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### LATE NEWS SUMMARY

Important Events of the Past Few Days.

STATE, GENERAL, FOREIGN.

Cream of the Dispatches Dished Up in Condensed Form for the Busy Reader.

United States Senator Sewell of New Jersey died Friday.

Portland has an Odd Fellow of sixty-five year "good standing."

The old year is going out with an unusual number of railroad wrecks and horrors.

The Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroads have each issued lower freight rates voluntarily.

More than one-third of the silver bullion stored for so long in the vaults of the U. S. treasury has been coined during the fiscal year just closed.

Three greatest inventions of the age this year—wireless telegraph, submarine, airplane navigation. Pretty fair starter for the expansion century.

The Albany Democrat says Mr. Lingg the Junction City farmer who advertised for a wife and got a 304 pound prize in the matrimonial lottery, having taken the matter under advisement, should be compelled to marry the woman.

The State Forest, Fish and Game Commission reports that express companies which operate in the Adirondacks carried 1286 deer during the past season. This is believed to indicate that 6000 deer were killed in this section during the year.

### LATEST NEWS.

#### Washington State's Governor is Dead. Maclay Incident Closed. Other News.

OLYMPIA, Dec. 27.—John R. Rogers, governor of Washington, died of pneumonia at his home in Olympia, about 8 o'clock last evening. He had been ill for 10 days. He was 67 years of age and a democrat. Governor Rogers will be succeeded by Lieutenant-Governor McBride, who was elected on the republican ticket.

SALEM, Dec. 27.—The flags on the state capitol and other public buildings are at half-mast today in respect to the late Governor Rogers of Washington.

MACLAY INCIDENT CLOSED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—"The Maclay incident is now closed as far as the Brooklyn Navy-Yard is concerned," said Rear-Admiral Albert Barker, in an interview. "Maclay has been notified of his removal and is out of the service."

PLAGUE VISITED UPON SOUTH AFRICA.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A cable to the Sun from Bloemfontein says: Last Saturday an enormous army of locusts, the largest ever known here, appeared and delayed a mail train five hours. These pests have been hovering over Bloemfontein for the past week. Yesterday millions of them settled on farms near by and in some places they were ankle deep. In Thabanchu district one swarm extended forty miles, stopping all traffic with the south. There was another swarm that extended for twenty miles. The damage to market produce, which is sadly wanted, is great.

### DEPEW IS MARRIED.

Wedded Three Times to Make Matters Certain.

HOTEL FIRE AT PORTLAND.

The Oregon National Guard. Other Late and Interesting News.

NEWS, Dec. 27.—The civil ceremony of the marriage of Senator Chas. M. Dewey and Miss Mary Palmer took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the United States Capitol. The bride's witnesses were Baron von Andra and Baron de Castellan. The bridegroom's witnesses were James Gordon Bennett and Count Bern.

Among others present were Mrs. Palmer, Countess de Bern and Baroness von Andra.

Senator Dewey was in excellent health. The bride was charmingly dressed.

The bride, being a Catholic, there will be two religious ceremonies. The first will take place at Notre Dame and the second at the Episcopal Church, at 11 o'clock in the morning and at noon tomorrow, respectively, when 10 bridesmaids from the United States cruiser Albany will form a guard of honor.

CORONEL SPEAKS THE WORD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—United States Senator Chas. M. Dewey and Miss Palmer were married here today (Friday) at 2 p. m. in the American Consulate, by United States Consul Harold S. Van Buren, who conducted the civil ceremony under a special dispensation granted by the Secretary of state, says the N. Y. Times, correspondent of the World. The first religious ceremony took place in the Catholic Church of Notre Dame, on Saturday, at 11 A. M. Then followed a wedding in the American Church, at 12 noon. A company of sailors from the American squadron formed a guard. The church wedding, however, and not the one at the Consulate, will be the legal one in France.

Senator Dewey is the guest of Countess de Bern, his cousin, a grand-daughter of Commodore Vanderbilt. The Countess gave a reception after the ceremony.

Senator and Mrs. Dewey started away directly after the wedding and will sail from England for the United States January 13. Miss Palmer is staying at the Hotel Des Britanniques.

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Our Toy Department contains Doll Carriages, Tables, Rocking Horses, Shoo Flies, Cradles, Rockers and Chairs, Stoves, Iron Express Wagons from \$1.00 up and many other things too numerous to mention.

**B. W. STRONG, THE FURNITURE MAN.** Roseburg, Ore.

### DEATH OF JOHN W. NOAH.

A Prominent Oregon Pioneer and Indian Fighter.

John W. Noah, of South Coos river, died at the Blanco hotel on Sunday morning, Dec. 22, 1901, after a comparatively short illness. Members of his family were constantly with him, and medical skill did everything possible to relieve his sufferings, which from the nature of the ailment (obstruction of the bowels) were very severe at times.

He was born in Boone county, Iowa, on Nov. 3, 1832. In '52-'53 he crossed the plains with an ox team, arriving in Jacksonville, Oregon, in the fall of '58. In partnership with others he engaged in mining on Galice creek, where they were attacked by the Indians. They fought their way out, and returned to Jacksonville without losing a man. Leaving Jacksonville he went to Douglas county, and joined the volunteers, serving during the Indian war. He was one of the troops who rescued the Harris family, when this family was surrounded by Indians. They were making a gallant defense at the time of the rescue. Mr. Harris though wounded, was able to handle a rifle, and Mrs. Harris loaded the guns and helped to hold the savages at bay until assistance arrived. He also helped rescue the Nida family, who had a narrow escape from being massacred by the Indians. Mrs. Nida Owen, of Marshfield, who was a child at the time was a member of the Nida family. Mr. Noah also, in company with Jim Farley, took a dispatch from Big Bend, on Rogue river, to Whiskey Bar, when reinforcements were needed. He secured the reinforcements; went back with the troops and fought the battle under Col. Kelsey, in which the Indians were badly defeated.

At the close of the war he was married at Roseburg, in 1855, to Miss Mary M. Jones, and 15 children were the result of this marriage, of whom seven boys and six girls are living. He came to Coos bay in 1872, and in 1874 moved to South Coos river, where he has since resided. He has been engaged in logging, principally, since coming to the bay, and has opened camps at various points on Coos river.

The funeral took place Dec. 23rd, at the Coos River cemetery, the Alert making a special trip from Marshfield for the occasion. Numerous relatives and friends were in attendance, and sympathy was expressed for the bereaved ones in their affliction.—Marshfield News.

### FOUR HUNDRED KILLED.

COLON, Columbia, Dec. 27.—(Via Galveston)—News was received here today that General Marin, the Colombian revolutionary leader, attacked Honda, on the Magdalena river, December 9, with 1200 men. The garrison, consisting of 430 men, fought from 6 a. m. until 12:30 p. m. At 8 a. m. the garrison received reinforcements numbering 200 men. The battle started on the outskirts of the city and ended at Caracol, nine miles from Honda. Bayonets and machets were used. The government forces were victorious. Four hundred men were killed during the battle.

### ENGLAND'S WAR.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The following dispatch has been received from Lord Kitchener, dated Johannesburg: "General Rundle reports that on the night of December 24, Colonel Firman's camp at Zeefontein, consisting of three companies of yeomanry and two guns, was successfully rushed by a strong commando under Dewet. It is feared the casualties were heavy. Two regiments of light horses are pursuing the Boers."

### "GREAT CHRISTMAS GIVINGS."

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—There were great Christmas givings throughout the metropolis yesterday. It seemed as if almost every one was remembered.

The business houses alone gave millions of dollars to their employees. John D. Rockefeller and Helen Gould distributed new ten dollar pieces among the needy poor who applied to them.

### THE NORTHWEST STORM.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 27.—The storm that struck the northwest coast Thursday morning did great damage. It is already known that fifteen vessels were wrecked, while it is feared that several more will be added to the casualty list. The cable house on the mainland, connecting with Victoria, was badly wrecked by the force of the ocean waves.

### REQUISITION FOR VERNON.

SALEM, Dec. 27.—Governor Geer yesterday afternoon issued a requisition to the governor of California, requesting the arrest and return of George Vernon, wanted in Lane county for forgery. Vernon is now in jail at Yreka, Siskiyou county, and W. W. Withers, sheriff of Lane county, is appointed agent of the state to receive and bring him back.

### CHRISTMAS AT THE SAVIOR'S TOMB.

BETHLEHEM, Syria, Dec. 26.—Magnificent pageants were rehearsed at the tomb of the Savior during Christmas day. Thousands of tourists were present, having come to Bethlehem for that particular object. The weather was beautiful, all that could be desired.

### ASTORIA SHIPPING DISASTER.

ASTORIA, Dec. 27.—During a heavy wind last evening the French bark Henrietta, lumber laden for Europe, dragged her anchor while in the harbor, drifted over a ledge of rock and at low tide struck and filled. She is sunk in twenty-four feet of water at high tide, and can be saved.

### BOLOMEN MADE A FIGHT.

MANILA, Dec. 27.—Captain Schoffel with a detachment of the Ninth Infantry was attacked by bolomen at Dapday, Samar, yesterday. They were repulsed with a heavy loss. The Americans lost seven killed and many wounded.

### Who will win the Prize?

For every 50 cent purchase at my store you not only get value received in the foodstuffs and best selection in town at lowest prices, but a ticket which may make you the winner of the handsome prize—the extra large sax doll, now on exhibition in my store window. Call early before the tickets are all out.

## WILL CURRIER

THE GROCER

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**Furnishings, Notions, Stationery**

## "The Racket Store"

ROSEBURG, OREGON

### Clearance Sale Begins

We name such prices on Ladies and Misses Jackets and Walking Hats mentioned below that had ought to move them very rapidly. This is our full stock in our Myrtle Creek store. Same reduction applies to what may be in stock in Canyonville.

Size 36 Cape, barely enough to mention, only 1 plush, was... \$3.75 now \$2.50  
 Size 36 Cape 1 cloth cape, splendid value, was... \$4.00 now \$2.50  
 Size 36 Cape, 1 cloth cape, splendid value, was... \$2.00 now \$1.25  
 Jackets, 2 Misses Jackets, size 14 yrs., was... \$5.00 now \$2.25  
 Jackets, 2 Misses Jackets, size 4 and 6, was... \$3.00 now \$2.00  
 Jackets, 6 Ladies Jackets, size 36-38, was... \$7.00 now \$4.50  
 Collarlets, only one left, color grey, was... \$3.50 now \$2.50  
 Just 2 dozen Ladies and Children's Walking Hats, 2 was... \$2.50 now \$1.50  
 do. 2 was... \$1.00 and \$1.25 now \$1.00  
 do. 6 was... \$1.00 and \$1.25 now 75  
 do. 1 was... \$2.00 now \$1.50

We are beginning early to close out Fall Goods hence these splendid reductions for you.

**N. SELIG, Myrtle Creek,** Canyonville, Oregon

### Bring Us Your ... CHICKENS, EGGS, BUTTER.

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### FLINT'S SHOE STORE...

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Our customers pay us—and they do it without kicking, because we sell the best groceries, staple and fancy, at the most reasonable prices in the city. If you don't know this to be a fact, prove it by giving us a trial order. Phone 163.

**Kruse & Newland**

### Hints to Housewives.

Half the battle in good cooking, is to have good fresh groceries, and to get them promptly when you order them. Call up 'Phone No. 181, for good goods and good service.

## C. W. PARKS & CO.

### THE SUNSET GROCERY...

Will continue to be, as it has been, the leader in quality and prices. Don't forget that our goods are all new and fresh. A trial is respectfully solicited.

We handle Albany Creamery Butter.

## CLOYD & BROWN.

If you want to buy a farm  
 If you want furnished rooms  
 If you want to buy a house  
 If you want to rent a house  
 If you want to build a house  
 If you want to move a house

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### That Big Potato.

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 25.—(Editor P. rt. land Telegram)—I notice in your issue of the 23d inst. reference by Mr. H. E. Lonsbury, traveling freight agent of the Southern Pacific Company, to some large potatoes grown in Douglas County, and notably to one on exhibition in a show window in Roseburg. This potato was grown on the farm at the Oregon Soldiers' Home near Roseburg, without artificial fertilization, and weighed, when first dug and cleaned of adhering soil, 9 1/4 pounds.

This potato was not, as Mr. Lonsbury seemed, the result of "a combination of the Easterners' efforts and the productive quality of Oregon soil, supplemented by timely, persistent and thorough cultivation. There were many other samples in the same field of "monstrous size," and the Home raised, during the past season, all the potatoes it will require until the new crop comes on next year. Very respectfully,  
 Wm. J. SHIPLEY.

### Many A Laugh.

Pleasing the people is a trade with the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartet, and their program contains lots of fun of a refined nature as well as a wealth of fine music. Opera House, Jan. 1, 1902.

### MADE MILLER DEAD.

OAKLAND, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Made McCormick, better known to the public as Mrs. Made Miller, the actress, and daughter of Joaquin Miller, the "Poet of the Sierras," died this morning of a complication of heart trouble at 7 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield, who are distant relatives.

The Daily News of Denver, on December 26th, 1900 says: It is rarely, indeed, that Denver is favored with such vocal execution and instrumental as well. When it is said that the work of the Quartette is beyond criticism and the other performances the work of professionals, the truth is told. It was a rare privilege, thoroughly appreciated by the audience, to listen to the wonderful voices of the Quartette in their harmonious blending and surprising range, and there was not a number on the program but secured an encore." You can enjoy the same treat that Denver did at the Opera House on Jan. 1, 1902.

Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and snuffs and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head quickly and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents. All druggists sell the 50c. size. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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We have nothing to give away, nor do we have any "arm prices" for any competitors, but we will guarantee if you trade with us we will save 50 per cent on all of this line of goods.

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