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ROSE FIENDS RELIC.

Another Attempt is Made to Poison the Family of Isaac Smith.

COWARDLY REVENGE PURSUED.

Reported That Carlisle has Agreed to Stand for Sec. of the Treasury.

WITH A WHOOPING BIG "IF" IN IT.

To Corroborate Which Cleve Refuses to be Interviewed by The Ubiquitous Reporter.

A South Bend dispatch of Saturday states that the North river farming community in Pacific county, Wash., is greatly excited over a supposed attempt to murder an old settler and his family by poisoning. Isaac Smith is one of the pioneers of southwestern Washington, having come to that neighborhood with his father in 1854. He is well known and highly respected throughout Pacific and Chehalis counties. At the time of the Fredricksen murders in 1890, he was a leading figure in the chase for the criminals, which led up to the killing of John Rose and his confederate, Edwards, in Oysterville jail. Since then, he has received several anonymous letters, threatening vengeance for the part he took in that case. It is claimed that at various times his well and the family food have been poisoned, the attempts being discovered before serious consequences ensued. The first of this week Mr. Smith and the large family were taken ill with gripping dysentery. The ordinary household remedies proved of no avail, and the condition of the patients became worse from day to day. Mrs. Smith and youngest child are dangerously sick. Dr. W. Grunell, of South Bend, now in attendance at the house, is of the opinion that a mineral poison has been taken by the family in their food. He thinks it was corrosive sublimate, but was summoned too late to be able to determine with certainty.

Interviewers Frattle.

Before leaving Washington for Kentucky, Mr. Carlisle mailed Mr. Cleveland a letter accepting the secretaryship of the treasury. It is said that Mr. Carlisle accepted the portfolio on condition that he should have the solid support of the administration in his candidacy for the presidential nomination in 1896. Mr. Carlisle is said to have received the assurance of good will from Tammany. He strongly favored Mr. Murphy for senator, and urged Mr. Cleveland not to oppose the latter's candidacy. Mr. Carlisle will have a consultation with Cleveland in New York next week. President-elect Cleveland refused to be interviewed on the subject at Lakewood, N. J., and sent word that he had nothing to say regarding the story that Carlisle had written him a letter accepting the treasury portfolio on condition that the administration would support him for the presidency in 1896.

Dan. Lamont Again.

It may be said now that it was definitely settled yesterday, before Mr. Cleveland went to Lakewood, that Daniel S. Lamont had concluded to accept the responsible and honorable post of private secretary to the president-elect.

Blown Out of Her Course.

PANAMA, Jan. 14.—The captain of the Spanish sloop Juana, which arrived at Colon, says he encountered a terrible hurricane in the Caribbean sea. The Juana was blown out of her course. During the voyage eight of the crew were swept overboard and perished.

Where the Stealings Went.

The London Times correspondent in Paris says that M. Flory, at Wednesday's examination, estimated the Panama canal company's receipts at 1,444,000,000 francs, of which 199,000,000 were swallowed up by expenses of management; 245,000,000 by interest on the coupons and 550,000,000 by canal operations. Of the last mentioned sum, 107,000,000 went directly to workmen and 443,000,000 to contractors. Four contractors made a profit of 77,000,000, M. Eiffel's share being 33,000,000, or deducting his payments to others, 20,000,000.

Three cases of smallpox are reported to the health officer in San Francisco from a house on Howard near Twentieth street. They are Will, Henry and George Ramensburg, aged fifteen, seven and three years respectively.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES.

Senator Stanford has again been compelled to contradict a senseless report concerning his senatorial standing. This last report was to the effect that he had decided to resign, though his term will not be out for two years. This he emphatically denies.

Senator Allen is confident of re-election. Forty-five out of the fifty-seven necessary for a majority on joint ballot have already signed the caucus call. By time the caucus is held this evening, it is expected that more than enough signatures will have been obtained to render a deadlock impossible.

Arthur Johnson, seventy-three years old, and a graduate of Yale, is dying in the Kent county, Michigan poorhouse. He speaks several languages and has been a professor in two colleges. In the booming days of Montana he went there and acquired \$500,000. Bad mining speculations ruined him.

On the silver question Senator Sherman says: "It is as well known as anything can be that a large majority of the republican senators, including myself, are decidedly in favor of a repeal or suspension of the purchase of silver bullion. They are ready today, tomorrow, or at any moment to vote for such a repeal. It is equally well known that not more than one-fourth or one-fifth of the democratic senators favor such a repeal, they will resort to extreme measures to prevent it. They are openly pronounced for the free coinage of silver or a continuance of the existing laws. The pretense made that the republican senators would sacrifice the public interests for a more political scheme is without foundation, and I feel like denouncing it. If the democratic party will furnish a contingent of 10 senators in support of a repeal of the silver act of 1890, it will pass the senate within 10 days. As for Bayard, he stands where he has always stood on financial questions, substantially right, but acting with a party wrong on such questions."

Open the Willamette Locks.

Salem Journal. The republicans of this legislature can score a ten strike by taking up as a party question the opening of the locks of the Willamette to the free use of the people, or at least to such use as will merely pay for operating expenses. It is wrong to leave the gates of the great river of this great valley in the hands of a private corporation as a toll-gatherer. Already Senator Raley has taken the portage railway bill in hand, and if he succeeds in passing that measure will claim it as a democratic victory in behalf of the people. Gov. Penneyer shows how the state will lose all its rights over the locks of the Willamette unless they are exercised now. Will the republican leaders in both houses sit idly by and allow their opponents to steal their political thunder and make party capital by promoting these popular measures that appeal to the favor of the producing masses? It is the duty of the majority in power in the legislature to give the people the second portage at the Columbia, as it gave the first, and to open the locks and canal at Oregon city in the name of the state and on behalf of the people of Oregon.

A Remarkable Literary Announcement.

Doubtless the most surprising, and perhaps the most important, literary announcement ever made to American book-buyers is Alden's edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica, for \$20. It is the genuine, unabridged, cloth-bound work, in large type, including over 20,500 pages and more than 10,000 illustrations, and 200 maps. The full set is now ready for delivery. And even this is not all: "If you can't spare \$20 at one time, by paying only \$1 extra you may, through the Encyclopedia Britannica Cooperative Club, get the work on instalment payments of only five cents a day. Surely, these most extraordinary terms ought to place this greatest of encyclopedias (a library in itself means something when applied to it) in every home. You can get specimen pages, with full particulars, free, or a 128-page Catalogue of choice books in every department of literature, besides, for a 2-cent stamp, by addressing JOHN B. ALDER, Publisher, 57 Rose St., New York.

Worsley Not the Man.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE BURNING TOPIC.

Portland as Advertised and Portland as Assessed.

THE OLD SUBJECT IN A NEW DRESS

Assessor Sears Report Compared With the Oregonian.

HOW MILLIONS ESCAPE TAXATION.

Why it is That the Chamber of Commerce of Raising Such a Dust About Indebtedness.

From the Hillsboro Independent.]

In one of the comics recently received appears a pictured scene within a newspaper den where the editor is surrounded by great piles of exchanges and his table littered with the appliances of his calling, while he himself is half buried in the ample pages of a great daily. Before him stands a well-dressed stranger who has just entered the sanctum and asks "What is your circulation?" The editor looks up with an uncertain air to reply, "Are you an advertiser or the tax assessor?" This picture has a point when the annual report of Portland business, as appears in the Oregonian of January 2nd, is read in connection with the report of County Assessor Sears made a few weeks earlier.

The Oregonian is advertiser on January 2nd, when it gives the increase for 1892 of bank resources at \$5,000,000. The value of new buildings for the year is put at \$7,500,000. Thus in two matters the increase of property in the city of Portland is over \$12,000,000. The assessor could find an increase over the valuation of 1891 of \$744,825 only. Verily the stranger in the picture is an advertiser. Again, in further comparison, two industries are noted. Banking resources are placed at \$30,000,000. The amount invested in manufacturing enterprises is reported to be \$30,000,000, together \$60,000,000. Notice the property left out in this compilation.

All real estate except that occupied by banking and manufacturing institution, all residence property, the great brick blocks, the immense merchandise stocks, the notes and book accounts held by the merchants and business men, the railroad, telegraph and telephone lines centering there, yet the assessor could find in the whole county only \$42,552,510. One fortune alone within the past few days, that of W. S. Ladd, has been counted at \$18,000,000. It is a low estimate to name \$160,000,000 as the wealth of the city of Portland, while the remainder of the county will swell this valuation to \$200,000,000, yet the assessor could find only \$63,834,474 gross.

Thus more than one hundred millions escape taxation. The chamber of commerce is raising a great dust about deduction of indebtedness amounting to \$20,788,056, the utmost limit, and the mortgage tax law. It is that old cry of stop thief. Portland, advertiser, is a great wealthy city, prosperous beyond its neighbors. Portland, assessed, is a cluster of hovels in rags, dirt and filth. Its few who have money for hire are men of no business capacity and loan their little surplus on second mortgages and on insufficient securities that are worth, according to Lowndes, representative burgher, but fifty cents on the dollar. The picture of the editor and the caller is real.

Will Chase the Rabbits.

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 16.—A great many sportsmen have arrived to take part in the field trials that commence today. The number of entries are the largest ever made in the history of the club. All the dogs have been brought in and were photographed.

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