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The Democrat.

The following notice is posted conspicuously in an office; "Shut this door, and as soon as you have done talking on business, serve your mouth in the same way."

A paper in Maine prints the news that "Mr and Mrs Harrington were the recipients of a daughter Thursday last." Undoubtedly it did not arrive the usual way or this paper would certainly have said so.

The first question that congress will take up when it assembles the 6th of December, will be "a deficiency in the revenues." The deficiency, in spite of the Dingley law, since the 1st of August is $32,546,078. The first 15 days in November it reached nearly $6,000,000.

In Boston they don't say "There'll be a hot time in the old town tonight," but the esthetic blonde murmurs, "There will be an interval of time remarkable for abnormal temperature within the corporated limits of the ancient municipality as the night draws her sable curtains around."

Now it is declared that currency will be the leading topic in President McKinley's coming message. This subject has come to be somewhat like hot coals and perhaps the President will find it hot. Any way it is to be the great question before the next session of congress and it is entirely fit that the President should express himself.

The Baker City Democrat boasts that it showed the Portland merchants "the best town in Oregon, and one that in three years will only be exceeded in population by Portland." This claim would be disputed by the papers of Salem, Astoria, Albany, Pendleton and perhaps other Oregon towns; but there need be only friendly emulation, not bitter rivalry.—Walla Walla Statesman.

It is to the interest of every town and county in Oregon that Portland shall be a prosperous commercial city, taking the lead in the Northwest. The DEMOCRAT hopes to see her at the head in the Alaska trade, as well as in the Northwest generally. There should be a united effort to keep that city ahead as a commercial center, in preference to any of the big cities of Washington. Portland's prosperity should mean the prosperity of other smaller cities of the state. Some times it has looked as if Portland was working selfishly against its country neighbors. But this cannot be true, for Portland's life depends on the surrounding country. The outside press of the state should hesitate before it unnecessarilly attacks the metropolis of the state.

From the New York un
Most people fancied that the material for centenaries waspretty nearly exhausted. They thought that the end of it was in sight with the anniversary of the battle of Trafalgar. But no; the Germans have now broken the record. They have just celebrated the centenary of the far famed Baron Munchausen. Unenlightened mortals hereabouts used to think that Munchanson was a legendfiary hero. There are few people who have not read the story of his exploits, and many have seen them and enjoyed the spectacle hugely in the old English pantomime. But the Baron was by no means an imaginary character. He flourished in flesh and blood, and the pantomime did not present anything more than a mere sketch of his adventures. He belonged, we are told by the German newspapers, to one of the most ancient families of Germany, and his decendants gave to Hanover and Brunswick many distinguished statesmen.

The railroad station of Roseil, Kansas, on the Jetior branch of the Santa Fe has been swallowed up by the earth, and today there is a dark stagnant pool of water where 12 hours ago stood the depot, grain elevator and several small buildings. The swallowing process occurred during the night.

The cause of the drift of the water is unknown. Sticks thrown into the pool are sucked out of sight, as if by a monster undertow, but has a smooth surface. Hundreds of people have visited the scene and found that the bottom has dropped completely out of the land upon which the hamlet was situated, leaving in its stead a hole about one and one half acres in extent. No lives were lost as no one remains at the station after the west bound train passes.

A similar freak occurred in Mead county about 10 years ago. The phenomena has given rise to the theory that a great river of sea underflows all Western Kansas.

Another Boom Proclamation.

Following is the substance of the thanks-giving proclamation of Governor John C Brady of Alaska, almost equal to that of Governor Rodgers, of Washington, as a boom affair:

The people of Alaska have very much for which to be thankful to Almighty God in the year which has just passed. On account of the wonderful discoveries of gold upon the Klondike we have been prominently brought before the public, and many who have decried Alaska as good for nothing, are now admitting that it has wonderful possibilities. For this turn in the tide of opinion let us give thanks. While the cattle upon the hill are the Almighty's, the gold, copper and coal in the mountains, and the fish in the sea are his also. We here in Alaska can raise our voices in praise and thanks-giving for the abundance we have enjoyed the past year. We can rejoice also that our friends and relatives scattered through the states of the Union and the provinces of the Dominion of Canada, have been blessed with abundant harvests and that their products find good markets.

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SATURDAY NIGHT THOUGHTS

This closes a week of good winter weather. The rain ceased its fierce fall, and gave place to chill. The river, which rose as high as fourteen feet, fell to seven feet above low water. A lack of snow in the mountains prevented several feet on top of the fourteen.

A marked rise in the price of wheat has offered much encouragement to wheat holders as well as speculators. It is an interesting fact that holders are learning some lessons and there's a spirit not to trust too much to that old practice of waiting for a dollar a bushel. Good enough is pretty good some times. A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush, and is a very nice idea to keep in ones head on the wheat question.

This has been Thanksgiving week. It is a good thing to be thankful, in fact the thankless person is not a good neighbor. One had better live next door to a miser than to a person who has no sentiment of gratefulness for a favor. And so it is with many blessings of life, which increase with good behavior. This spirit of thankfulness should be a broad and generous one, not a selfish one. While it is a fact that the world is keeping a pretty close track of No 1 it is true that the most satisfactory life is the one spent for others, as ungrateful as they frequently are. A season of thanksgiving ought to make better men and women of those engaging heartily in it.

During the week Albany has had a genuine game of foot ball. It ended without any disaster. Though a vigorous game and a hard fought affair no one was hurt materially and it terminated without anything in particular to gossip about it except the game as a whole.

It is an interesting fact that a great many people in different parts of the country are making a greater fight against the game because ten or fifteen, perhaps a less number, are killed in the game, played in every town of any size, in the United States, in a year,—a greater opposition by far to it than to the liquor traffic, which kills over sixty thousand a year, besides the other trouble it causes. Foot ball, while it has objectional features, has a good many good ones, and it is not a game for causing convulsions. It has features which are bound to make it a permanent sport in colleges. A sport though which on account of its rough characteristics wil always create opposition. The most humorous opposition comes from the friends of prize fighting, who use it as a lever to boost their slugging and make it appear that there is a more brutal contest. The DEMOCRAT hopes to see the rough features smoothed off so that it will develop into a more open game.

Washington Letter.

From our regular Correspondent

Washington, Nov. 22, 1897.

Czar Reed is in the field for the republican nomination for president in 1900, and his candidacy may play an important part in the legislature of the House at this session of Congress. A Reed machine has already been organized, and, in addition to all the original Reed men, it will attract, it is expected, all of the large number of republicans who worked for Mr. McKinley's nomination last year and have become disgruntled because of their failure to get what they wanted for themselves or their friends. Senator Foraker is understood to be looking after the Ohio end of the Reed machine, and the fight on the election of Boss Hanna to the Senate is being used as a means of weakening Mr. McKinley in his own state, with a view to preventing his being able to control the Ohio delegation to the next Republican National Convention. The rivalry between the Reed and McKinley factions, now secret, is likely to be open and spirited in the near future.

The democrats do not even have to go to the trouble of fighting Secretary Gage's gold bond scheme; it is having the little life it had thumped out of it by republicans. About one half of the republican Senators and Representatives who have been in Washington since the gold bond scheme was made public, have taken occasion to publicly condemn it. As Mr. McKinley has always been known to be a follower, not a leader, of the opinion of his party, it will be interesting to see what effect this republican condemnation of the issuing of gold bonds will have upon his treatment of the subject in his annual message to Congress.

Some amusement has been created in Washington by a long printed statement given out by the self-constituted monetary conference, as to its intentions concerning the financial scheme it is engaged in hatching out. These gentlemen say their report will be withheld from the public until the annual report of the President has been sent to Congress. The country would survive if it were permanently withheld. The statement acknowleges that they "recognize the fact that they have no holiday task before them in securing the adoption of the report by Congress," which is an entirely unnecessary acknowledgement; everybody knew it all the time. But here is about the most amusing sentence in the statement: "Some time will be allowed to pass after the publication of the report before any attempt is made to force it to a vote in either House of Congress ("force" is good). This time will be employed in a campaign of education, by means of thorough discussion in the press and in the popular magazines of the merits of the proposed financial reforms." The most of the merit side of the discussion will be paid matter, but the untrammeled press will make no charge for showing up its demerits. In view of the popular idea of "educated public opinion," the plan of campaign is exposed when the statement says that the members of the conference are confident that the great body of educated public opinion in the country will come to their support. So much of it as gets its educational matter from Wall street and London, probably will.

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After the Alaska Trade

PORTLAND, Nov. 26.—Arrangements have at last been completed for the promised 5-day service between Portland and Southeastern Alaska, as forecast in these columns several weeks ago, and, in accordance with dispatches received at the office of the O R & N Co., yesterday, the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, is now ready to place in service three United States inspected iron steamships between Portland and Alaska points, as rush of business from this port shall commence.

Our Navy

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—The report of the secretary of the navy was made public today. It shows that the present effective fighting force of the navy consists of four battle-ships of the first class, 2 armored cruisers, 16 cruisers 15 gunboats 16 double turretted moniters, 1 ram, 1 dynamite gunboat, 1 dispatch-boat, 1 transport steamer and 5 torpedo boats. There are under construction 5 battle-ships of the first class, 16 torpedo boats and 1 submarine boat. There are 64 other naval vessels.

Fatal Accident

BAKER CITY, Nov. 26.—A fatal accident occurred last evening at the Elkhorn Bonanza mine.

In some unaccountable manner James Cagel ignited some giant powder, and the whole magazine exploded with a force which almost jarred the mountain.

The unfortunate miner was killed as if struck by lightning.

Ought to Hang

SILVERTON, Nov. 26.—A L Coolidge, of this place, has received a telegram stating that all the Van Pelts implicated in the killing of "Curley" Coolidge, seven in number, have been captured, and at the preliminary examination at Chetco, waived examination and were taken to the county jail at Gold Beach to await the action of the grand jury on charge murder.

Another Row

VIENNA, Nov. 26.—The disorder in the lower house of the reich-rath was so accentuated today that a strong detachment of police ban to be called to preserve peace, the social democrats and deputies indulged in a free fight, and Berner was ejected from the house. The disturbers were eventually removed from the platform forcibly and singly by the police.

Autonomy Granted

MADRID Nov 27.—The official gazette published Saturday the royal decree granting autonomy to Cuba and Porto Rico, thus removing the anxiety that had begun to be expressed on all sides as the result of the government's reticence and unexplanied delay.

Thanksgiving in London

LONDON Nov 25.—Over 300 American men and women and a few English persons, celebrated Thanksgiving Day by a dinner at the Hotel Cecil, today. The party included John Hay, United States ambassador, and his wife and daughter; Henry White, secretary of the United States embassy; J R Carter, second secretary of the embassy; Archdeacon Sinclair, Louis Chanler, and Wm. Finch, United States minister at Uruguay.

A Rough Experience

HILLSBORO, Nov. 26.—Word was received here late last night that John Berger and William Lousignont, jr., reported as having perished in the Nehalem mountains, had reached Vernonia, after being lost nine days, they were without food three days but luckily found a deserted cabin in which were some provisions, otherwise perhaps they would have perished.

Bullets in the Palace

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—On Sunday morning, for the first time in the history of the Cuban war, rebel bullets sought the palace in Havana, says a dispatch to the Herald from Havana. The shots came from Casa Blanca, 6000 yards across the entrance to the harbor, and while no one was hurt, the palace, with its electric lights, was a shining mark, and must have been hit.

A Washington Fire

EAST CLALLAM, Wash., Nov. 26.—Fair Service & Co store and part of the stock, the Quilayute saloon, Schustel's tailor shop, King's shoe store, the Fair-service stables and warehouse were wiped out by fire last night. The total loss will reach about $8000. The insurance is about $2000.

It Was Disgraceful.

VIENNA, Nov. 26.—The unparalleled violence in the lower house of the reichsrath yesterday is about the only subject of conversation throughout Austria today. The German progressist party has published a note expressing regret at the outbreak and disclaiming any responsibility for it.

ONE OR MORE SURGEONS of the National Surgical Institute, 319 Bush St. San Francisco, may be consulted free of charge in reference to any deformitory, club feet, hip disease, etc., paralysis, piles, fistula, chronic diseases and the permanent cure of Rupture, at the Revere House, Albany, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 8 and 9, and at the Willamette Hotel, Salem, Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 6 and 7. For the cure of these specialties this Institute stands unparalleled. The highest references given.

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