier of the Washington postoffice, made public a letter sent some time ago to Postmaster General Payne relative to the frauds. Among other things, ex-Cashier Tulloch says in his letter:

"For upwards of 19 years," the letter recites, "the conduct between the Washington City postoffice and the Postoffice department was regular; then came the first break, the precursor of a system of allowances to the Washington postoffice on account of departmental expenditures, which afterwards led to irregularities, abuses, extravagances, and removal of an obstacle on June 30 1899.

"Considerable feeling was manifested toward me in the office of the First Assistant Postmaster General because I would not pay vouchers for services or supplies upon personal request or by direction over the telephone. J. Holt Livingston presented vouchers one afternoon, amounting to several hundred dollars, for postal furniture. I refused to pay until the allowance was received. I was informed that it would be sent down by private messengers as soon as it was signed by the First Assistant Postmaster-General. I again refused.

"Mr. Livingston departed quite angry and some time afterward returned with the allowance properly executed and still damp from the copying press. It was for a shipment of furniture, as I remember, to Cuba or Porto Rico. No one had certified as to the receipt of the goods and I called the attention of Mr. Livingston to the omission. He explained that it would be all right and that he needed money.

"I declined to pay unless some responsible official would acknowledge the receipt of the goods, where upon Mr. Livingston became confidential and told me his company did not have much capital, for that work had not yet even been begun upon the furniture, but that "George" had agreed to advance him the money in advance. It is needless to add no payment was made.

"On account of the intimate relations between the department and the Washington office, verbal directions often accompanied the written orders and were far more interesting. For example: The Postmaster one day brought me an allowance of the First Assistant Postmaster-General, salary and allowance division, July 27, 1898 appointing Emma Jones and Fannie R. Winans as cleaners or, charwomen for one year from July 1, 1898, at \$6.00 per annum.

"Handing me the allowance he stated that it was the intention of the department that the names of any women should not appear on any payroll; that the parties designated should not know that the other was in receipt of any money or had any connection with the office. He also stated that neither of them was expected to report for duty. This complimentary roll was added to later."

Mr. Tulloch says that the classification act of March 2, 1889, was ignored by First Assistant Postmaster-General Heath, and that sundry persons designated finance clerks, auditors and etc, were paid illegally from \$200 to \$300 each per annum over their lawful salaries. With only one or two exceptions the appointments of cleaners, charwomen, laborers, etc., he says, were evasions of the civil service, and the parties did not perform the duties implied in their official designations—often no service whatever. Transfers were made by the Assistant Postmaster-General from outside offices without

any request or demand from the local Postmaster.

Mr. Tulloch says the emergency measures to provide mail facilities during the Spanish War presented great opportunities for favoritism and irregularities. He says that J. W. Whitney, said to be the father-in-law H. J. Barrett, late law clerk for the Postoffice Department, was appointed Postmaster of one of the principal cities in Porto Rico.

"When," it is stated, "he was called down sharply by the Washington office with reference to irregularities in his money order account he wrote back, "Perhaps if you knew who my influence is you would not write to me in that manner" His postal account became so confused and full of errors that I refused to pay his salary in order to make good as far as possible.

"He surprised me one day by calling and demanding his back pay. This was refused until his account had been audited. He replied: "Very well, at your convenience; I have been appointed to a \$1,400 position in the land office.

"At the time of my removal most of the offices in Porto Rico were in arrears, some of them for a considerable amount, and the accounts were very much confused. The records of the department should show whether these balances were collected in full or not, and if not, may it not be asked why the department did not proceed against the parties in arrears upon their bonds, paid for, contrary to the custom, by the government itself, by order of the first assistant.

"Much has been said by ex-Postmaster General Smith, ex-First Assistant Postmaster General Perry S. Heath and Controller Tracewell in public interviews about the exigencies of the military postal service. But did these exigencies require the personal investigation of so many Indiana, Ohio and other politicians and friends of the officials.

"Free trips to Porto Rico, Cuba and return became the fashion. All expenses were paid from the time of leaving home, Pullman hotels, etc, then a pleasant voyage upon a transport, a trip around one or more of the islands, expenses to Washington and hotel bills there, while friends and officials were informed of their observations: then Pullmans and passage home. This was a pretty 'good thing' in itself, but the generous office of the first assistant not only paid all expenses but a good salary, sometime lasting for weeks and months after the return of the recipient, while no possible service was being rendered. All this was charged to the military postal service, a fund to be used for those accompanying the Armies in the field."

If you have musical instruments of any kind you wish to sell, or have cleaned, tuned or repaired, call on E. E. White second hand store opposite Farmer's Hotel, Corvallis, Oregon.

Notice to Bidders.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by me up to one o'clock Wednesday, May 20th, 1903, for the construction of 1800 feet of road near Mountain View School house in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the County Clerks office. Each bidder is required to deposit with his bid five per cent of the amount thereof, as by law required, the County Court reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated, Corvallis Or. May 11, 1903:
THOMAS A. JONES,
Surveyor.

E. R. Bryson,

Attorney-At-Law,

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THROUGH HER NOSE.

AND INTO BRAIN OF JEWISH
WOMAN, THEY DROVE TWO
LONG NAILS.

Barbarous Persecutions of Jewish People in Russia—Women and Children Murdered by Horrible Methods—Biggest man on Earth
—Other News.

New York, May 16.—Dr. Dorosobewski, the head physician of the National Hospital at Kishinef, after examining the dead and wounded has given the following specific instances of hideous cruelty, says a dispatch from Kishinef to the World.

A Jewess named Sara Fonarschi was brought here with two nails, seven inches long driven into her brain through her nose.

One Jew was brought in with one hip, both ankles and wrists broken, his severed hands and feet dangled by the skin.

A Jew had lost his upper and under lips, after which his tongue and windpipe had been pulled out through his mouth with pinners.

The ears of a Jew named Selisar had been cut away and his head battered in 12 pieces. He was a raving maniac.

A carpenter was surprised at work and both of his hands were sawed off with his own saw.

A Jewish girl was assaulted by several brutes who then cut her eyes out with a pocket knife.

One woman after trying to defend her children, was thrown upon the pavement, disemboweled and feathers and horse hair from her bed were stuffed into her body.

Small children were flung out of windows and trampled upon by the mob.

Forty-seven were killed on the spot, eighty died of their injuries and 300 are under treatment.

Four thousand Jews are without food and shelter, and it is impossible for them to get away.

Minneapolis, May 16.—M. S. Murgulis, a resident of Binder, a town not far from Kishinef, has written the following letter to a relative in Minneapolis, saying:

"Let me relate to you some of the terrible news which has occurred in Kishinef. A great massacre took place on Easter Sunday, in which not only the citizens of Kishinef took part, but also the Russians of the neighborhood, showing that it had been organized by some anti-Semitic leader.

"One-third of the Kishinef Jews have fled to Binder, others to Odessa, and the only trouble is that there is no place to run. Mr. Keldman, of Kishinef, came to my house yesterday and related to me the following:

"Forty-three Jews have been killed outright. Over 400 are in the hospitals, many of them lying between life and death. A large number of children are among the dead and injured. Girls of tender age have been ravished and mutilated in the most brutal manner.

"Many Jews are missing. Every day dead bodies are found in cellars and side streets. A great calamity has befallen us Jews in Russia. The Russians all over the

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