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PERSONAL MENTION

T. H. Greer of Antelope is in the city.

S. G. Dorris is down from Wasco today.

Mrs. A. K. Dufar of Dufar is in the city today.

Duff McCarty is a visitor in the city from Antelope.

Mrs. Truman Butler returned last evening from a short visit in Portland.

Rue Newland was among the passengers for Portland on the Regulator today.

A. J. Dufar of Dufar is in this city on his way to Portland to visit his family who reside in that city at present.

Mrs. Chas. Stubling was a passenger for Portland this morning. She will return on the 5:20 train this evening.

Frank Coleman of Gervais, Marion county, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned to his home on the Regulator this morning.

Omar Nathanael, son of Engene and Mary Pratt, died at Wasco, Wasco Co., Oregon, February 13, 1898, aged 4 years, 8 months, and 13 days, after a painful illness of twenty-four days.

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles undelivered for February 18, 1898. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

- Aberdeen, J T Allen, David Alary, Monsure Roch Bland, Mr Chas Bowles, Mr Sam Campbell, M V Cocks, Fred I Dean Mrs Isabella 2) Edgerly, Mr James Frover, H D Gardiner, Senorita Goss, J N T Jones, Mr Ed Kohler, Charles Kelley, Mr James Larisch, F A Langblin, Miss Lizzie Lister, Miss Kate McDonald, Millie McCoy, Mr Jim McCowan, Jo'nie Mildred, Rev S M Miller, J H Monehan, Mr Sam Pearson, Mr Andy Pierce, Mr Roy Ra, Welch Mc Rice, Mr Walter Robertson, Mrs Joe Spicinger, Mrs M J Thomas, Mrs J L Tay, Joseph L J. A. CROSSEN.

Through Tourist Cars to St. Louis.

A tourist sleeping car will leave Portland every Monday via Missouri Pacific and every Wednesday via the Burlington route at 8 p. m.; and The Dalles at 11:45 p. m. via the O. R. & N., through Salt Lake and Denver, without change to St. Louis, and under the supervision of experienced conductors. No change of cars to Kansas City or St. Louis.

Keep this service in mind when going East and consult O. R. & N. agents or address W. H. HURLBURT, Gen. Passgr. Agt., Portland, Or.

A CALL.

The Wasco County Republican Central Committee will meet at the court house in The Dalles, Saturday, Feb. 19, 1898, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of issuing a call, appointing delegates, and making all necessary arrangements for holding the primaries and Republican county convention. A full attendance is desired. J. M. PATTERSON, Chairman, February 8, 1898.

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Heraldry.

In all civilized foreign nations the knowledge of heraldry is considered by many an important element in higher refinement and culture; in earlier days, according to Thackeray, it "formed part of the education of most noble ladies and gentlemen." In architecture, literature and the fine arts, heraldry is a powerful adjunct and the correct application of its rules is just as surely required as other detail of such work. Even trifling attention to the rudimentary laws of this great science might have prevented many blunders, unfortunately but too indelibly recorded through the indifference or ignorance of architects, authors and artists. This, alas, is especially the case in America, and the necessity for some law and order has become apparent. That we have had a recognized heraldry almost from the date of the country's settlement cannot be denied; and, though its precepts have long been disobeyed, the time has arrived when people begin to recognize this fact and seek instruction upon the subject.—Eugene Zieber, in Lippincott's.

Cleaning Tobacco Pipes.

There are so many smokers in the world that any new recipe for cleaning pipes is sure to find readers. The Mexican gypsy has a simple way. Filling the pipe bowl with agudiente, he stirs the liquid until it is thick with the reeking nicotine, and then throws the devil's broth down his throat, with a smack of the lips that tells of supreme gusto. This is economical, but not so desirable to people who are not Mexican gypsies as the following, which was sent to a leading journal, "not as a scientific discovery," but because it might be "of use to those scientific men who are smokers." "A shallow cork—or, still better, a rubber stopper—through which a hole is bored large enough to enable it to fit tightly on to the nozzle of a soda water siphon, is fitted into the bowl. The nozzle is inserted, the mouthpiece directed into a vessel, about a wineglass of soda forced through, and the pipe is clean."

ROUND ABOUT ENGLAND.

Two thousand Latter Day Saints missionaries are said to be in England just now.

Mosquitoes have appeared this season in England. It is supposed they made their way across the Atlantic in a cargo of lumber.

Only 11 per cent. of the larger and five per cent. of the smaller English gold coins bear an earlier date than 1870.

The clean appearance of British coins is always a delight to a foreigner. This is true as well of Canadian coins.

The number of unmuzzled dogs seized in the streets of London between February 17 and June 13 were 20,942, and of those 4,962 were claimed at the police stations. The number of cases of rabies from the beginning of January to June 18 was 106.

Hedingham castle, the Essex stronghold of the earls of Oxford, and pronounced to be the finest Norman keep in the world, is in the market and will shortly be put up at auction in a London salesroom. Here Queen Matilda is generally believed to have died, and Henry VIII.'s visit to the property is well known in history.

FOREIGN PICKINGS.

Brussels contains a clock which is wound up by the wind, and never by human hands.

Soil was brought up from the depth of 326 feet, from a coal mine in Belgium, and from it sprouted weeds of a species unknown to the botanists.

Foreign Jews without distinction of calling will be admitted into Russia until further notice, after having their passports viced by Russian consuls.

A Buda-Pesth journal notes the fact that 32,000 season tickets were sold for the millennium exposition in that city, while at the last Paris exposition only 19,000 were sold.

The citizens of Weisbaden intend to buy the neighboring hunting seat of Platte and present it to the German emperor, who recently expressed great admiration of the forests that clothe the Taunus mountains, and intimated a desire to spend some time there every year.

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In a recent letter from Washington, D. C., to an old friend, Major, G. A. Studer, for twenty years United States Consul at Singapore, says: "While at Des Moines I became acquainted with a liniment known as Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I found excellent against rheumatism as well as against soreness of the throat and chest (giving me much easier breathing. I had a touch of pneumonia early this week, and two applications freely applied to the throat and chest relieved me of it at once. I would not be without it for anything." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

At a meeting of the executive committee held at the G. A. R. hall on Saturday evening last, it was deemed advisable that all the committees on the encampment be called together. The members of the different committees are therefore hereby requested to meet at the G. A. R. hall in Schanno's building, corner of Second and Court streets, on Saturday evening, February 19th, at 7 o'clock. J. W. Lewis, Chair. Ex. Com.

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INDIAN ENGLISH. How the Red Man Expresses Himself in Our Tongue. A Militiaman's Observations on the Peculiar Speech of the Western Indians—Some Queer Constructions.

Lieut. Grote Hutcheson, aid-de-camp to Gen. Coppinger, is in receipt of a highly interesting letter from one of his brother officers now in camp at Fort Hall agency, Idaho, the home of the Indians who were mixed up in the recent Jackson's Hole trouble. The letter is interesting because it has nothing to say of Jackson's Hole, which is a relief. Instead, it deals largely with conditions at Fort Hall from the standpoint of a student of ethnology.

"I am taken," says the writer, whose name Lieut. Hutcheson does not feel at liberty to mention, "with the speech of the Indians in their communications with the whites. Having little to occupy time, I have bothered to look into the origin of the kind of language which I hear used by Indians and traders in their talk with one another. It suggests the slang of the Bowery, being a purely artificial adjunct to both the Indian and the English language. It suggests, too, the baby talk of young mothers, who insist on placing verbs where nouns should be, and who prefer mixing up their first, second and third persons to taking them straight. For instance, there is the word 'mebbe.' At first I thought this to be a sort of corruption of may be, meaning perhaps, or used in a doubting way. This is not true. The Indian and the white in conversation use 'mebbe' as an affirmative. 'Mebbe get wagon' is the strongest way of declaring that you will get a wagon. 'You eat mebbe' brings delight to the Indian, for that is a promise of giving him food, a promise which may by no means be evaded. A white man, too, in conversing with an Indian, when the Indian will converse, and when he knows even this patois, injects 'mebbe' into his talk at every fourth word, or, if he gets excited, he puts it in at the third.

"There is no pronoun in the mixed vocabulary of the reservation. The words 'white man' and 'Injun' will fill in for all the persons and all the cases, too, by the way. Somebody will write an Indian-English grammar some day, and it will be comprised in less than a hundred words. Simplicity takes the place of explicitness, I am bound to say, and sometimes you have to use a carefully-trained ear to know whether it is a threat, a command or a promise, or a request that is being flung at you. Mood is unknown in the grammar of the Bannock.

"I discover that the English language of Fenimore Cooper and Old Coomes are nonexistent. I have dug profoundly into the 'Ugh' and the three-word sentences of the novelist, and I find they are out of fashion. If you succeed in getting an Indian to talk to you at all he will not shut off with three words ending in an exclamation point. Neither will he use the expression 'pale face.' No self-respecting Indian says 'pale face' now.

"Altogether the language is a study worth attention. Seriously, I imagine a text book could be compiled which would really result in a great good for the government in bringing the Indians to something like civilized habits. As it is, the instruction is based on the same conditions as prevail in the English language and with English-speaking persons. This does not fit the Indian. His language is simplicity itself, and there are no twists of case, tense or the like. As to tense, one illustration will show. Take the word 'Go.' We have it 'go, went, gone, going, will go,' while the Indian puts in two cases, 'go' and 'was go.' If he wishes to make it a future tense he simply puts in the specific time, as 'He go to-morrow, mebbe,' which to my mind is quite expressive of the idea. I seriously believe attention might be called to this situation among scholastic men and perhaps we would be able to get along without rascally and incompetent interpreters. One hundred words would be a good vocabulary." — Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

Sheriff's Sale. Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Wasco, and to me directed and delivered, a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 25th day of November, 1897, in favor of A. B. Jones, plaintiff, and against R. E. Fewel, defendant, for the sum of two hundred and seventy-six and 25/100 (\$276.25) dollars, together with interest thereon, since May 1, 1896, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and thirty (\$30) dollars attorney fees; and the further sum of eleven (\$11) dollars costs, which said judgment was enrolled and docketed in the office of the clerk of said court in said county on the 8th day of November, 1897; and whereby it was further ordered and decreed by the court that the following described property, to-wit:

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