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Albany, Sep. 14, 1867.—v2n231y

Postal Matters.

George W. Hunt has been appointed Postmaster at Papetteville, Ada County, Idaho.

The name and site of the postoffice at Ruby City, Owyhee County, Idaho, has been changed to Silver City, a half mile distant.

A postoffice has been established at Nestcott, Tillamook County, Oregon; Leonard Gillam, Postmaster.

A postoffice has been established at Mitchell's Station, Umatilla County, Oregon; William H. Abell, Postmaster.

Charles W. Cogle has been appointed Postmaster at Mountain House, Yamhill County, Oregon.

The postoffice at Mullan's Bridge, Walla Walla County, has been discontinued.

A postoffice has been established at Meadowville, Umatilla County, Oregon; Hawkin Shelton, Postmaster.

Chas. H. Hubbs has been appointed Postmaster at Swinomis, Island County, W. T.

Postoffice established at Spokane Bridge, Nez Perce County, W. T.; Timothy Lee, Postmaster.

Postoffice established at Pen d'Orcille, W. T.; W. H. Hope, Postmaster.

Postoffice established at John Rannan's, Walla Walla County, W. T.; Oliver P. Platter, Postmaster.

Postoffice established at Delta Mills, Walla Walla County, W. T.; W. W. Smith, Postmaster.

Postoffice established at Oswego, Clackamas County, Oregon; James A. Mcdonald, Postmaster.

Postoffice established at Blakely, King County, W. T.; Wm. Reuter, Postmaster.

Aaron Jacobs has been appointed Postmaster at Willow Springs, Jackson County, Oregon.

Wm. A. Crawford has been appointed Postmaster at Forest Cove, Union County, Oregon.

Hadly Hobson has been appointed Postmaster at Sublimity, Marion County, Oregon.

M. T. Lewark has been appointed Postmaster at Montezuma, Chehalis County, Washington Territory.

Harvey B. Burnap has been appointed Postmaster at Port Orford, Curry County, Oregon.

John Campbell has been appointed Postmaster at Ramichie, Mason County, Washington Territory.

A postoffice has been established at Scott, Wasco County, Oregon; D. G. Leonard Postmaster.

Truman Bonny has been appointed Postmaster at Wacoundo, Marion County, Oregon.

Alfred H. Emanuel has been appointed Postmaster at Wallula, Walla Walla County, Washington Territory.

A postoffice has been established at Atlanta City, Alturas County, Idaho; John E. Hicks, Postmaster.

A postoffice has been established at Farrow Bend, Baker County, Oregon; W. H. Packwood Postmaster.

Marion B. Hendricks has been appointed Postmaster at Wheatland, Yamhill County, Oregon.

Edwin Merwin has been appointed Postmaster at Independence, Polk County, Oregon.

Lewis McMillen has been appointed Postmaster at White River, King County, Washington Territory.

John P. Gibson, has been appointed Postmaster at Fort Hall, Osnida County, Idaho.

J. H. Maxwell, has been appointed Postmaster at Oro, Owyhee County, Idaho.

Arthur J. Chapman, has been appointed Postmaster at White Bend, Idaho County, Idaho.

Robert Anderson has been appointed Postmaster at Eagle Rock, Osnida County, Idaho.

Francis Menes has been appointed Postmaster at St. Louis, Marion County, Oregon.

EXTEMPORANEOUS MARRIAGE.—A somewhat singular matrimonial alliance occurred at Sigle, Missouri, the other day.

A gentleman of that place was engaged to a young lady, the wedding day was fixed, the guests invited. A few days before the nuptials were to have been solemnized the father and brother of the bridegroom, by threats of disinheritance, persuaded him to discontinue the expected bride and make himself invisible in the vicinity. The evening came, and at the appointed time the wedding guests collected at the house of the bride's mother, but the faithless swain did not put in an appearance. An hour passed and the bride and her friends were overwhelmed with embarrassment and mortification.

When all hope of a wedding had vanished, a young gentleman of the party being captivated with the beauty of the bride, and desiring that the company should not be disappointed, proposed, was accepted, and the couple were accordingly married. The guests were astonished and delighted, and the bride and groom looked happy.

UNCERTAIN TENURE.—A gentleman who lives down where Marion Square used to be, had the good fortune, a few days since, to secure for his family the services of an excellent girl—none of your "transitory spheres" (women are all spherical now-a-days) but a sensible girl, who wanted a permanent home, and who, who are happy to say, has succeeded in getting one—but not in the vicinity of Marion Square, as it proved. A few hours after she found herself at home there, a nice man from Albany called to see her, and she postponed the family washing then in hand, to take a walk with him. That must have been an agreeable walk, for it is going to last while they both do live.

They were married that evening, much to the delight of our friends, who had finally found a girl who "wanted a permanent situation." It is some satisfaction to know that she has secured it. Success to them.—[Salem Record.

The Ship of Death.

Since the time when Ancient Mariners told the terrible tale of the "curse-laden ship" with her crew of ghastly corpses, no more thrilling story of this kind has been related than that of the whale ship Diana, that recently drifted into one of the Shetland Islands. A year ago she left the Shetlands on a whaling voyage to the Arctic regions, having on board fifty men. From that time nothing more was heard of her. The friends of those on board became alarmed. Money was raised and premiums offered to the first vessel that would bring tidings of the missing ship, but of no avail. Hope was almost abandoned. On the 2d of April the people near Rona's Yoe, in one of the Shetland Isles, were startled at seeing a ghastly wreck of a ship sailing into the harbor. Battered and ice-crashed, sails and cordage cut away, boats and spars cut up for fuel in the Arctic winter, her decks covered with dead and dying, the long lost Diana sailed in like a ship from the Deadman's Land. Fifty men sailed out of Lerwick in her on a bright May morning last year. All of the fifty came back in her on the 2d of April, this year; the same, yet how different.

Ten men, of whom the Captain was one, lay stiffed corpses on the deck; thirty-five lay helplessly sick, and some dying; two retained sufficient strength to creep aloft; and the other three crawled feebly about the deck. The ship was boarded by the islanders, and as they climbed over the bulwarks the man at the wheel fell fainting from excitement; one of the sick died as he lay, his death being announced by the loud wailing of his berth feebly moaning. "Take away this dead man!" On the bridge of the vessel lay the body of the Captain as it had lain for four months, with nine of his dead shipmates by his side, all recently laid out by those who soon expected to share their fate. The survivors could not bear to sink the bodies of their comrades into the sea, but kept them so that when the last man died the fated ship that had been their common home should be their common tomb. The surgeon of the ship worked faithfully to the last, but cold, hunger, scurvy and dysentery were too much for him. The brave old Captain was the first victim, and died blessing his men. Then the others fell, one by one, until the ship was tenanted only by the dead and dying. One night more at sea would have left the Diana a floating coffin. Not one of the fifty would have lived to tell the ghastly tale.—[West and South.

Female Influence in Political Affairs.

Mrs. Ames, in her last Washington letter to the Independent, describes some of the female lobbyists and their ways.

The following sketch is thrillingly interesting:

"Leaving back in a deep chair, no one near her, you see a fat woman with a beautiful and beautiful face, but with all the mannerisms of an angular and the few coarse women around her. The calmness of assured position, the serene satisfaction of conscious beauty, envelop her and float from her like an atmosphere. We feel it even here. Pale plumes drop above her lovely forehead, velvet draperies fall above her graceful face. We catch a glimpse of alluring loveliness, the gleam of jewels glittering on dimpled, ungloved hands. Look long into this face; its splendor of tint and perfection of outline can bear the closest scrutiny. Look long, and then say if a soul so bright as well as serene looks out from under those penciled arches, through the dilating irises of those beguiling eyes. Look! and the unveiled case which meets yours can tell, that adulation is the life of its life and seduction the secret of its spell. This beauty would not blush before the profane sight; it is the beauty of one who tunes her tongue to honeyed accents and lifts up her eyes to lead men astray. She comes and goes in a showy carriage. She glides through corridors, halls and galleries and the ante-rooms of the Capitol—everywhere conspicuous in her beauty. All who behold her inquire: "Who is that beautiful woman?" No body seems quite sure. Doubt and mystery envelop her like a cloud. "She is a rich and beautiful widow." "She is unmarried." "She is visiting the city with her husband." Every gazer has a different answer.

"There are a few deep in the secrets of diplomacy, a legislative reality, of Government prostitution who can tell you that she is one of the most subtle and dangerous of lobbyists. She is but one of a class always beautiful and always successful. She plays for large stakes; but she always wins. The man who says to her, 'My appointment, make sure my promotion, and I will pay you so many thousands,' usually gets his appointment and she her thousands. Does she wait like a suppliant? Not at all. She sits like an empress waiting to give audience. Will she receive her subjects in promiscuous assembly? No. If you wait long enough, you see her glide over those tessellated floors; but not alone. Far from the ears of the crowd, in some ante-room conspicuous enough for the Sybarites, this woman, as beautiful as nature and art can make her, will dazzle the sight of a half demented and wholly bewildered magnate and then tell him what she wants. With alluring eyes and beguiling voice, she will besiege his will through the outworks of his senses, and so charm him on to do her pleasure." He promises her his influence before he promises her his power, her favorites shall have the best he demands. Thus some of the highest prizes in this government are won. Unscrupulous men may pay wily women to touch the subtilist and surest springs of influence, and thus open a secret way to their public success.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(COMPILED FROM THE OREGON HERALD)

ALBANY, June 28.—At the Constitutional Convention, Greeley, from the Committee on suffrage, reported an amendment to establish impartial suffrage.

Cassidy moved that the bill be submitted to the people to be voted upon separately.

OMAHA, June 28.—Forty additional miles of the Union Pacific Railroad have just been finished, making 385 in all.

No further troubles from the Indians are anticipated.

CHICAGO, June 28.—Dispatches from the line of the Kansas Pacific Railroad say that a camp, near Fort Harker, was attacked by Indians yesterday. Two whites and several Indians were killed. All the railroad men were driven off.

The work between Buffalo and Fossett Creek has been abandoned. Troops have been sent to protect the Railroad.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Senator Juarez left for New Orleans to-day en route for Mexico.

Treasurer Skinner has written a letter, saying that after the failure of the National Bank the Treasury has nothing more to do with the bonds. The Government undertakes to redeem them the same as the redemption of any other public bonds of the United States.

The Greek delegation discredited the report of the Turkish successes in Candia.

A special dispatch to the Commercial says that a proposition will be introduced early in the extra session to repeal the Military Bill, and throw the whole question of Reconstruction over to the long session. Influential members favor this policy.

The Judiciary Committee have completed their report, except a recommendation as to what action should be taken on the report, which is very voluminous.

NEW ORLEANS, June 28.—A rumor is current here that Sheridan has been relieved by Gen. Rosecrans.

CHARLESTON, June 28.—The Charleston Savings Bank has been seized by the military for the failure to pay the principal and interest to certain soldiers from East Moultrie who were depositors before the war commenced. The bank was insolvent and in the process of liquidation. The Directors refused to consider those soldiers as preferred creditors.

ALBANY, June 28.—The Workingman's Convention, before it adjourned, issued an address, calling upon all labor associations in the State to be represented in the National Labor Convention at Chicago in August.

SAVANNAH, June 28.—H. S. Fitch, U. S. District Attorney, has given an opinion that the Presidential pardon blots out all disfranchisement, and reinstates the individual in all his rights, including that of suffrage, and no subsequent legislation can deprive him of these rights.

CHICAGO, June 28.—The Times' Omaha special says the Denver papers of the 24th say that several coaches have been attacked by Indians, and three persons killed.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Advices from Gen. Schofield's district say that the registration is progressing most satisfactorily in the eastern counties. It is very full, every white man not disfranchised being registered. In many districts the white registry exceeds that of the colored.

CHICAGO, June 28.—The second called session of the Illinois Legislature has adjourned. A bill was passed assuming the control, by the State, of the Penitentiary, instead of the former lease system.

NEW YORK, June 29.—A Tribune's New Orleans special says the President's private Secretary, and others equally well informed, deny that any order will be issued to-morrow superseding Sheridan by Rosecrans. The organ of the President publishes a lengthy laudatory eulogy of Rosecrans. Registration closes in New Orleans to-morrow, in accordance with Sheridan's order.

A bearer of dispatches to Minister Ottenberg is here awaiting transportation.

NEW YORK, June 28.—The Herald's Rome special dispatch says Archibishop Purcell, of Cincinnati, is to be assigned the post of honor on the right hand of the Pope, in the grand St. Peter's ceremony on Saturday. Great attention is being shown to American bishops and clergy.

The Tribune's Washington special says information received by the Agricultural Department from all the States, show a total average of wheat crop from ten to fifteen per cent greater than that of last year.

The Times' special dispatch says Sheridan telegraphed to Grant the returns of 43 out of 48 parishes in Louisiana, showing 87,941 registered voters.

The World's special says Gen. Ord modified the regulations respecting registration, in accordance with the recent opinion of the Attorney General.

The Judiciary Committee, having decided to commence taking evidence again, briefly examined Ann Surratt. Horace Greeley is summoned to appear before the Committee next Monday.

NEW ORLEANS, June 24.—The Mexican press is unanimous in favor of executing Maximilian. The 14th of May is to be hereafter observed as a grand national holiday. Escobedo threatened to depose Juarez should he not order the execution of Maximilian.

The Herald's New Orleans special