

RATE WAR BEGUN BY OREGON DRYDOCK

Cutting of Prices Attributed to Reduction Made to Jane L. Stanford.

CORBETT DEFENDS ACTION

Move by Port, He Says, May Drive From Portland Concern That Is of Two-Fold Benefit in Time of Necessity.

That a reduction of 15 per cent agreed to with the owners of the barquentine Jane L. Stanford... Corbett defends action...

RATES DRIVE SHIPS FROM SEA

Lloyds Protest Against London Decisions as to War Risks.

STEAMER INTELLIGENCE

Table with columns: Name, From, Date, To, Date. Lists various steamers and their routes.

on British shipping will be so high—at 20 guineas per cent—that owners will be unable to send their vessels to sea.

Officer Views Canal Work.

To inspect operations on the Cello canal, Major Morrow, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., yesterday journeyed to the scene with the expectation of going over the entire project.

Toledo to Have Dredge Barge.

TOLEDO, Or., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the Port Commission of the Port of Toledo Wednesday a contract for building a barge for a dredge was let to the Modern Improvement Company.

Marine Notes.

With general cargo for Portland the steamer Nome City is to sail Monday from San Francisco.

Upper Willamette Rising at Few Points and Falling at Others.

Captain A. W. Graham, of the Yellow Stack Line, says that the Willamette River for years, having been operating as far south as Corvallis, yesterday characterized the present freshet as being peculiar.

GEIM REPRESENTS EXPORTERS

Shanghai Company Will Equal Big Business or Last Year. Werner Geim is due in Portland February 1 to represent the China Import Export Lumber Company.

Movements of Vessels.

PORTLAND, Jan. 20.—Arrived.—Steamer Assumption, from San Francisco, sailed at 10 A. M. for Portland.

Tides at Astoria Saturday.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used.

BULLETS END BLISS

Husband Whose Wife Shoots at Him Divorced.

ONE HONEYMOON FLEETING

Only Three Weeks of Happy Life Vouchsafed to Bride—Weeping Woman Says "Thank You" When Bonds are Severed.

Being rather doubtful of his continued ability to catch leaden bullets in his teeth, Barney Metzger, who charges that his wife is given to enforcing domestic discipline with the revolver, sought safety in the divorce mill of the Circuit Court, yesterday afternoon.

Housework Left Undone.

This was not Metzger's one grievance. His wife, he said, had an abject horror of housework and would not take care of their apartments properly.

BOSSUET HELPED BY STORM

Celtic Glen Starts Up and Pierre Antonine Leaves.

Southerly winds that wrought havoc with vessels heading into them made smooth sailing for the French steamer Bossuet, which yesterday crossed into the Columbia at noon, six days after passing between San Francisco heads.

FIGHTERS NOT PROSECUTED

Judge McGinn Follows Precedent Set in Thayer "Ground Squabble."

Concurring in the Thayer "ground squabble" decision handed down by the Oregon Supreme Court, Circuit Judge McGinn yesterday continued an assault case in order that the principals might be given an opportunity to settle together and bring their troubles out of court.

M'GINN PAROLEE EMBEZZLER

Practice of Holding Men in Jail Without Trial Condemned.

Condemning the practice of holding men charged with petty offenses in jail for months without trial, Circuit Judge McGinn yesterday paroled O. A. Jackson, who pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of \$5.

MORGAN INDORSES PLAN

Aldrich Monetary System Would Release Idle Millions.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A statement issued from the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. by Henry P. Davison, of that firm, gives the Aldrich currency reform plan the most enthusiastic endorsement it has received from any notable Wall-street source.

AUTOMOBILE TO EXPLOIT

A. S. ASHLEY TO MAKE UNIQUE LECTURE TOUR.

East to Be Told Glories and Opportunities for Home-seekers Anywhere in Oregon.

BAKER, Or., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A. S. Ashley, publicity manager of the Baker Commercial Club, is the originator of a unique lecture tour, planned for the winter of Oregon.

Two machines will be especially fitted for the long journey. A stereopticon and moving-picture machine will form the most important part of the equipment.

Mr. Ashley returned a few days ago from Portland where he made some preliminary arrangements for the long trip and is greatly pleased over the cooperation of the Oregon Automobile Association.

County History to Be Compiled.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A society to collect and tabulate the history of Linn County and to preserve historical mementoes of the development of this county is being formed in this city.

JUDGES WILL BE CHOSEN

College Representatives to Name Officials for Debates.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Committeemen from each of the seven colleges represented in the Intercollegiate Oratorical Association of Oregon will hold a business meeting here tomorrow to select judges for the oratorical contest to be held in Eugene March 10.

OLD SORES DUE TO DISEASED BLOOD

Every symptom of an old sore suggests diseased blood. The inflammation, discharge, discolored flesh, and the fact that local applications have no permanent effect toward healing the ulcer, shows that deep down in the system there is a morbid cause for the sore.

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Contact with many patients has given me practical knowledge. I have records to show that I have treated more cases in my specialty than any other specialist in the West.

A few hours or days under my treatment may add years and health to your life. If you are suffering from any ailment I will examine you free. Every man should take this opportunity to learn his true condition.

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Modern Improvement Company for \$471. All bids for building jetties were rejected and new bids were called for to be opened Saturday, January 23.

ROOSEVELT GETS HUNTING INVITATION.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 20.—Colonel Roosevelt has been invited by Provincial Game Warden, WILLIAM J. HULL, of British Columbia during the coming season. The invitation is said to follow the ex-president's desire to try his hand in the mountains and succeed in hunting British Columbia during the coming season.

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