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CUSHMAN DEFENDS MITCHELL AND HERMANN

Washington's Representative Regards the Indictments of Senator and Congressman as Base Outrages

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The Washington Daily Post came out yesterday with the following statement regarding the indictment of Senator Mitchell and Congressman Hermann: "Representative F. W. Cushman, of Washington State, yesterday took up the cudgels in behalf of Senator Mitchell. Mr. Cushman deplored the tendency, whenever a faithful public servant is accused, for his friends to hold aloof."

"I, myself," declared Mr. Cushman, "do not for a moment think that Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, has been guilty of any wrong. The people of the West and Northwest not only have a high regard for Senator Mitchell but an affection for him that has been the growth of years of hard labor and hard service on his part in

their behalf. That a man of this standing should have his character smirched by the testimony of a self-confessed scoundrel and the sensational expert is nothing short of an outrage, which will soon, in my judgment, be visited upon those who conceived and executed it. "In my opinion the same is true of Representative Hermann, who is well and favorably known to the people of the Pacific coast. These people have confidence in his honesty and ability. When he was Commissioner of the General Land Office the one thing in his administration that everybody acknowledged was his friendship for and his sympathy with the bona fide settlers on the public domain. "I have full faith in the absolute vindication of both these men."

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE TO THE LEGISLATURE

SALEM, Jan. 12.—Governor Chamberlain's message was read to the legislature in joint session today. The message was confined purely to state subjects. It strongly favors an appropriation of one million five hundred thousand dollars for the construction of a dam on the Willamette river, and the construction of a dam on the Clatsop river, and the construction of a dam on the Lewis and Clark river.

MRS. ELBERT BROWN GETS INTO PRINT

It is Related How She Duped McKinley's Wife and Secured \$75 From Her

Horace McKinley, while on the rack himself, evidently finds time and has the disposition to satisfy some old grudges that has been rankling in his mind for several years. Mrs. Nellie Brown (Miss Nellie Gilbert when Mr. McKinley got worsted in a business transaction with her) is brought into unpleasant notoriety through disclosures evidently made by Mr. McKinley and published in the Portland Journal. When the grand jury adjourned at noon Friday Mr. Heney gave out that it was on account of the non-availability of certain witnesses for a particular case that he desired to take up before considering other features of the investigation. It now develops that when this action was taken he had in view the indictment of Elbert K. Brown and wife, of Eugene, who are accused of making fraudulent homestead entries in "11-7" under the names of Alexander R. Brown and Nellie Bachus. It has all along been supposed that they were fictitious persons and Marie L. Ware has been given credit for signing the name of Nellie Bachus to the application for final proof of the latter, while Horace G. McKinley is supposed to have performed a similar service in behalf of Alexander R. Brown, but it now transpires that prior to her marriage with Mr. Brown his wife's name was Nellie Gilbert, and it is alleged that she was an intimate associate of those who were convicted recently of conspiracy in connection with "11-7," and this aspect of affairs reveals an interesting story concerning some of her relations with them.

THE ROSEBURG BROOM FACTORY IN OPERATION

Large and Complete Plant, Capacity Fifty Dozen Brooms Per Day. Now Employing a Force of Six Men

A Plaindealer representative visited the new broom factory one day last week, which was recently established on a spur of the Southern Pacific railroad near the Kinney Addition to Roseburg and the big prairie evaporators. The lot and the building, a substantial two-story frame structure 24x50 feet, with a seven foot basement, was donated by the citizens of Roseburg, and will prove to the city one of the best contributions it ever made.

R. S. Barker, a gentleman familiar with every detail of the business, is the enterprising proprietor of this new industrial addition to Roseburg, and through his courtesy the Plaindealer man gleaned considerable knowledge of the manufacture of the various grades of brooms on his visit to the factory, the first and largest straw being manufactured in four grades of the common household article, while the finer and shorter straw is manufactured into top and whisk brooms.

Along with the fine modern plant installed in the broom factory, which was received direct from the east, came four carloads of Oklahoma broom corn, which is the best straw grown. The plant is operated by a modern gasoline engine and consists of a revolving roller seeder and shredder; power wire winders; the latest improved automatic stitcher, an expensive and very complicated machine, which is most interesting to watch in operation; trimmer or cut-off; blower or dryer in which the brooms are placed and subjected to a strong current of air from a fan, which dries the straw quickly and thoroughly.

Very few of the people of Roseburg realize the extent and importance of this new manufacturing industry which has just been established in this city, and it will be a revelation to many of our citizens as well as those of other parts of the county to visit the factory and witness the manufacture of the splendid Roseburg broom, this being the largest factory of its kind between Portland and San Francisco. The local seah and door factory is making arrangements to turn out the broom handles for the Roseburg broom factory.

PRESIDENT AND SPEAKER CUT PIE

The Legislative Committees Have Been Named—Important Bills Introduced

SALEM, Jan. 15.—Speaker Mills has cut the pie, and says the job was the hardest he ever tackled. The task came to an end yesterday as the shades of night were drawing nigh. When he finished he took a deep breath and exclaimed: "It's just as soon try a Chinese puzzle. Running a bank is easy beside it."

Mr. Mills studied the problem a long time; indeed, he deliberated until past 12 o'clock the night before and pondered yet again from 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon till 6. But the Speaker declined to divulge how he had divided the pie until Monday, the afternoon whereof he has promised to announce them to the House. They are 41 in number—some of five and one, others of three and one, that on irrigation of seven.

President Kuykendall will announce the distribution of committee pie in the Senate on the same day. The committees in the upper chamber number 28. Who the Chairman Will Be Of the committees on ways and means Farrar of Marion will be chairman in the Senate and Vawter of Jackson in the House; on judiciary, Rand of Baker in the Senate, and Lathinich of Multnomah in the House; on revision of laws, Malarkey of Multnomah in the Senate and Muir of Multnomah in the House; on fisheries, Tuttle of Clatsop in the Senate and Marger of Columbia in the House; on assessment and taxation probably Booth of Lane in the Senate; on railroads, Croisan of Marion in the Senate; on roads and highways, probably Hermann of Coos in the House. When the legislators shall reassemble at Salem Monday they will find the bills which they introduced last week, all printed and ready for lawmaking. The number of bills introduced in the Senate last week was 56 and in the House 94. Three bills passed both houses—one to extend the time for filing tax levies with the County Clerk this year from January 1 to February 1; one to amend the charter of Hillsboro, and the third to authorize Clatsop county to collect a special tax levy of 5 mills for a new courthouse.

SENATOR CLARK AND WIFE RETURN FROM ABROAD

The Story of their Romantic Courtship and Secret Marriage in Paris Several Years Ago

New York, Jan. 12.—Senator William A. Clark of Montana brought back from Europe on the steamer Kron Prinz Wilhelm his young wife, but left his baby behind in Paris with a dozen nurses. Mrs. Clark was so ill on the trip that the ship surgeons were in constant attendance. Because the senator married Miss Anna La Chapelle, a French-Canadian young woman, three years before the public announcement of the ceremony, and because there was a girl baby two years old when the wedding news was made public, there was considerable curiosity to see Mrs. Clark when she landed from the steamer. In the hope of discouraging curiosity seekers, Mrs. Clark remained on the steamer for over an hour after the vessel berthed. She underestimated the lasting qualities of those who, while waiting, discussed the question as to how society would receive her.

The senator and his wife will go to Washington, where a mansion will be opened. After the session of congress the couple will again go abroad. The romance of Senator Clark and Miss Anna La Chapelle first became known last year, when Senator Clark sailed for Europe telling some friends to be prepared for a great surprise before he returned. He then gave out the news of his having been married three years before. The senator first met Anna La Chapelle 12 years ago, when she was scarcely 17 years of age. Her father went to Butte from Montreal to improve his health and fortune and died there, leaving his family penniless. On his death bed he confided his children to the care of the millionaire magnate. Anna's musical talents were considerable and she was sent first to the conservatory in Boston and then abroad. She grew into a radiantly beautiful woman of the French-Canadian type, petite and graceful, with lustrous dark eyes and a wealth of chestnut hair. While studying in Paris she was married to her benefactor.

The small daughter born to them first saw the light of day in Senator Clark's villa on the bay of Algiers, where the honeymoon was spent. It is said that the baby cost \$10,000 before she was a week old. So great was the secrecy and so magnificent the preparations for this event that Algiers people are firmly convinced that Mrs. Clark is a morganatic wife of a great king. A second child was born to Senator and Mrs. Clark last year, but it lived barely an hour.

FOR THESE LANDS ARE RESERVED. ABOLISHES ROAD SUPERVISORS

The poor young man who may be honestly taking a wife and founding a home and rearing a family, what does he need of public lands? It is true his father may have taken a homestead or cleared a farm in the timber in the east somewhere, may have endured the privation of having lived in a sod house on the prairie or in a log cabin to get a home. The young man who has no bank account and no pull to get onto the public payrolls, may have some such idea, and may be planning to get a home out of the public domain, and rear his family as his father did. But he should get rid of that absurd notion of making a living by becoming an honest producer, with merely a homestead of his own. He should understand that the public lands are for the speculative, the predatory class, the public official who already fattens on the taxpayer. For that class first. The rest of the public domain belongs to the syndicates and corporations.—Salem Journal.

The remaining stock of doors, windows moulings and other mill work of the late Roseburg Lumber Co., has been turned over to the Flock & Dyringer Co. and will be sold at a bargain until closed out. Here is a snap for house builders. Cheap Doors, Windows and Mouldings. The remaining stock of doors, windows moulings and other mill work of the late Roseburg Lumber Co., has been turned over to the Flock & Dyringer Co. and will be sold at a bargain until closed out. Here is a snap for house builders.

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COUNTY CLERK AGEE'S ANNUAL STATEMENT

List of Jurors Drawn for the Circuit Court for the Year Nineteen Hundred and Five

County Clerk Z. N. Agee has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of State at Salem showing, in itemized form, the expenses of Douglas county for the year 1904, exclusive of monies expended for improvements of roads, operation of ferries and maintenance of schools. The total sum expended on roads and ferries in the county during 1904 was \$10,039.07; on schools, \$34,288.55, which does not include the school money received from the state or the amounts raised in several county districts by special levy. Clerk Agee's report follows: Statement of expenses of Douglas county, Oregon, for the year 1904, prepared in compliance with the provisions of Section 1, of an Act to prescribe the method in which the state taxes shall be apportioned, etc., approved February 27, 1901: County Court and Commissioners \$1,199.55 Circuit Court 3,630.05 Justices' Court 1,197.10 Sheriff's office 3,703.00 Clerk's office 3,000.00 Treasurer's office 1,044.60 Coroner's office 238.00 School Superintendent's office 1,288.20 Stock Inspector 12.00 Assessor's office 4,005.48 Assessment and Collection of Taxes 399.30 Tax Rebate 34.49 Current Expenses 2,146.23 Courthouse Expenses 2,041.95 Jail 524.85 Poor, Care of 4,851.97 Indigent Soldiers 1,011.65 Insane 78.50 Reform School Commitments 3,628.30 Election Expense 9,976.05 Bridges 419.00 Scalp Bounty Total \$41,221.17 JURORS FOR THE YEAR The 200 names selected by the Douglas county court at its recent session, from which jurors will be drawn for service at the terms of circuit court during 1905, are as follows: Lee Love, C. N. Moody, Jephtha Green, James Bull, Sam A. Brown, A. C. Kidd, Isadore E. Rice, R. S. Brisbane, John Livingston, Elmer Gasley, James A. Haines, George K. Quinn, Peter Peterson, Grafton Worthington, King S. Taylor, Leo Barker, H. H. Nichols, William N. Moore, Thomas Harvey, H. J. Wilson, William Chamberlain, John R. Fogles, W. P. Totten, Frank Clements, M. L. Brown, H. A. Crow, Roy C. Brown, John R. McKinley, John Gillam, W. H. Fisher, Sylvester Cassebeer, Finis Dillard, Otto Singleton, Jack Donnell, W. S. Booth, O. A. Mattson, T. B. Griffin, George Frazier, H. N. Cobb, N. T. Jewett, William A. Skidmore, F. F. Patterson, George W. Kruse, D. S. K. Buick, J. Turpin, H. E. Andrus, P. G. Eubanks, E. L. Love, Thomas G. Hamerly, Joel F. Tracey, Joe Harvey, Frank Brown, O. C. Sether, James M. Crawford, M. B. Parke, Joe Boyle, W. P. Reed, W. S. Johnson, James L. Cole, W. H. Carroll, Ira B. Howard, L. A. McCall, George W. Graves, W. W. Scott, W. H. Larkins, Jas. P. Perry, Morris Weber, Butler Atterberry, Henry Schreck, P. Swearingen, E. C. Gaddis, Enos Hodson, J. L. Shambrook, John Wilson, J. A. Griggs, John Hedrick, Jr., M. N. Ensey, A. L. Butler, Edward Hancock, Robert Hunt, William Dardorf, William L. Prior, E. E. Emmitt, J. I. Chapman, F. F. Patterson, N. Rice, B. W. Strong, Adam Fisher, Roy McClellan, Al Creason, S. C. Flint, T. J. Hinkle, T. N. Humphreys, Stillman Nottage, Harvey Jones, John Hamlin, John Watkins, S. H. Wilson, J. H. Saffley, M. R. Parks, L. Starr, W. E. Thompson, D. Reed, Sam Whitaker, C. A. McNabb, J. P. McKay, A. I. Black, G. W. Grubbs, F. H. Appelfhoff, D. S. West, J. M. Fletcher, T. D. Weatherford, S. F. Crawford, W. A. Burr, A. D. Hawn, G. A. Signelness, S. W. Case, F. B. Waite, W. H. Coits, W. A. Simmons, J. D. Cornutt, Marion Ryan, William Elzenberg, J. J. Hedden, H. Weatherly, W. H. Stark, Charles Beckley, Z. L. Dimmick, James Starr, S. D. Evans, D. R. Shambrook, F. P. Brown, W. A. Pearce, Ralph Terrell, Bert Holmes, Charles Clements, D. C. McWilliams, J. G. Harland, R. F. Gilbert, John Hall, J. D. Strong, J. G. Rice, E. L. Shepard, Perry E. Cornutt, W. T. Ledy, Charles Austin, N. Fish, F. J. Conning, E. W. Diller, E. E. Wilson, W. H. Graham, R. M. Noah, Jas. Byron, Norman Agee, Wm. Gillam, T. B. Cannon, J. C. Aiken, Peter Balf, J. G. Dicks, W. J. Gollip, J. M. Berline, S. C. Catching, E. Underwood, F. M. Hopkins, E. E. Redfield, N. P. Jones, E. J. Livingston, E. J. Crow, T. B. Johns, W. H. Thompson, Harry Aubin, A. S. Bushnell, Wm. Buxton, Simon Caro, D. Jackson, John Nachter, S. W. Bayless, S. H. Knight, George H. Cutsforth, J. W. James, Curly Jackson, J. W. Brown, William McCurdy, D. N. Snyder, R. B. Dixon, R. C. Arnold, I. Winnigham, J. L. Coon, William Irwin, W. H. Oliviant, Wm. Perdue, C. W. Parrott.

Important Bills Introduced

The most important bills thus far introduced are as follows: Representative Cole—For revised irrigation code. Representative Miles—To protect forests from fire. Representative Steiner—To cede lake lands in Klamath county to the United States. Representative Stettin—To revise militia code so as to conform to Dick law. Representative Mayger—To give each county a Prosecuting Attorney. Representative Kay—To pay state officers flat salaries. Representative Capron—To create State Tax Commission. Representative Hudson—To raise marriage license from \$3 to \$5. Senator Booth—To create office of State Examiner. Senator Smith—To create County Boards of Health. Senator Wheelton—To create State Mineral Bureau. Senator Coe—To raise age of consent from 16 to 18 years. Senator Brownell—To call Constitutional Convention. Senator Wheelton—To appropriate money for Indian War veterans of 1855. Senator Sichel—To provide whipping post for wifebeaters. Governor Will Veto One Bill. One of the three bills passed last week—that authorizing extension of time for filing tax levies—will be vetoed by the Governor with the approval of the legislature. The relief sought by the bill is in Grant and Clatsop counties, where the law requiring levies to be certified to the County Clerk by January 1 was not complied with by certain school districts or municipalities. If the bill should become a law, collection in other counties would be delayed until past the rebate period, and the tax collection system would be put out of joint. Next week the Legislature will enact a new bill to apply only to Grant and Clatsop counties.

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