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RECLAMATION OF ARID REGIONS

One of Most Important Questions With Which Congress Will Have to Deal.

GOVERNMENT AID NECESSARY

Amount of Money Necessary for Comprehensive System Larger Than the Western States Are Able to Supply.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—W. C. Brown, President and General Manager of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, with headquarters at Cleveland, when asked for an expression of opinion on the president's message as regards the development of the West said:

"I cannot express too strongly my appreciation of the recommendation of the president, looking to the reclamation of the now arid regions in our Western states and territories by the construction of great reservoirs for the storage of water.

"The fact that the president favors the undertaking of this work by the general government is logically the result of his familiarity with conditions in the West and his practical knowledge of the subject under consideration.

"The work of reclamation of arid lands undertaken in the comprehensive and thorough manner which its importance not only justifies, but demands will require a larger expenditure of money than the sparsely settled states of the West can command. Money for this purpose expended by the state must be raised by taxation, this is an obvious impossibility, and therefore the only alternative left to the state or territory unable by the general government would be to farm out to great syndicates composed of eastern capitalists the right to construct the reservoirs, to own the water and control the land reclaimed. Under this plan the settler seeking a home upon government land must pay tribute to the syndicate thus formed, in such amount as the syndicate might elect to exact.

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Cole was the first man seen on the barge at the time she came ashore. He was waving his hands to the life-saving crew. According to information received from the scene of the stranding, the life-savers at once hastened to the assistance of the men. Mr. Bryant states that the cook was about 60 years of age and crippled, and that his infirmity doubtless made it impossible for him to reach shore.

"It will be impossible to state just what will be done about saving the barge," said Mr. Bryant yesterday. "It would seem from reports that the barge is in a bad place and that she will go to pieces. However, if we succeeded in getting there in time it may be possible to save the lumber cargo."

That the barge lived through two terrible gales is considered most remarkable. She is a flat-bottomed vessel, and for this reason little hope was entertained for her. News of the safety of the three Astorians aboard the Wheeler was received with delight in this city. Immediately on learning of the barge's predicament, Collector Fox was requested to prevent departure of the revenue cutter Manning from the Sound.

The following account of the wreck was received through the Associated Press last night: NEWPORT, Ore., Dec. 4.—The lumber barge C. H. Wheeler, bound from Nehalem to San Francisco, with 362,000 feet of lumber, went ashore two miles south of Yaquina bar about 10 o'clock this morning. The Wheeler was lost off Cape Blanco in a storm by the tug Vosburg, November 27, and had been making her way up the coast ever since. She was sighted early this morning by the life crew, directly opposite the station, about three miles off shore, signalling for a tug, but there was none here to go to her assistance.

With mainsail, foresail and jib set, she was slowly making her way north, but drifting in shore all the time. The crew lowered the mainsail in the hope of bringing her around on another tack, but falling in this they attempted to make for the bar. A big wave rolled upon them, carrying away the mainmast, also the colored cook, J. W. Cole, who was seen clinging to the wreckage a short time afterwards, but evidently he did not survive long. Another large wave threw her on her beam ends and everything above decks went overboard. One of the men clinging half a mile above the place of the present wreck. The other two stayed with the main deckload, which followed in the wake of the derelict about two miles to the southward, where she struck. The survivors are: T. Peterson, of San Francisco; A. Peterson, of Aberdeen, Washington, and M. Yederman, of Nehalem.

LIVING IS VERY HIGH

AVERAGE COST PER CAPITA IS \$101.37.

Surpasses all Records Since Present Methods of Manufacture Have Been in Use.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Dunn's index number, to be issued December 7, will say: "If a man purchased his supplies for one year on December 1 they would have cost \$101.37 while some quantities of the same article would have aggregated only \$72.45 on July 1, 1897, the lowest point in record, and \$121.75 January 1, 1893. These price records are compiled by multiplying quotations of all necessities of life by the per capita consumption. Prices are now at the highest point in many years and in fact surpass all records since the present methods of manufacture and distribution have been in use and agricultural operations were first begun on the present extensive scale with labor saving machinery.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Oriental advices say that the Russian authorities at Vladivostok have withdrawn the new tonnage duties recently imposed there on all foreign vessels.

Matters in relation to the formation of an American polo team to compete in the coronation tournament next summer in England will be acted upon definitely within the next 10 days.

According to the Rio Janeiro correspondent of the Herald, it is asserted that the United States Government has proposed Brazil to adopt the proposed tariff on flour. The bill is now being considered by the senate.

An article in the Russian paper Svet on the recent Polish agitation, says the Austrian Poles, who play a rather important part in the realm of the Hapsburgs, are indignant at the outrages committed by the Germans in Posen.

At the annual meeting of the American Polled Durham Association, held in Chicago, steps were taken to reorganize as a stock company under the laws of Illinois, W. W. Crane of Tuscarora City, Ohio, was elected president.

Theodore Salisbury Woolsey, professor of international law has been appointed temporary dean of the Yale Law School on account of the serious illness of Professor Francis Wayland, who has been head of that department of Yale for nearly a quarter of a century.

MEETING NOTICE.

Friday evening, December 6, there will be nomination and election of officers at the Degree of Pochontas, after which refreshments will be served. All members are earnestly requested to attend. By order of the POCHONTAS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I will not be responsible for damages sustained by teams, their loads or drivers, on Commercial street between Tenth and Fourteenth streets during the time that repairs are being made on said street.

J. K. WIRT, Contractor.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its intention and determination to establish the grade on Thirtieth street from the north line of Duane street to the south line of Exchange street at the following heights above the base of grades as established by Ordinance No. 71 of said city, to-wit:

At the north line of Duane street, 245 feet, and at the south line of Duane street, 245 feet.

At the north line of Exchange street, 281 feet, and at the south line of Exchange street, 281 feet.

The slope between the south line of Duane street and the north line of Exchange street to be straight or gradual. This notice is published for ten days in pursuance to a resolution of the Common Council of said city, ordering the same.

H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

Date of first publication, November 22, 1901.

LIFE IS GROWING LONGER.

From statistics and results of certain changes in the methods of living, it has been proven that the span of life is being lengthened. We are justified in believing this when we consider the great advances made in medicine during the past fifty years. The most noteworthy of them being Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the old reliable remedy for all ailments of the stomach, liver and bowels. It cures dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, headache, sour stomach, belching, heartburn and biliousness. It is the best medicine in the world for run down systems, and has a record of fifty years of cures. Women should also try it, as it will certainly do them good. Our Private Die Stamp is over the neck of the bottle.

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What They Think of It

THEO. ROOSEVELT ABRAHAM HEWITT JOHN WANNAMAKER

President Theodore Roosevelt—"It is the duty of every good citizen to support the Citizens Union ticket. Tammany should serve as a horrible example to those who advocate partisanship in the administration of municipal affairs."

A. S. Hewitt, honored as the foremost citizen of New York—"I fail to see by what process of reasoning they can hold the vote of the party. My opinion to Tammany is based upon the ground that whenever Tammany returns to power, its leaders consider the city revenues as spoils which by right belong to its leaders. City government is a business proposition and he who appears to the partisan spirit of the people in a city election is not a good citizen."

John Wannamaker—"Have the people of Philadelphia lost all civic pride? Do they not see what 'politics' has done for our city? If there be an upright citizen in this community who cannot see what party politics in local affairs leads to, then indeed do I fear for the future. Only those who seek to profit by it advocate this pernicious system."

FOR MAYOR— Isaac Bergman

CITIZENS' NOMINEE

FOR MAYOR— Joseph Suprenant

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE

FOR CITY TREASURER— Frank J. Carney

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, that on the 11th day of December, 1901, a general election for the City of Astoria will be held at which election the following named officers will be elected, to-wit:

Mayor, for a period or term of two years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

Auditor and Police Judge, for a period or term of two years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

Superintendent of Streets for a period or term of two years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

City Surveyor for a period or term of two years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

City Treasurer for the period or term of two years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

One Police Commissioner, for a period or term of six years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

One Councilman for the First Ward for a term of three years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

One Councilman, for the Second Ward, for the term of three years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

One Councilman, for the Third Ward, for the term of three years from the first Monday in January, 1902.

That the polls for said election shall be opened at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and shall remain open to the hour of 6 o'clock p. m. on said day at which time they shall be closed.

That the following are the places designated in each ward for holding the election, to-wit: the judges and clerks respectively to conduct the same, to-wit:

Registration and polling precinct No. 1, in Ward No. 1, shall include all that portion of the City of Astoria lying east of the west line of McClure's Astoria extended a sufficient distance north and south to intersect the north and south boundary lines of the City of Astoria and the polling place for said precinct shall be Sunna Hall. The judges of election for said polling place shall be Thomas Mooka, Charles Wilson and Grant Trullinger, and the clerks shall be J. A. Fantabland and John O. Tberg.

Registration and polling precinct No. 2, in Ward No. 1, shall include all that portion of the City of Astoria lying between the east boundary line of precinct No. 1, and the center line of Eighth street in McClure's Astoria extended a sufficient distance north and south to intersect the north and south boundary lines of the City of Astoria, and the polling place for said precinct shall be engine house No. 1, at the corner of Seventh and Commercial streets. The judges of election at said polling place shall be P. J. Goodman, Thomas Trullinger and George Noland, and the clerks, D. M. Stuart and Paul Hadfield.

Registration and polling precinct No. 3, in Ward No. 1, shall include all that portion of the City of Astoria lying between the east boundary line of precinct No. 2, and the center line of Twelfth street extended a sufficient distance north and south to intersect the north and south boundary lines of the City of Astoria, and the polling place of said precinct shall be engine house No. 2, at the City Hall on the corner of Eleventh and Commercial streets. The judges of election for said polling place shall be Herman Wise, C. H. Stockton and E. C. Hughes, and the clerks shall be Arthur Callum and B. P. Allen.

Registration and polling precinct No. 4, in Ward No. 2, shall include all that

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Registration and polling precinct No. 5, in Ward No. 2, shall include all that portion of the City of Astoria lying between the east boundary line of precinct No. 4 and the east line of the J. M. Shively Donation Land Claim extended a sufficient distance north and south to intersect the north and south boundary lines of said city, and the polling place for said precinct shall be the room at No. Commercial street, in the Welch block. The judges of election for said polling place shall be C. R. Thompson, C. J. Curtis and D. T. Gerdes and the clerks, Harry Gray and John E. Grutke.

Registration and polling precinct No. 6, in Ward No. 2, shall include all that portion of the City of Astoria lying between the east boundary line of precinct No. 5, and the east line of the J. M. Shively Donation Land Claim extended a sufficient distance north and south to intersect the north and south boundary lines of the City of Astoria, and the polling place for said precinct shall be engine house No. 3. The judges of election for said polling place shall be Carl Bontgen, Henry Roe and Martin Olsen, and the clerks, John Kopp Jr. and Adolph Johnson.

Registration and polling precinct No. 8, in Ward No. 1, shall include all that portion of the City of Astoria lying between the east boundary line of precinct No. 3 and the east boundary of the City of Astoria and the polling place in said precinct shall be the old school house in Adair's Astoria. The judges of election for said polling place shall be Gust Holmes, Fred Wright and Charles Goddard, and the clerks, W. T. Schofield and Ole B. Olsen.

The judges first mentioned for each polling place shall be chairman of the judges.

Each elector of the city shall vote only within the precinct in which he resides and in which he is registered as hereinafter provided.

H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge.



CITY REPUBLICAN TICKET.

To Be Voted For Wednesday, December 11, 1901.

- Mayor 17—JOSEPH SUPRENANT
- Treasurer 14—FRANK J. CARNEY
- Auditor and Police Judge 16—H. E. NELSON
- Superintendent of Streets 17—JAMES F. KEARNEY
- Surveyor 18—A. S. TEEB
- Police Commissioner 19—JOHN W. HARBIDGE
- Councilman, First Ward 22—E. P. FAIRCLOTH
- Councilman, Second Ward 21—LUDWIG LABRON
- Councilman, Third Ward 21—John Nordstrom.

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SORES AND ULCERS. Sores and ulcers never become chronic unless the blood is in poor condition—is sluggish, weak and unable to throw off the poisons that accumulate in it. The system must be relieved of the unhealthy matter through the sores, and great danger to life would follow should it heal before the blood has been made pure and healthy and all impurities eliminated from the system. S.S.S. being the cure by first cleansing and purifying the blood, building up the general health and removing from the system **A CONSTANT DRAIN UPON THE SYSTEM.** When this has been accomplished the discharge gradually ceases, and the sore or ulcer heals. It is the tendency of these old indolent sores to grow worse and worse, and eventually to destroy the bones. Local applications, while soothing and to some extent alleviating pain, cannot reach the seat of the trouble. S. S. S. does, and no matter how apparently hopeless your condition, even though your constitution has broken down, it will bring relief when nothing else can. It supplies the rich, pure blood necessary to heal the sore and nourish the debilitated, diseased body. Mr. J. E. Talbot, Lock Box 217, Winona, Minn., says: "Five years ago my leg from the knee to the foot was so sore and swollen that several physicians treated me. I tried everything but failed to find relief. I was induced to try S. S. S., and it made a complete cure. I have never felt a better man ever since."

WEATHERED TWO GALES AND THEN WENT ASHORE Lumber Barge Wheeler Stranded at Yaquina, the Colored Cook Alone Being Drowned. The lumber barge C. H. Wheeler succeeded in living through two terrific gales, only to meet her doom on the beach at Yaquina bay. Three of her four men have been saved by the life-saving crew, the fourth, J. W. Cole, of San Francisco, the colored cook, having been drowned. The barge went ashore yesterday morning off Newport, Ore., and is piled up on the sand. She will probably be a total loss, though efforts will be made to save her. The first news of the stranding of the vessel was conveyed in a dispatch to the Astoria Chamber of Commerce, received yesterday morning. The dispatch read as follows: "A schooner is off Yaquina bay. Inform the tug that lost her last week when towing. Barge is signaling for assistance." The message was from Captain Welander. Later, U. S. Bryant, superintendent