

WM. C. WHITNEY DIES SUDDENLY

**Illustrious Lawyer and Diplomat Passes Away
Under an Operation—End Comes While
Patient is Unconscious.**

(Journal Special Service.)
New York, Feb. 2.—William C. Whitney died at his home at 871 Fifth avenue this city at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The death removes a character prominent for many years in American politics; an illustrious man of many affairs and a diplomat.

He was a prominent lawyer, ex-secretary of the navy under Cleveland and a reputed sportsman.

Mr. Whitney's death was not expected until yesterday morning when a consultation of physicians pronounced that a second operation for appendicitis would be hazardous in order to save his life. The attempt was made but the patient, who was 52 years of age, succumbed under the ordeal and passed away in an unconscious state.

The illustrious dead was taken suddenly ill Friday night last while at the performance of "Rigoletto" at the Metropolitan Opera house. He was compelled to leave the theatre and seek his home. His family physician was called. Dr. Walter B. James, who, after consulting other prominent medical men, decided that an operation for appendicitis would be necessary. Dr. William T. Bull performed the operation. The patient rallied but on Monday he grew worse and the second operation was determined. Yesterday Mr. Whitney's condition was critical. Harry Payne Whitney and Miss Dorothy Whitney, son and daughter of the sick man were called to his bedside.

His death came at 4 o'clock yesterday while he was under the influence of ether.

After it became known that Mr. Whitney was dead many prominent people called at the residence, among whom were ex-Secretary of War Root, Cornelius Vanderbilt and several representatives of the New York Democratic club. Mr. Whitney was born at Conway, Mass., July 15, 1841. He completed his course at Yale in 1863, and was graduated by Harvard law school in 1865. He was admitted to the bar and practiced in New York City. He assisted in organizing the Young Men's Democratic club in 1871. Was very active in the movement against the Tweed ring. He was defeated for district attorney in 1872. He was corporation counsel, 1875-82. He was secretary of the navy, 1885-89.

William Collins Whitney, ex-secretary of the navy, was born at Conway, Mass., July 15, 1841. He was a descendant in the eighth generation from John Whitney, one of the leaders of the English Puritans who settled in Watertown, Mass., in 1635. His father was Brig. Gen. James Scollay Whitney, who, in 1854, was appointed by President Pierce superintendent of the United States army at Springfield, Mass., and in 1860 became collector of the port of Boston on nomination of President Buchanan. Upon his mother's side his ancestry goes back to William Bradford, governor of Plymouth colony. Mr. Whitney was educated at Williston academy, East Hampton, Mass., at Yale college, where he was graduated in 1863, and at Harvard university law school, which he left in 1865.

His Days at Yale.
During Mr. Whitney's days at Yale his constant companion and chum was William Graham Sumner, and it has often been said that this association was responsible for his joining the Democratic party. He distinguished himself while at college as scholar, and divided honors with Sumner. After leaving the law school he went to New York and entered the firm of Abraham R. Lawrence, he took up corporation law. There he came to know many of the leading Democrats of the party, and made his first acquaintance with Samuel J. Tilden.

It has been said of Mr. Whitney that his marriage to Miss Flora Payne, daughter of Senator Henry B. Payne of Ohio, a Standard Oil magnate, was one of the most brilliant successes he ever achieved. Senator Payne took a fancy to his new son-in-law and under his guidance Mr. Whitney began to make money at a rate which soon placed him among the millionaires.

Whitney's first meeting with Cleveland was at a convention in Utica, at which Cleveland was nominated for governor of the state. Whitney was called home by a telegram saying his wife was dangerously ill, and before leaving he went into the room of Daniel Manning to say a parting word about the candidates. He was bitterly opposed to Flower, who was the Tammany man.

Whitney the Angel.
In the Cleveland campaign—1884 and 1892—Whitney was the angel. He got the money. He forced the rich Democrats to give money. He got money from all sources, and in great plenty of it. There was no better campaign provider in the world than Whitney. And another thing—he knew how to place the money where it would do the most good. In the last Cleveland campaign he contributed no less than \$250,000 from his own private funds toward the election of his friend.

As soon as Cleveland learned of his reelection he telegraphed to Whitney to know if he would accept the portfolio of secretary of state. Whitney declined. He had declined the post of ambassador to the Court of St. James. Whitney could have had any office in the gift of the president, but none suited him.

When Mr. Whitney entered Cleveland's cabinet in 1885 as secretary of the navy, he at once became a famous man and a social lion. While to him is generally given the credit of having made the American navy, there are those who claim to know that the plans which Mr. Whitney worked out were originated by Mr. Chandler. However that may be,

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MUST FACE THE ALL NIGHT ISSUE

**FRIENDS OF ALL NIGHT SALOONS
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THE COUNCIL AND DISCOVER THE
MEMBERS' STAND—MAYOR IS RE-
PORTED ADVERSE TO LICENSE.**

One of the most interesting questions which will come up before the city council this afternoon is the proposed ordinance licensing saloons for "all night" privileges, as introduced by Councilman Merrill yesterday before the liquor license committee.

There is no other matter of public interest at the present time which is likely to cause more discussion or arouse a greater interest. It has been a bugaboo in the minds of the authorities for a long time, but has always been shelved without requiring any one of the officials to commit themselves one way or the other.

The friends of the measure are now so insistent upon a hearing that it looks as if the disagreeable topic could no longer be avoided. The general impression is that Mayor Williams will instantly veto the measure, even should it pass the council.

It was rumored that the liquor license committee would hold a special session last previous to the council meeting and prepare a report upon the ordinance, and this will likely be done.

H. F. VARWIG TO BE BURIED IN PORTLAND

H. F. Varwig, who died on a Southern Pacific train at Paso Robles, Cal., yesterday morning while en route to Arizona with his wife, was well known in



H. F. VARWIG.

this city through his long residence and business activity. Mr. Varwig was 40 years of age at the time of his death and came with his father to Portland in 1864, the family then leaving their old home at Sacramento, Cal., where he was born. Mr. Varwig in 1886 took a position in the First National bank, which he held until 1890, when he assumed the position of teller in Portland Savings bank, which place he held until 1895, when the institution dissolved. Since that time he has been associated with his father and brothers in the Varwig wholesale liquor house. Living relatives of Mr. Varwig are his widow, Mrs. May Varwig, two brothers, Louis and T. F. Varwig, and a sister, Miss Minnie Varwig, all of whom live in Portland.

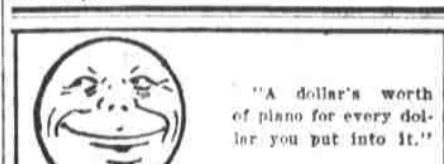
The body will reach Portland probably tomorrow.

WEDDED IN ETERNAL CITY.

Rome, Feb. 3.—The American ambassador and many members of the American colony in Rome attended the wedding today of Miss Elsie Gregory Jackson of New York, and Mr. Deming Jarvis, Mr. Jarvis is a resident of California, where he is the owner of several large ranches. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis will travel for a year or more on the Continent before returning to their home in America.

KENTUCKY REMEMBERS GOEBEL.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 3.—Today was the anniversary of the death of Governor William Goebel and in honor of his memory appropriate exercises were held by the state legislature in session here. Addresses eulogistic of the character and public deeds of the dead executive were delivered and at a further mark of respect to his memory both chambers of the assembly adjourned for the day.



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MINISTERS WIN SPOKANE FIGHT

MORAL LEAGUE SUCCEEDS IN
DRIVING AWAY INMATES OF THE
RED-LIGHT DISTRICT—PROPERTY
OWNERS WERE THE ONES AT-
TACKED IN THE GAME.

(Journal Special Service.)

Spokane, Feb. 3.—The ministers of Spokane have won their fight against the dives. The landladies have given up the contest and the women have been ordered out. Some have gone already. The red-light district presents a deserted appearance today to what it has in the years gone by. While there are a few dives occupied, the lessees have refused to take any rent, which is construed as an order to move. The dives in the Daniel and Yale blocks, as well as the two in the Coeur d'Alene building, are deserted. Those in the Main block and the Paris hallway are still occupied, but Eugene Aiken, the lessee, has refused to accept any rent.

The police can order the tenants out if they wish," said Mr. Aiken. "I am not going to bring any proceedings. I have simply refused to accept the rents from the Paris hallway and from the Main building." Despite that fact, two warrants were issued Monday afternoon for the arrest of the women who were permitted to stay in the Main block but for different days. One warrant was also issued for Maud Butler for renting dives in the Paris hallway. Attorney Simpson for the ministers stated that Aiken would be prosecuted whether he accepted rent or not. He permitted the women to stay there and ply their vocation and under the law he could be punished. There is no doubt, however, that in a day or two these last two dives would be cleaned out. There is some talk of another warrant for D. Daniel, but as he has ordered the women out of his buildings he will probably not be prosecuted further. At a meeting of the preachers' association a committee of five to act as alternates to the regular committee of five in order of the proposition of the landladies of the alley dives was selected.

Every Day in Court.

Dr. George R. Wallace made a talk to the meeting, in which it was stated that it was necessary to be represented in the police court every day, and that sometimes it was necessary for a member of the regular committee to be absent. For this reason he asked for a committee of five to act as alternates to be in the police court whenever they can, and especially when members of the regular committee were absent. He declared that the intention of the preachers to fight to a finish. By a final he explained that he meant until all the dives are done away with. The preachers have as yet taken no action in regard to a crusade against the parlor houses. The following committee of five was appointed: Rev. W. J. Allen, J. E. Deane, A. N. Smith, Rev. W. H. Fry, Dr. O. W. Van Osdel. A motion was passed to formally accept the offer of the Salvation Army and the Crittenton home to care for as many of the fallen women as wish to be reformed. The committee composed of Rev. G. W. Griffen, Rev. J. W. Allen, Rev. S. M. Ware and Dr. O. W. Van Osdel was appointed a finance committee to pay the expenses of keeping the women.

Some of the women are deaf and insane that they would not leave town but will walk the streets. Others say they have no place to go and do not know what to do. Still others declare that they will leave on the first train and thus avoid danger of arrest on the streets. Those who are willing to be reformed will be liable to arrest, as the preachers' committee says that it will resort to these means if necessary.

HOO-HOO AT ST. LOUIS.

(Journal Special Service.)

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—The second carload of big timbers for the "Hoo-Hoo" state building has reached the exposition grounds. With the timbers was the big flag-staff which will form a feature of the House of Hoo-Hoo, the structure that is being erected by the lumber interests of the United States as a rendezvous for the lumber men and others interested in the lumber trade who will visit the fair. Besides serving as a clubhouse for the lumbermen, the structure is intended to form a museum of the lumber products of the United States. While the big flag-staff comes from the state of Washington, other portions of the building will be constructed from specimens of lumber produced in Texas, Michigan, Minnesota, California, Florida, Mississippi and numerous other states.

AMERICAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

(Journal Special Service.)

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 3.—Advice received by the local committee indicate a large attendance at the annual meeting of the American Church Missionary society, which is to begin a two days' session in this city next Monday. A feature of the coming meeting will be reports of laymen's work in planting and maintaining missions in and near large cities in this country. The pressing need of missions in South America, Central America and the Antilles will also receive attention. Bishop Talbot of Pennsylvania will preside over the sessions, and among the speakers will be the president of the Presbyterian board of foreign missions, and a number of prominent missionaries recently returned from foreign fields.

LOVING CUP FOR THE MAN OF 1904

BOARD OF TRADE OFFERS A RE-
WARD FOR ITS MOST PROGRES-
SIVE CITIZEN—TWELVE NEW
MEMBERS ADMITTED AND STAND-
ING COMMITTEES NAMED.

To whom it considers the most progressive citizen during 1904, the Portland board of trade will present a loving cup, which is to be awarded according to a vote. This plan was suggested by the action of the New Orleans Progressive union, which has been presenting its hustling business men with tokens of esteem and recognition.

The regular monthly business meeting of the board was held last night and 12 new members were received. Standing committees for the present year were appointed. A communication from Portland Letter Carriers' association was received asking the support of the board in entertaining the 1905 national convention in Portland. Something like \$7,000 is needed for the purpose and the matter was referred to the committee on reception. The new members received are:

Fleischer, Mayer & Co., M. Seller & Co., the Charles F. Beebe company, Pacific Electric company, Woodard, Clarke & Co., Salem Woolen Mill store, Fred H. Strong, Brownsville Woolen Mill store, Post Special Delivery company, A. J. Campbell and J. D. Lee.

Following is the list of standing committees named:

Rivers and harbors—M. C. Banfield, C. W. Nottingham, I. L. Patterson, Tyler Woodward and D. E. Buchanan.

Ocean transportation—E. E. Lytle, T. B. Wilcox, E. B. Miller, C. F. Beebe and L. Ackerman.

River and railroad transportation—T. B. Potter, J. H. Mitchell, F. C. Barnes, Jay Smith and L. G. Clarke.

Original trade—William Gadsby, N. W. Rountree, F. Dresser, E. W. Brown and J. R. Greenfield.

Mines and mining—J. B. Hammond, J. Frank Watson, J. H. Flisk, F. J. Hard and R. Fallows.

Irrigation—C. M. Idelman, A. King Wilson, W. A. Laidlaw, J. Thorburn Ross and Phil Metcham.

Commerce—A. H. Devers, D. C. Burns, D. J. Zan, H. C. Thompson and E. H. Lauer.

Finance—B. Lee Paget, W. J. Clemens, W. H. Grindstaff, L. J. Shell and G. E. Watkins.

Street railroads and other franchises—Fred T. Merrill, Phil Holbrook, H. L. Chapin, E. M. Brannick and A. F. Campbell.

Lewis and Clark exposition—Guy Willis, B. S. Pague, A. L. Mills, Julius L. Meier and C. M. Idelman.

Advertising and printing—F. E. Beach, Wallis Nash, J. K. Gill, Lewis A. Russell, Lee M. Clark and J. L. Mitchell.

Reception and entertainment—W. E. Coman, C. J. Owen, H. W. Goode, F. M. Seller and F. D. Tull.

Manufacturing—E. H. Kilham, I. N. Fleischer, T. S. Townsend, F. Abernethy and W. A. Lee.

Legislation—W. Allen, George J. Cameron, Whitney L. Bolse, F. A. Bancroft and B. S. Pague.

Canadian Money Taken at Par.

TO OFFICER TROOPS IN WAR TIME

ADJUTANT-GENERAL FINER IN-
STRICTED BY THE WAR DEPART-
MENT AS TO NEW METHOD OF
PROVIDING LEADERS FOR THE
VOLUNTEER ARMY.

To maintain its position as one of the foremost nations of the earth, and never to be caught napping in case of war, the United States government passed an act at the last regular session of congress to promote the efficiency of the militia, and one of the principal provisions is for the examination of persons for the purpose of commissions in the volunteer service.

Brigadier-General W. E. Finer, adjutant-general of the national guard of Oregon, is in receipt of a copy of general order No. 6, issued by the war department, giving information regarding these examinations.

To avail himself of this examination the applicant must secure authorization from the war department. The order states:

"No applicant will be examined who is not a citizen of the United States or has not declared his intention to become such; who, in the judgment of the board, is not physically qualified to discharge all the duties of an officer in active service; who has any mental infirmity or deformity of body, or whose moral fitness has not been clearly established; who shall be less than 21 years of age, or who, being an applicant for commission as second lieutenant, shall be more than 39, or as lieutenant more than 45, as captain more than 40, as major more than 45, as lieutenant-colonel more than 50, or as colonel more than 55 years of age."

The board conducting the examination shall consist of five commissioned officers of the United States army, including two medical officers and a recorder. In case of applications for commission as medical officers of volunteers the board shall consist of three medical officers.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING.

(Journal Special Service.)

Madison, Wis., Feb. 3.—Nearly every county of Wisconsin is represented at the annual convention in session here of the State Agricultural society. The proceedings were opened in the assembly chamber of the capitol at 11 o'clock this morning with an address by George McKersie, president of the society. Other papers and addresses delivered during the day were as follows: "Popularizing Agricultural Education," Professor K. C. Davis, Menominee; "Mistakes We Make," L. Spaulding, River Falls; "Farm Poultry," Mrs. Adda F. Howie, Elm Grove; "The Cow That Does Not Pay," D. B. Foster, Fairchild. The proceedings will continue through tomorrow. In addition to the sessions of the State Agricultural society proper there will be meetings of the Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association, Wisconsin Beekeepers' society, and the Short Course Agricultural College Alumni association.

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THERE'LL BE MUSIC AT THE JUBILEE

ANARCHISTS' FOE
LAUDS PORTLAND

JOHN HINCKLIFF, FORMER MAYOR
OF PATTERSON, N. J., TELLS HOW
HE DROVE OUT THE REBS—
"HE SHOULD LIKE TO LIVE HERE,"
HE SAYS.

John Hinckliff, ex-mayor of Patterson, N. J., who drove the anarchists out of his city, is spending a few days in Portland with his friend, Charles Sweeney of Spokane. Mr. Hinckliff will leave this evening for Spokane, where he is mining interests. Mr. Hinckliff looks the picture of the successful business man. For years he has been identified with prominent interests in Patterson and has achieved success. In politics he is considered the strongest Democrat in his native city, holding the office of mayor for seven years, only retiring on the first of the present year. While not engaged in state politics to any degree, his counsels are always sought, and his power is felt throughout the entire commonwealth.

In speaking of the Northwest Mr. Hinckliff grew enthusiastic.

"It is a slice of heaven," said he, "and I love to visit this country. The advantages in climate, freedom, opportunities and natural attractions make Portland and this entire valley the ideal spot of this continent. I would like very much if convenient to live out here all the time."

"While the natural beauty of the Northwest is alluring, there is another reason why I love to come here, and that is to see my old-time chum, Mr. Sweeney. We grew up together in Patterson and attended the same school. When the war broke out Sweeney left school and went to the front, being only 15 years old. Afterwards he drifted westward and became interested in mining in California. He soon made friends with the prominent mining men of the golden state and on expanding his interests took him to Virginia City, Portland, Spokane and all through the great mining belt. At present he is president of the Federal Mining company. We meet here for a few days when I come West and review the friendships of youth."

"I read this morning of the death of ex-Secretary of the Navy Whitney and deep regret, as I had known him and always admired his splendid manhood and great business ability. He was a Democrat through and through."

Regarding the driving out of the anarchists the ex-mayor said: "On account of the closeness of Patterson to New York City, these men, after being

driven from the metropolis, found Patterson a suitable place for the fostering and spreading of their creed. After the riot in June, 1902, I suspended the chief of police and set the entire department hot after the anarchists, with orders to drive them out, and in a few days they had disappeared entirely from our city. The task was not very difficult, as the police worked quickly and quietly and gave them a great rounding up."

BIDS FOR DREDGES OPENED BY ENGINEER

Bids on two dredges were opened at 1 o'clock this afternoon by the United States engineer. The bids follow:

For the dredge on the Willamette, Joseph Paquet, Joseph Supple and Portland Shipbuilding company.

For the dredge on the Snake river and for propelling machinery, Willamette Iron & Steel Works, Smith & Watson and the Columbia Engineering Works.

With each of the bids are several stipulations, and it will require several days of figuring to determine which bid is the lowest.

WARNING SIGNALS UP; HEAVY STORMS AT SEA

Matters seem to be shaping themselves so as to bring a big storm off the coast. At 7 o'clock this morning District Forecaster Bemis ordered storm warning signals displayed at the mouth of the Columbia river and at the entrance of Juan de Fuca strait. The velocity of the wind is only about 35 miles an hour, but the weather men says there is no doubt that heavy storms are raging at sea. He reports that all indications go to show it, hence warnings were ordered up.

RETURNED FROM TRIP.

W. R. Apperson, local business agent of the United Brotherhood of Railway Employees and organizer for the American Labor union, has returned from an extended trip up the Willamette valley.

He visited all the larger towns and held meetings, which he reports were well attended. He says, however, that this is the dull season, and the interest in being shown in labor affairs that will be later on.

Save and Get Rich.

My dear lady, don't pay out all your money for medicine. If you have any internal trouble get a Natural Body Brace at Clemenson's drug store, corner Second and Yamhill streets, Portland, Ore. It costs you only \$5, lasts four to five years, and is sold on 30 days' free trial, if not satisfactory.