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DALLES ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER No. 5.—Meets in Masonic Hall the third Wednesday of each month at 7 P. M.

MODERN WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—Mt. Hood Camp No. 59, Meets Tuesday evening of each week in Fraternity Hall, at 7:30 p. m.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 5, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in K. of P. Hall, corner Second and Court streets. Sojourning members are cordially invited. H. CLOUGH, Sec'y. H. A. BILLS, N. G.

FRIENDSHIP LODGE, No. 8, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Schanno's building, corner of Court and Second streets. Sojourning members are cordially invited. W. S. CHAM, Sec'y. D. W. VAUSE, K. of R. and S. C. C.

ASSEMBLY NO. 427, K. OF L.—Meets in K. of P. Hall the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION will meet every Friday afternoon at 8 o'clock at the reading room. All are invited.

Harmon Lodge No. 501, I. O. G. T.—Regular weekly meetings Monday at 7:30 P. M., at Fraternity Hall. All are invited.

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 3, A. O. U. W.—Meets in Fraternity Hall, over Kellers, on Second street, Thursday evenings at 7:30.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. W. C. Curtis, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School after morning service. Strangers cordially invited. Seats free.

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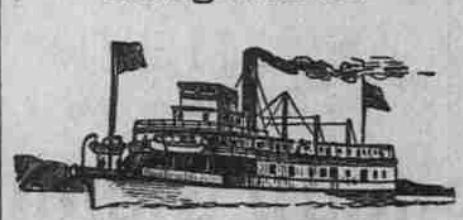
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## BEHRING SEA COURT

Tribunal of Arbitration Resumes Its Session.

### MR. CARTER ON PELAGIC RIGHTS

An Animated Discussion Results in the Decision to Argue Rights and Regulations Separately.

PARIS, May 2.—The Behring sea tribunal of arbitration resumed its session today. J. C. Carter, of counsel for the United States, maintained that the rights of the United States in Behring sea were absolutely unqualified. He argued again that the United States government was justified in protecting its rights in these waters in times of peace as at any other time, and he claimed the United States had a right to seize vessels caught in pelagic sealing.

#### THE FINISHING TOUCHES.

World's Fair Workmen Are Again Busy at Work.

CHICAGO, May 2.—Work on the unfinished portion of the world's fair was resumed this morning, and thousands of men were soon busy putting the finishing touches on the great show while other thousands were at work putting the exhibits in place. Teams loaded with wondrous from the four quarters of the earth passed here and there among the buildings, and locomotives with loaded trains puffed and steamed through the grounds. In the midst of all, throngs of sightseers strolled through the grounds, mostly engaged in getting an idea of the architectural splendors of the exposition, which so far as outward appearances go are complete. This alone is more than can be accomplished in a single day. The immensity of the work grew on the spectators as they moved from point to point and found the amount of exertion necessary to merely walk around the structures. The mere sight of them does not afford a fair gauge of their size, because all are so large that nothing of ordinary dimensions is in sight to furnish a standard of measurement.

#### The Cuban Scare.

MADRID, May 2.—A deputation of Cuban senators and deputies, including several autonomists, waited upon Maura, minister of colonies, today to protest against the Cuban revolt. The minister, replying, assured them that the government would not hesitate to make any sacrifice to maintain Spanish rule in Cuba, but that unless the situation became worse he considered the colonial army strong enough to conquer the rebels. Reinforcements, however, were in readiness to depart on the first intimation from the captain-general of Cuba that their assistance was required.

#### Bids Opened on Gold Bonds.

OREGON CITY, Or., May 2.—Bids have been opened for the issuance of \$20,000 gold bonds for the funding of the floating debt of the city for 20 years at 8 per cent. Four bids were received from the following firms: E. C. Jones & Co., New York, \$17,500; H. C. Burkhard, Oregon City, \$20,000, less \$2000 commission; Schletzer & Co., Toledo, O., \$20,000, less 6 per cent.; De Van & Rutledge, Los Angeles, par and accrued interest on the full amount.

#### Swarms of Emigrants Coming.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Steerage passengers on all steamships leaving all foreign ports on and after May 8 will be subjected to the new system of questions on their arrival, and will come under the control of the new board of inspectors. To forestall this, many have already taken passage, and they will be here in swarms next week. Ten thousand Italians left Marseilles on 11 steamships which have just sailed from that port, the Belgravia bringing 1,400. There are 1,300 more bound from Bremen. There is an emigration from other ports equally as large.

#### Crop-Weather Bulletin.

#### WESTERN OREGON.

There were several days of bright, warm weather the past week and the mean temperature 48 to 51 degrees. The total rainfall has been less than one-half an inch, except at Ashland, where 0.84 of an inch fell.

#### CROPS, ETC.

The ground is thoroughly saturated, and on the low lands it continues to be too wet to be worked. Some damage has been done to the peach bloom by the continued cool, wet weather; but the prevailing opinion is that there will be a large fruit crop. The major portion of the spring seeding is done. Wheat is rooting and stooling most sat-

isfactorily. The grass is growing much better than any other vegetation. Hops in Linn, Marion and Clackamas counties are from 1 to 4 feet high and almost ready to tie. The hop acreage has generally been increased. The hop lice have appeared at Needy, Clackamas county.

The lambing season is about over, and has been fairly successful. The wool will be extra good, being remarkably clean and of good staple.

#### EASTERN OREGON.

Weather: There has been an improvement in the weather conditions during the past week; but it still remains cool, cloudy and backward. Very heavy rain fell in Sherman and Wasco counties on the 26th and 27th. The season has been very wet and cold. Snow fell in Klamath county on April 23d, 24th and 27th. The precipitation for the past week ranged from 0.10 to 0.30 of an inch. Heavy frosts occurred on the 28th, but no damage is reported from it.

#### CROPS, ETC.

The ground is thoroughly soaked and is in good condition for spring work. Spring plowing and seeding has been almost completed and the acreage is generally increased. Within the next ten days all spring seeding will be done. In those sections where the fall sown wheat was supposed to have been badly frozen out during the past winter, it is now found that a very good crop will be had. The grass is obtaining good growth and stock is improving. The lambing season is about over, and while full reports are not at hand, sufficient is known to say that 85 per cent of the lambs have been saved. The rains have kept the wool clean, so that the clip will be one of the finest and best on record.

The cool weather has been detrimental to the peach crop. Peaches, pears and apricots are generally in full bloom close to the Columbia river. South and east of the Blue Mountains no bloom is yet to be seen.

The present atmospheric conditions do not indicate an immediate clearing of the weather, though warmer weather with fewer showers may be expected and these conditions will be much more favorable than a sudden warm dry spell. More sunshine would be of great benefit to the vegetation.

#### Republicans Capture Spokane.

Spokane, Wash., May 2.—The election here today for mayor, comptroller, treasurer, assessor, city attorney and five members of the council, resulted in an overwhelming victory for the republicans on all city officers.

#### READY TO ABDICATE.

Francis Joseph Willing to Resign His Famous Throne.

A Good Emperor Whose Life Has Been a Succession of Personal Sorrows—Popular with the People of Eighteen States.

Rumors come to us every day of the expected abdication of Francis Joseph, emperor of Austria, king of Hungary and Bohemia, ruler indeed of eighteen European states. The emperor has no son to succeed him, and according to the Salic law none of his daughters, no woman in fact, can inherit the Austrian crown.

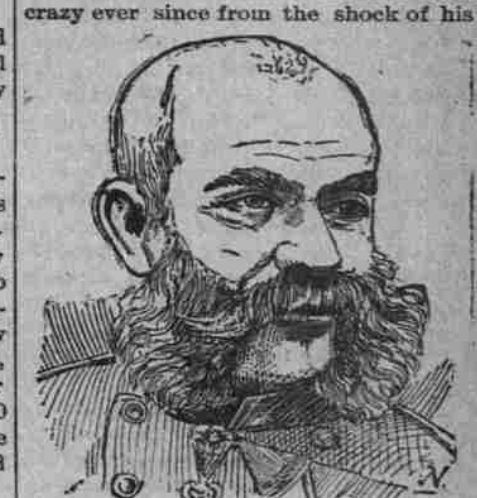
It was on December 2, 1843, a year in which all Europe was astir with new ideas, that the old emperor of Austria, Ferdinand I., finding himself unable to cope with the troubles of his kingdom, abdicated in favor of his young nephew, this very Francis Joseph, who now talks of doing the same thing himself.

Francis Joseph in those days was very young, having been born on August 18, 1830; he had therefore passed his eighteenth birthday but a few months before. The times were full of trouble, too, for the rulers of Austria. The old emperor and his family had all been driven from Vienna by an infuriated people who had risen in rebellion and demanded a constitution to replace the autocratic government under which they had lived so long. Then there was Hungary in revolt, with the patriot Louis Kossuth, who is living yet, now an old, old man, leading the people, as they, too, demanded freedom of government. Indeed, so many troubles beset the young emperor on every side that the wise old men of all Europe shook their heads as they watched him.

To-day, however, says the New York

World, Francis Joseph is one of the most powerful as well as the best-loved sovereigns of Europe.

Personal sorrows have followed him thick and fast all these years. His brother was Emperor Maximilian of Mexico, who was cruelly betrayed and murdered and whose wife has been crazy ever since from the shock of his



FRANCIS JOSEPH, EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA.

death. And Crown Prince Rudolph, who died a few years ago, was his son. And now the empress, they say, is losing her mind, as so many of the Bavarian royalties have done.

She, this Empress Elizabeth, was the most beautiful woman in all Europe, the people said. She is a wonderful horsewoman, and more than any court splendor she loves a gallop on some high-spirited steed over the wildest country roads. She used to love the circus as much as any of you, and some of the famous woman circus riders she has made her friends. She and the emperor have always loved each other, and when a great deal of trouble once came to them both he said: "How much I owe to these days of bitterness to my dearly beloved wife, the empress, and what a great support she has been to me I cannot describe. How can I be sufficiently thankful that such a helpmeet has been given me? Tell this to every one. The more you spread it, the more will I thank you."

#### DUFUR DOINGS.

Seven Young Coyotes Captured in a Field While Plowing.

The town has been very quiet for several days.

E. C. Warren is our city marshal, but as yet has made no arrests.

A. J. Brigham has gone to Portland on business for the S. B. Co.

The picnic and dance on Friday will be at Dufur's grove and will be largely attended.

C. P. Balch is preparing to improve his store with new shelving and fixtures and enlarge his stock.

Grain is looking fine and prospects bid fair for good crops this fall with the help of some rain in June.

Dr. L. Vanderpool went to Prineville Friday to attend court. He was accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Vanderpool and Mrs. Mary Thomas.

Mr. E. C. Warren returned home from the Warm Spring agency. He took out a load of flour from the Dufur mills. He says roads are very bad on Mutton mountain.

Our friend C. B. B. was father of the hen ordinance and the marshal found him to be the first man napping and made him go out in a drenching rain and coop up his fat fowls, subject to arrest if not obeyed by the town authorities.

Last Sunday the small boys were much amused over a band of young coyotes captured near here. While engaged in plowing on Mr. Dufur's farm some men discovered a den of them. Mr. John Staats and one or two others dug them out of their retreat and succeeded in capturing seven young ones about the size of a cat.

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