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POWERLESS TO ACT

Alger's Reply to the Klondyke Relief Committee.

NEEDS AUTHORITY OF CONGRESS

If an Appropriation is Made, the Department will Co-operate with the Portland Committee.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—While in this city today to visit his son, who is a Harvard student, Secretary of War Alger was seen in regard to the matter of the request of the merchants of Portland, Or., and the chamber of commerce of that city, asking his official assistance in sending supplies to the Klondike, through the co-operation of the war department. Secretary Alger stated that his department is waiting to get a report on the matter from Captain Ray. When last heard from Ray was at Fort Yukon, and was going to Dawson City. The secretary has ordered reindeer to St. Michaels, hoping there are stores of supplies there. He added:

"We should have a report soon. Until that comes I cannot do anything, as I will not know the true condition of affairs and cannot tell just what it is best to do."

"In the matter of the request of the Portland chamber of commerce, I have no authority to act in such a case. Congress is the only body that can place the forces of our departments at their disposal for such a thing. If it was anything in the way of army transportation if we had troops there I could act on my own responsibility. As a citizen I will do all I can, but officially I can do nothing without the authorization of congress."

Alger to Mason.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Secretary Alger today sent to W. S. Mason, president of the chamber of commerce of Portland, Oregon, the following telegram concerning the reported destitution in Alaska.

"Your dispatch of the 4th, concerning Alaska sufferers received. Nothing can be done by the department without congressional authority. But I suggest that you get all the particulars, and the department will also get what facts it can, and you may submit a plan for relief. You may be sure of active co-operation as soon as congress makes an appropriation, which, if found necessary will be urged."

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of croup. Mr. Johnson says he is sure that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros., of that place, and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to select from, and skilled physicians to answer to his call, but selected this remedy for use, in his own home at a time when his boy's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of the croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton.

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OREGON CITY, Nov. 6.—Some time last night the safe in the store of Ely Bros., in the Shively block, was blown open and about \$50 in money and a note for \$55.73 taken therefrom. Entrance to the store was effected by prying out staples that held the padlock fastenings. Three holes were drilled through the outside of the safe door, in only one of which explosives could be introduced. The door was wrecked by the explosion. The money till was rifled, but the thieves overlooked a pocketbook containing \$160 that had been placed over the account books. The note was signed by George Fehler and Max Schulpins, and was dated November 4th.

The freight house of the East Side Railway Company, in this city, was also broken into last night. A pane of glass was broken in a window near the door, and through the break the spring lock inside was unfastened. There happened to be no goods there that the thieves could handle to advantage, and nothing was missed from the place.

A man giving the name of Ryan was arrested in Portland last night on suspicion that he is one of the men wanted for the Oregon City burglaries. The sheriff of Clackamas county was in the city yesterday, and left the description of Ryan, for whom a warrant has been issued in Oregon City, charging him with burglary. On the description detectives located him in a Third street saloon. He will be taken to Oregon City today.

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A Terrific Explosion.

NEW MARTINSVILLE, Va. Nov. 6.—At Pine Fork today, Wm. Conn, of Cuba N. Y., drove to the nitroglycerine magazine with a two-horse wagon to get twelve gallons of nitroglycerine to super-saturate some oil wells over which he has supervision. While he was inside another two-horse wagon with two men in it, who have not been identified, drove up.

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CONGRESSMAN ELLIS ON SILVER

Says He Would Vote Against Bill For Free Coinage by the United States Alone.

BAKER CITY, Or., Nov. 6.—Congressman Ellis arrived here yesterday, and after spending the day pleasantly with friends, returned to his home in Heppner, on this afternoon's train.

During an interview with an Oregonian correspondent, he was requested to define his position on the silver question. In his reply he stated that in this, as well as all, other questions connected with national legislation, he is guided solely by the last republican platform, enunciated in St. Louis in June, 1896.

It was then suggested to Mr. Ellis that among the mass of voters there may be many who, while staunch republicans, may not have read that platform. Mr. Ellis said:

"In order that there may be no doubt as to my construction of it, you can say for me, that if an attempt should be made to pass a bill in congress, advocating the free and unlimited coinage of silver by the United States alone, I shall most decidedly vote against it. This is the purpose and intent of the platform, and I shall live up to it in every particular. I am frank enough to admit that there was a time when I entertained different views, but that time has passed."

Mr. Ellis also expressed the opinion that, owing to the daily increasing prosperity among the people of the United States, and the superior tact and business ability displayed by President McKinley, the voters of this country were rapidly becoming more disposed to leave the solution of the financial problems to the present administration, and the silver question, as a political factor, does not occupy the important position which it did during the last campaign.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

LUCAS COUNTY.

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Shot Twice at Close Range.

COLFAX, Wash., Nov. 6.—Cy Heatherly a farmer, shot Dan Downs twice at close range today, one bullet going through his right ear and the other lodging in his left arm. The men were standing on main street at the time. Had not both bullets struck Downs, some innocent party would undoubtedly have been shot, as the street was crowded with men, women and children. The men had been quarreling. Downs was beastly drunk and accused Heatherly of talking about him. Heatherly tried to avoid him and borrowed a revolver.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon for Wasco County.

The Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Oregon, Plaintiff,

vs.

Thomas J. Bulger and — Bulger, his wife, whose given name is unknown to plaintiff; D. L. Cates, George Gardiner and Fannie E. Gardiner, Defendants.

To Thomas J. Bulger, — Bulger, whose given name is unknown to plaintiff, George Gardiner and Fannie E. Gardiner, defendants: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action, on or before the first day of the term of the above entitled court following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before the 8th day of November, 1897, that being the first day of the next regular term of said court, and if you fail to so appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the judgment prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: For the condemnation and appropriation for a right-of-way for a railroad of a strip of land one hundred feet wide over and across the following described lands: Commencing at a point 1190 feet north from the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section six, township two north, range eight east, in Wasco county, Oregon, thence north 70 feet to a point; thence north 56 degrees 34 minutes east, 250 feet to a point in the north boundary of the right-of-way of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, now Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company's right-of-way; thence southwesterly along said north boundary of said right-of-way to the place of beginning, containing 2.300 acres. Also another tract of land situated in said section six, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the south boundary of the right-of-way of the said Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company, which point is 1175 feet north and 250 feet east of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section six, township two north, range eight east; thence north 56 degrees and 34 minutes east, 515 feet to a point on the south boundary of the said right-of-way; thence on a curve to the left with and along the said boundary of said right-of-way in a westerly course to the place of beginning, containing 2.300 acres; and land to be used for the re-location of the railway of said plaintiff's across said premises as provided by section 8241, Hill's Annotated Laws of the State of Oregon. And plaintiff will also take judgment for its costs and disbursements in this action.

This summons is served upon the defendants above named by publication thereof in THE DALLES CHRONICLE by order of Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Oregon, made at chambers in Dalles City, Oregon, this 25th day of September, 1897.

W. W. COTTON,

J. M. LONG and

W. H. WILSON,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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