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AMERICAN INTERVENTION.

There will be no American intervention in the British-Transvaal trouble, so far as America is concerned, unless the president shall begin to think that his chances, by silence, are becoming imperilled as to re-election. The great mass of German Americans are only too familiar with old world imperialism, and to avoid this, thousands are today American citizens. They and their posterity are here. They are of the best class of citizens. They are lovers of justice. They are keen observers. They are, as a rule, much more interested in public affairs than the public is generally led to believe. They are not, like many Americans, hidebound to party faith, and they see plainly, today, that Great Britain has the administration sympathy of our Hannait officials. They know that one word from American official sources, and the war would stop and that, without war. They know that we would be at once supported by almost every European power. Knowing this, they have seen a cringing to the British lack of cause in the Transvaal. They have seen a little country, with its wives and mothers, even, stand up before British guns. They have seen the commercial press, almost unitedly republican, endorse British aggression. They now know that if official America speaks, that the sound will be but the fear of loss of election. Militarism seems to be the god of instinct in the highest essence of Hannaitism. Can it be supported?

THE PORTO RICAN TAX.

It has been said by well-meaning republicans that the Porto Rico tariff bill did not, under the "democratic" analysis of tariff operations, work a hardship on the islanders, if the contention be true, that "the consumer pays the tax." Our friends forget that the bill cuts both ways and it must catch the Porto Rican, either coming or going. The tariff is placed on goods going into the islands from the United States, and going into the United States from the islands. So it will be seen that the Porto Rican is caught if the foreigner pays the tax; and the tax catches the Porto Rican if the consumer pays the tax. In either event the poor "dago" has to take his medicine. To prove the thing it is but necessary to give the text of the bill, which is:

"That on and after the passage of this act, all merchandise coming into the United States from Porto Rico and coming into Porto Rico from the United States shall be entered at the several ports of entry upon payment of 15 per cent of the duties which are required to be levied, collected and paid upon like articles of merchandise imported from foreign countries; and in addition thereto upon articles of merchandise of Porto Rican manufacture coming into the United States and withdrawn for consumption or sale upon payment of a tax equal to the internal-revenue tax imposed in the United States upon the like articles of merchandise of domestic manufacture; and on all articles of merchandise of United States manufacture coming into Porto Rico in addition to the duty above provided upon payment of a tax equal in rate and amount to the internal-revenue tax imposed in Porto Rico upon the like articles of Porto Rican manufacture."

THE CHAPTER SPEAKS.

It requires a little more than a good cause and a determined purpose to carry an election.—Forest Grove Times. Here is the truth, so far as Col. Eddy is concerned. Col. Eddy knows, as he has been a Hanna politician for some years. It pleases us to see this come from a man like Eddy—a man whose almost every public act since coming to Washington county has been more or less tainted with crookedness.

WHEN "Grover" was president and wheat was as cheap as at present, the little country papers now advocating Hannait laid the price to the democratic party. They now ignore the starvation price and continue to yell about prosperity which exists only for the trusts and corporations. "Debase products all you will, but give us Hanna" is the burden of their song.

THE ex-railroad commissioner, Mr. Jim Eddy, in the last issue of his little sheet, says that Candidate McNamer is an ideal candidate. Words to that effect, because the latter has said that if he were elected sheriff he would not send any one out to do a hard job. No doubt this is one of Eddy's nasty little flings at Sheriff Bradford, whom Eddy cordially despises because Mr. Bradford did not see fit to stand in with the Simonite publisher that he might work a graft on the tax list. Mr. Bradford has been under fire, and proved himself game at that time. He is not brave, "with his mouth," like the vaillant "Colonel," who hung to the railroad commission with his teeth until the enamel had worn off the edges, it is true, but Mr. Bradford has done his duty, so far as any one knows—and this without making any blow about it. For a corruptionist like the "Col." to insinuate a question, as he does, the efforts of his better, the horse play comes with a poor show of sincerity. It is time for Bro Eddy to put in another bid, a la crook, or even that versatile Simonite will begin to think he has more virtue than a saint. But perhaps Bro. Eddy thinks he has a "graft" in sight.

THE ARGUS at one time commended Mr. McKinley. In the somewhat troubled career of this paper it is the single time it has gone wrong. For this weakness it is truly sorry. With tears and penitence it admits that when the president wanted to give the Filipinos a chance to govern themselves it said a good word for the executive. Some one upon the endorsement being read in Hillsboro, wired east that THE ARGUS had gone republican. This changed Mr. McKinley's mind. He turned over in bed and rolled our endorsement flatter than a fritter. The next day Mr. C. had changed his mind. This endorsing business is not as it is cracked up. Plenty of our republican brethren have found this out since our chief went back on his "plain duty" proposition. When this paper again endorses a president it will be for a retirement.

HAVE YOU AND TO CLEAR?

If so, you need a tree and stump machine that will enable you to clear it the easiest and cheapest way possible. These machines are built by a firm of 40 years' experience and cannot be beaten. It will pay you to investigate. Will furnish testimonials on application.



READ THE FOLLOWING TESTIMONIALS—"I can recommend the No. 2 Machine to all who want a strong, handy machine. It is the best in the market for the money. J. A. Zimmerman."

"I bought a No. 2 machine from Mr. Pearson and find it easily handled, durable and light, easy to set and move around, and strong enough for two horses. Wm. Schulermer, Farmington, Oregon."

"Hillsboro, Ore., March 2, 1900.—I have been using one of these machines for three months on my farm, two miles southwest of this city, and it has given perfect satisfaction. It will do all that Mr. Pearson has claimed for it, and were I to live on a farm where I had any considerable grubbing to do, and could not get another machine, I would not sell the one I have for \$100. It is a great labor saver and is worth what I paid for it—in fact it is an almost indispensable adjunct to a farm where there is any grubbing or stump-pulling. Of course, I blast the larger stumps first, and then use the puller to take out the large roots. It is a very powerful machine, and I will be pleased to recommend it to those who have this nature of work to perform. H. EVERITT."

Call on or Address, H. C. PEARSON, Farmington, Ore.

Mr. Tongue respond to the party whip, as he did in the late lamentable tariff measure. The question naturally arises: what would he not vote for, if the "whips" said "aye."

Our country is very, very happy, after all. It no sooner had ceased to sorrow for the destruction of the Maine until it was given the Puerto Rico tariff bill as a reminder that national sorrows never cease.

It is reported that Mr. Hanna is too sick to attend to the duties of the national chairmanship of his party. This is nothing to the illness he will experience next fall.

"THE ARGUS is beginnin' to sling mud agin" is the cry of the bosses to help out the Simonite wailers. Never mind, citizens, for it is clean mud.

THREE FARMS FOR SALE.

I will offer for sale the next few days, a fine farm near Cornelius. One hundred acres in cultivation; One hundred acres in pasture and good timber; good fences, well watered; good house and barn that cost \$2,200; good out buildings; good orchard; Title good; for the above farm I will offer for a few days at the small price of \$7,000. Farm No. 2—Contains 28 acres inside city limits. 26 acres in cultivation, the balance slashed off; a good house that cost \$1400; barn and out buildings. This farm will take \$3000. Tract No. 3—Contains 160 acres in section 20, town 1 s. r. thence west, three miles south of Cornelius.

NEW TRAIN SERVICE

On The O. R. & N.

The double train service to be established between Portland and Chicago April 22, in which the O. R. & N., the Union Pacific and the Oregon Short Line are interested, will shorten the through time 11 hours. Train No. 2, leaving Portland at 9:15 A. M., beginning on the date named, will be known as the Chicago-Portland special. Its equipment will be new, making it fully the equal of any train now in service from the Pacific Coast to the East. It will consist of a mail-car, baggage car, a library-composite car, a first class Pullman sleeper, a dining-car, two chair-cars and a tourist sleeper. There will be but one change of cars to all Eastern points. The full time will be three days through to Chicago or four days and two hours to New York.

The second train, known as No. 6, will leave Portland at 6:20 P. M., connecting at East Portland, with the Southern Pacific's overland train from San Francisco and will carry through equipment to Chicago via the Union Pacific and the Chicago & Northwestern, and also the equipment for the Washington division of the O. R. & N., in connection with the Great Northern for St. Paul. This train will reach Spokane at 10 A. M. A dining-car will be furnished for breakfast into Spokane, and for dinner on corresponding train leaving Spokane at 1:45 P. M. The new schedule as arranged, will supply the most complete service ever furnished on the O. R. & N., as provided increased service in Eastern Oregon, where it is greatly needed, and gives immediate connection with the Washington division at Pendleton. At this point there is a large interchange of traffic on account of the various mining districts of Baker City county, the Coeur d'Alene, the Republic and Kootenai mining camps. Portland is greatly benefited by this change, in as much as increased service is given from Eastern Oregon and Idaho.

No. 2 will arrive in Chicago in 9:30 A. M., No. 6 at 7:45 A. M., as at present. The Western train out of Chicago, corresponding with No. 2, is No. 1. This will arrive in Portland at 4:00 P. M. The train corresponding with the east-bound No. 6 is No. 3, out of Chicago. This will reach Portland at 7:30 A. M. Westbound train No. 1 will leave Chicago at 6:30 P. M., and Omaha at 8:20 A. M. the following day. The time will be reduced two hours and 45 minutes. No. 3 westbound train will leave Chicago at 10:30 P. M., and Omaha at 4:25 P. M. the next day.

The service on the Union Pacific on all these trains include Buffet-smoking-library cars, and dining cars. No. 6 will carry a daily ordinary sleeper to Kansas City, with change en route to ordinary cars to Chicago.

Consult the nearest ticket agent for detailed information. W. H. Hurlbert, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Or.

Political Notice.

The Woodmen Hall, at Cedar Mill, will be rented evenings for political purposes, throughout the campaign. Write Louis Kennedy, Cedar Mill, Ore., for terms.

H. Wehrung & Sons are now issuing tickets on the second wheel to be given their patrons this season. Each \$1.00 cash purchase entitles you to a ticket on a 1900 Columbia.

If you are contemplating the purchase of a bicycle, do not fail to see the 1900 Crescent and Cleveland wheel, at Hoyt's, the Jeweler. Greer has a full line of garden seeds.

County Treasurer's Notice. All county warrants endorsed prior to February 16, 1900, are now called for and payable at my office in the city of Hillsboro. Interest will cease after that date. April 27, 1900. A. B. CADY, County Treasurer.

Real Estate Transfers. H P Myers to C W Ellison 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec 32 t 2 r 1 w. \$500 C B Campbell to Gus Hartman pt 1 t 1 blk 9 Forest Grove. \$500 Mary R Mosher to Anna Stowasser tr in sec 32 t 2 r 2 w. \$250 G L Storey to Ludwig Kahler ne 1/4 sec 30 t 2 n 14 w. \$500 J H Stegmann to Eugene Schiller 43-4 s sec 23 t 1 r 1 w. \$200 Eugene Schiller to A M Schiller tr 10 Millard and VanSchoyver tr. \$500 A M Schiller to Eugene Schiller 15 a sec 26 t 1 r 1 w. \$1000 Eam Daugherty to E C Brown 26 1/2 a of A C Brown dtd. \$1050 U S Heide and hb to W J Hudson 40 s of Jacob Wooly dtd and other lands. \$1700 Geo Spring to Cornelius Vendhey 20 a sec 6 t 1 n 13 w. \$300 Pauline Holl to A Zimmerman tr 13 Five Oaks subdivision. \$100

Mrs. John J. Morgan, of Portland, was in the city this week, the guest of her sister, Miss Araminta Humphreys.

For first class reliable work, call on Dr. Brown, Dentist, Hillsboro, May 7, for one week.

Executor's and Executrix' Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned have been appointed Executor and Executrix of the last will and Testament of Henry Beavert, deceased, and have duly qualified as such by filing and having their bonds duly approved by the County Court of Washington County, Some, therefore, all persons having claims against the estate of the said Henry Beavert, deceased, are hereby required to present the same to me at the law office of S. B. Huston, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof. Dated at Hillsboro, Ore., this 19th day of March, 1900. ANNA SNYDER, Executor and Executrix of the last will and Testament of Henry Beavert, dead, S. B. Huston, Atty for Administration.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Executrix of the last will and Testament of Elizabeth Ernst, deceased, has filed her account as such, exactly in accordance with the County Court of Washington County, and that the said court has fixed Monday the 21st of April, 1900, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day at the court house in Hillsboro, as the time and place for hearing objections to said final accounting and to the final settlement with the court as executrix of said estate. Matilda Hamel, Executrix last will and Testament Elizabeth Ernst, deceased. Dated at Hillsboro, April 19, 1900.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has, by the County Court of Washington County, for the State of Oregon, been appointed Executor of the last will and Testament of John C. Dunzer, deceased, and has duly qualified as such. Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me, with vouchers properly vouched, at my place of residence, two miles east of Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from date hereof. LOUISA DUNZER, Executor of the last will and Testament of John C. Dunzer, deceased. Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 19th day of April, 1900. W. D. Hare, Attorney for the Executrix.

Tax Notice.

On and after Monday, April 16, 1900, the tax roll for 1899 will be in my office, and taxes carried thereon will be due and payable. They will be delinquent after June 1, 1900. W. B. BEADLEY, Sheriff and Tax Collector.

OREGONIAN AND ARGUS, \$2.00.

The Weekly Oregonian and the paper give you all the news of home, state, the Northwest and the nation.

The Crescent is the popular wheel at a standard price and no better wheel at any price. Call on Hoyt, the Jeweler, and see them.

Greer, the grocer, has Black Minorca eggs—50 cents per setting of fifteen.

Finest line of spring dry goods in Washington county at Schulmerich & Son's. Cheapest in price, and best in quality and selection.

You can save money by buying seeds at Greer's.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE County Court of Washington County, duly made and entered on the 5th day of April, 1900, for the sale of real estate belonging to the estate of Bernard McKenna, deceased, at private sale, I will on and after the 4th day of May, 1900, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at private sale, the following described real estate, to-wit: Being in section 9, T. 1, S. R. 1, W. of the Will. Merger, and being a part of the original Donation Land Claim of Lawrence Hall and wife, in Washington County, Oregon, and being bounded as follows: Commencing at the S. E. corner of said 11th P. B. E., running thence North 40 deg. W. 20.75 chs., thence North 20 deg. E. 18.25 chs. to the county road, thence South 56 deg. E. along said county road to the East line of said 11th P. B. E., thence South 20 deg. W. along the East line of said claim to the place of beginning, saving and excepting three and one-half acres of land in the North west corner thereof, which is held by the Trustees of the M. E. Church as site for a meeting house and a place for a grave yard. Dated at Cedar Falls, Oregon, this 5th day of April, 1900. Joseph A. Levesque, Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Bernard McKenna, Deceased. W. D. Hare and J. M. Wall, Attorneys for Administrator.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Washington County. B. R. Henry, Plaintiff vs. Jennie Henry, Defendant To Jennie Henry, 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 Court and suit on or in the last day of the time prescribed by summons, to-wit: the publication of this summons, to-wit: the publication of this summons, the first publication thereof appearing on March 15, 1900, and if you fail to do so, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for a decree in the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and for such other and further decree as may appear equitable. Publication by order of Hon. L. A. Hood, County Judge of Washington County, Oregon, which order was made and dated on March 11, 1900. JOHN M. WALL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

First to arrive with the telegraphic news—The Weekly Oregonian. Cigars at F. J. Barber's, 2nd St.

Names of the Candidates on the Union Party Ticket

- W. H. WEHRUNG.....for State Senator
ALEX SWECK.....for Joint Senator (against Cornelius)
HUBERT BERNARDS }
A. W. VINCENT }.....for Representatives
O. E. EDSON }
C. SCHUEBEL.....for District Attorney
GEORGE A. MORGAN.....for County Clerk
JOHN W. SEWELL.....for Sheriff
RALPH WANN.....for Recorder
THOMAS TALBOT.....for Treasurer
MAX BURGHOLZER.....for Assessor
E. J. WARD.....for Commissioner
J. T. DORRIEN.....for School Superintendent
THOS. S. WILKES.....for Surveyor
DR. W. P. VIA.....for Coroner

CITIZENS are again admonished that they should register, and with little delay. The books will be closed May 15, and if you are not registered it will put you to a great deal of trouble to get your vote in the ballot box. Do not put it off.

It is said that the Simonite "boss," Cornelius, is telling his political friends that he will soon "whip the kickers into line." He is said to hold that with the judicious "use" of a little money he can bludgeon them into line for him. There was a time when he did not, however, and he will find it very hard to make decent republicans swallow his nauseous dose—the "one man" job.

The edifying spectacle of a Simonite politician, quarreling with republicans who are opposed to machine made tickets and corrupt politics, is an occurrence seen every little while in Hillsboro town. The ARGUS is only waiting for the Simonite papers to call this one "of Long's lies" and then it will name the hon. gent! the mighty!

The ARGUS is sorry to see a man like

Afternoon Functions call for the aristocratic "Prince Albert." We are inordinately proud of these goods. They possess every element to make us so. See that label? THE LABEL OF THE FAMOUS GUARANTEED CLOTHING HILLSBORO, O. T. H. WEHRUNG and SONS.

The Hillsboro Pharmacy Main St. Dr. F. A. Bailey Proprietor. The Leading Drug House Where Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Sponges, Brushes and all Druggist's Sundries may be procured at prices that simply distance competition.

REMEMBER That purity and freshness of drugs and chemicals is what brings the most satisfactory results; and you will always find them at THE DELTA DRUG STORE. We also carry the best assorted stock of Toilet articles and drug sundries in the county.

FREE MAIL Street is the location. Fact that we buy for cash enables us to deal with first class houses and get the best. Family recipes receive a careful attention as physicians' prescriptions.

FARMS FOR SALE Hillsboro House, J. Northrop, Proprietor. Newly Furnished and Renovated. A first-class table and all accommodations for the convenience of guests.

OR & N Time Schedule From Portland. Fast mail leaves at 8 p. m. for Salt Lake, Denver, Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East, arrives 6:45 p. m. Spokane Flyer leaves 3:45 p. m. for Walla Walla, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee, Chicago and East, arrives 8:00 a. m. Ocean Steamships leave at 4 p. m. for San Francisco, sailing every five days. Columbia River leaves 8 p. m. except Sunday, Saturday 10 p. m. for Astoria and way landings, arrive 4 p. m. except Sunday. Willamette river leaves 6 a. m. except Sunday for Oregon City, Newberg, Salem and way landings, arrive 4:30 p. m. except Sunday. Willamette and Yamhill river leave 7 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Oregon City, Dayton and way landings, arrive 3:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Willamette river leave 6 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Corvallis and way landings, arrive 1:30 p. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Snake river leave Riparian daily at 1:30 a. m. for Lewiston returning Lewiston daily at 8:30 a. m.

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