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IS IN FAVOR OF TAYLOR FOUGHT BODY-GUARD. A BRILLIANT SORTIE

Decision of a Majority of the Kentucky Election Board.
 The Findings Are Also in Favor of the Rest of the Republican State Ticket.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 8.—The state board of elections tonight gave out its official findings that W. S. Taylor, for governor, and the rest of the rest of the republican ticket, had been elected on the face of the returns. Commissioners Ellis and Pryor signed the majority report, in which they held that, as a board of canvassers, they have no right to go behind the returns of the county boards, that their duties are purely ministerial as canvassers, and that the face of the returns, as received by them from the counties, shows the election of the republican state ticket. Accordingly, the report says, certificates of election were ordered issued to each candidate thereon.

Commissioners Ellis and Pryor were busy all day writing their opinion, and it was dark before Mr. Ellis, who did most of the writing, had finished his task. The politicians of both parties departed from Frankfort in great numbers during the day, and the town tonight is practically deserted.

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION ISSUED.
 FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 9.—At 9:45 this morning the election certificate of William S. Taylor as signed by the election commissioners, and he was declared governor-elect of Kentucky.

The official figures of the vote, filed with the secretary of state, are: Taylor, 133,714; Goebel, 191,331; Taylor's plurality, 238.

The certificates as such as signed, were filed with the secretary of state, and commissions will be issued to the elected men at once by Governor Bradley.

Resolutions of Condolence.
 OAKLAND, Ore., Dec. 10, 1899.
 To the Master Workmen officers and Brothers of Home Lodge No. 24, A. O. U. W.

We, your committee, appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Brother Geo. T. Russell, beg to report:
 That a charter member of this lodge, and past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Oregon, and one of the most efficient members of our order, has passed away to the great beyond.

Geo. T. Russell a man of untiring energy and ability, whose life was devoted to every good work for the advancement of his adopted town and the welfare of the community.

Resolved, That on the death of Brother Russell, this lodge has lost a cherished and honored member, his family a kind and loving husband and father, and the community in which he lived a true and upright citizen.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of our deceased Brother, that a copy be given the PLAIND DEALER and Helped for publication and that they be copied in the records of Home Lodge, No. 24, A. O. U. W.

School Report.
 Following is the report the Clover creek school for the term ending Dec. 3, 1899:

Number of days taught 58.
 Number days attendance 497.
 Number enrolled 13.
 Number times tardy 23.
 Average daily attendance 9.
 No. days absent, 68.
 Those averaging 90 per cent and over in the examination, are Mamie Dixon, Arthur Morgan, Sadie Dixon, Myrtle Dixon, Ethel Dixon and Nettie Morgan.

Pleasant Party.
 Clare Godfrey gave a party Thursday evening to about fifty of his young friends. The evening was enjoyably spent with music, games, etc. Lunch was served at 10:30 p. m. The guests left at about eleven o'clock, having spent a very pleasant evening.

March's Battalion Encountered Aguineldo's Troops.
 The Insurgent's Loss Was 70 Men—American Forces Occupy Bangued Grant at Orani.

MANILA, Dec. 9, 6:15 p. m.—General Gregorio del Pilar, commanding Aguineldo's body-guard, was killed by Major Peyton March's battalion of the Thirtieth Infantry in a fight 18 miles north-west of Cervantes, December 3. According to reports which General Young obtained from escaped Spanish prisoners at Nigan, several days ago, Major March left the coast, where he was pursuing Aguineldo, and encountered General del Pilar on a fortified trail. They fought for four hours, during which time 70 Filipinos were killed and wounded. The American loss was one killed and six wounded. The Spaniards report that Major March is still pursuing the insurgents.

Del Pilar was one of the leaders of the present and of another Spanish revolution. He was a mere youth, and was reported to have graduated at a European university. Professor Schurman met him as a member of the first peace commission, and rated him as remarkably clever.

The Americans have occupied Bangued, province of Abra.
 General Grant's expedition has visited Orani and several western towns, meeting small bands. He killed several of the rebels and captured a quantity of munitions of war.

Missing Locations.
 Douglas County.
 P. Colwell, placer claim, on Cow creek; located August 6, recorded November 24.

James H. Doty et al., quartz, on Cow creek, first extension north of the Willough mining claim; located Nov. 11, recorded Nov. 28.

Henry D. Laughlin by H. Leigh agent, amended location of the Cracker Jack quartz mine, in Bohemia district, located Nov. 4, recorded Nov. 29.

W. B. Gamble et al., Detroit, quartz, situated on the easterly end of Jackson mountain south of Ophir and Rattler claims, Bohemia district; located Nov. 2, recorded Dec. 2.

Henry D. Laughlin, Corbett, quartz, Bohemia district; located Nov. 11, recorded Dec. 2.

Henry D. Laughlin, by Herbert Leigh agent, amended notice of Fittsimmons, quartz, run south 1380 feet east to west edge of discovery cut; located Nov. 11, recorded Dec. 2.

D. J. Goer, Golden Link, quartz, east extension of the Golden Wender, Bohemia district; located Nov. 5, recorded Dec. 4.

O. H. Taplin, Nucleus, quartz, laps the Golden Link 50 feet and parallels the Golden Wender, Bohemia; located Nov. 5, recorded Dec. 4.

W. L. Chapman, Alice May, quartz, laps onto Nucleus and parallels the Contract, Bohemia; located Nov. 5, recorded Dec. 4.—Oregon Mining Journal.

A Marvelous Production.
 Theatre goes have a grand operatic treat in store for them when the greatest of all comic opera successes "Wang" will be presented for the first time in this city at the Opera House Tuesday, Dec. 12th. Manager Strong has for years tried to secure this big attraction and has at last succeeded in doing so. There is no opera now before the public that contains more pretty music, solos, duets and trios than does "Wang." They have become so well known that they have been played by all military bands throughout the country and have gone so far as to be whistled by almost everyone on the streets.

Ladysmith British Capture Strong Boer Position.
 The Movement Was Made at Night, and Was a Surprise to the Boers.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The war office tonight issued the following dispatch from General Buller, dated at Frere camp, December 9, afternoon:
 "The following was received from General White today: 'Last night I sent General Hunter, with 500 Natal volunteers, under Royston, and 100 of the imperial light horse, under Edwards, to surprise a gong on a hill. The enterprise was admirably carried out and entirely successful, the hill being captured and a six-inch gun and a howitzer being destroyed with gunpowder. A maxim was captured and brought to Ladysmith. Our loss was one killed and Major Henderson, of the first battalion of the Argyll highlanders, wounded. At the same time that Colonel Knox seized the hill, one squadron of the Nineteenth Hussars rode around Popworth hill, burning kraals and cutting the telegraph lines. They had no casualties.'

BOER HEAD LAAGER, Ladysmith, Dec. 8.—British troops made a sortie between 1 and 2 o'clock in the morning. They crawled up the ravine and stormed and carried Lombardkop, which was held by the Boers, and on which were placed a Creosot gun and a howitzer. These guns were destroyed with dynamite. The British captured a Maxim gun and then retired.

Luceer, insurgents and guards made a sortie west of Ladysmith at daylight, under cover of heavy artillery fire, which the Boers returned briskly. The British afterwards returned to Ladysmith. The Boer losses are reported to have been slight.

A strong burgher column has crossed the Tugela river at Calseno, with the object of attacking the British Estcourt column.

Azalea Items.
 Boys and girls, I wish you a happy Christmas.
 A. G. Adams was seen on our streets last Sunday.
 Henry Huntley made a visit to Myrtle Creek last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett made a visit to Myrtle Creek last Sunday.
 E. B. Anderson and N. A. Richards visited Doe Flat last Sunday.
 The D. C. Reed Wood & Lumber Co. is doing a rushing business at present.

Mr. John Jenkins of this place, made a business trip to Roseburg last Monday. Subscribe for the PLAIND DEALER if you want fresh news. Subscriptions taken by "The Owl" at this place.

There will be a grand ball at John Smith's on Christmas night. We wish them a happy Christmas and a good time.

Drain News.
 (Watchman.)
 Frank Wells, of Elkton, was in town Wednesday.
 W. A. Perkins went to Saginaw on today's express, on business bent.

W. F. Young, an employee of the S. P. Co., at Roseburg, is visiting his wife in this city.
 Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Gordon will begin a protracted meeting in Scotts Valley Saturday.

Dr. Smith, of Marshfield, came up from Roseburg Tuesday and left on Wednesday's stage for his home.
 A. E. Gardner, pastor of the Christian church at this place, went to Eugene Tuesday for a few days' visit.

Frank Keut and family returned Wednesday from Isabel, Lane county, where they spent the past summer and fall.
 Miss Audrey Bridges returned to her home in Roseburg after a few days pleasantly spent with relatives at this place.

J. M. Isham is in the city on his way to Ashland, where he goes to assume his duties as one of the S. P. operators at that place.
 Mr. T. Winniford, of Wilbur, arrived here Saturday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. James Ensley. She returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Hambrick, of Cottage Grove, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. O. Counts, for the past few days, returned to her home Tuesday.
 Beckley Bros., of Elkton, shipped five carloads of hogs to San Francisco market the latter part of the week. Pitzer Beckley went with them to the city.

December Weather.
 The following data, covering a period of 22 years, have been compiled from Weather Bureau at Roseburg, Oregon, for the month of December for 22 years.

TEMPERATURE.
 Mean of normal temperature, 42 degrees; the warmest month was that of 1886, with an average of 47; the coldest month was that of 1894, with an average of 37; the highest temperature was 69 on 12, 1883; the lowest temperature was 7 on 21, 1879; average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, Oct. 11; average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, May 3.

Precipitation (rain and melted snow).
 Average for the month, 6.36 inches; average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 18; the greatest monthly precipitation was 12.02 inches in 1891; the least monthly precipitation was 2.73 inches in 1878; the greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 2.36 inches on 4th, 1879; the greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 7.5 inches on 20th, 1898.

CLOUDS AND WEATHER.
 Average number of clear days, 3; partly cloudy days, 10; cloudy days, 18.

WIND.
 The prevailing winds have been from the south; the highest velocity of the wind was 48 miles from the south and southwest on 9th, 1898.

THIS GIBSON, Weather Bureau.
 Elkton.

Shiriff Gage returned from Salem last week.
 Joseph Roberts expects to start for Alaska soon.
 J. A. Sawyers brings an extra pair from Scottsburg, Friday.
 Mr. Reed, of Gardiner, drove a large band of hogs to Drain, last week.
 The Misses Schads went to Tinopol settlement to attend a dance, last week.
 Miss May Roberts is visiting her aunt, the Misses Well, at present writing.

M. M. Bacon, who has been working in the mill at Gardiner, has returned to his home.
 The family of Fred Weatherly is visiting Chas. Weatherly, they will remain at his home until starting for California.
 Mrs. Hawley, who has been staying with her mother, Mrs. Ira Wells, has returned to her home in Cottage Grove.

Arrangements have been made for a Christmas tree here, and there is no doubt but that the plans will be successfully carried out.
 The A. O. U. W. lodge will have an installation of officers, on the 27th day of Dec. A program is being arranged, and all are invited to attend.

Chas. Clemens is stopping at the Elkton hotel, at present. Mr. Clemens has been suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism, and is going to Roseburg to seek relief.

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A CHARGED LIFE.
 In a railroad accident the other day a man sustained ten complete fractures of the bones of the limbs, three fractures of the pelvis, and a score of bruises, gashes and sprains, and yet he is recovering. Men and women sometimes withstand great physical suffering, but succumb to the invisible germs of consumption—so small that they can be seen only under a powerful microscope.

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Last spring I was taken with severe pain in my chest, and was so weak I could hardly walk about the house," says Mrs. G. E. Kerr, of Fort Dodge, Webster Co., Iowa. "I tried several doctors and they told me I had consumption, but that I might 'brush it over' and perhaps live a good many years. I heard of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and I thought I would try some of it. Before I had taken the first bottle I was very much better; I took five bottles of it and have not had any return of the trouble. I have also taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Pleasant Pellets' with good results."

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Citation.
 In the County Court, for the County of Douglas, State of Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Huldah Wilson, deceased.
 To Wallace Myratt, Frank Myratt, Mary Wambacher, Sarah Maget, Will Maget, Alice J. Brown, Jack Lee Maget, George H. Maget, Mattie Maget, Ethel Maget, Della Maget and Mattie Maget.
 In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Douglas, at the court room thereof, at Roseburg, in the County of Douglas, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to show and shew cause why there be, why an order of this court should not be made, authorizing said estate, as private sale for cash to be sold to pay off the indebtedness against said estate, and to pay the costs and expenses of administration, said real property is described as follows: To-wit: The south half of quarter 21, in township 21, S. 2, R. 10, W. 11, Mer., in Douglas County, State of Oregon, the said south half of said quarter 21, containing 20.00 acres more or less, and the same is located on the verified petition of said administrator, said petition being now on file in said court.

Notice.
 UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roseburg, Oregon, Nov. 8, 1899.
 Notice is hereby given that the Oregon & California Railroad Company has filed in this office a list of lands situated in the following described below, and has applied for a patent for said lands; that the list is open to public inspection and a copy thereof by descriptive publications, by mail, on request, for a reasonable fee, will be furnished to any person interested and to the public generally: South of base line and East of Willamette Meridian.
 T. 29, R. 1, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 21.
 South of base line and West of Willamette Meridian.
 T. 29, R. 4, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 3, part of W 1/2 Sec. 21.
 T. 29, R. 4, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 3, part of W 1/2 Sec. 21.
 N. 24, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 5, S. 1/2 Sec. 21.
 N. 24, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 5, S. 1/2 Sec. 21.
 N. 24, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 5, S. 1/2 Sec. 21.
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 Within the next sixty days following the date of this notice, protest as to the Oregon & California Company to any tract or parcels of land within any section or part of any section described below, and has applied for a patent for said lands; that the list is open to public inspection and a copy thereof by descriptive publications, by mail, on request, for a reasonable fee, will be furnished to any person interested and to the public generally: South of base line and East of Willamette Meridian.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.
 J. H. BOYD, Receiver.

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 N. 24, W. 1 SW 1/4 Sec. 5, S. 1/2 Sec. 21.
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 Butter—Country 25c.
 Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$2.50 @ 4.00.
 Prunes—Italian 30c; silver, extra choice, 50c per lb.
 Wheat—40c @ 42c.
 Oats—25c @ 30c.
 Milled—Bran, \$17; middling \$22; shorts, \$18.00; chop, \$16.00 per ton.
 Hay—Timothy \$9 @ \$11; clover, \$7 @ \$8; Oregon wild hay, \$6 @ 7 per ton.
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