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FREDERICK NOLF

Agent Weekly Examiner.

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GENERAL NEWS.

The drought in Arizona is driving thousands of sheep out of that territory into California.

The worst snow storm for many years prevailed in New York state on the first and second instants.

Charles L. Davis (Alvin Joslyn), the well known character actor and owner of the Alvin Theater, of Pittsburg, Pa., died there Wednesday, aged 52 years.

The falling price of wheat is attributed to Argentina's big crop, the surplus of that country's present crop being placed at 74,000,000 bushels of new and 80,000,000 bushels of old wheat.

Mrs. D. B. Ten Eycke, of Chicago, has received information that she will receive probably one-fifth of an estate valued at more than \$20,000,000, left by her uncle, who died 12 years ago in Albany, N. Y.

W. J. Bryan spoke to many thousands of people at Shreveport, La., Wednesday. In his address he severely arraigned the administration for the passage of the Puerto Rico tariff bill, denouncing it as the first step towards carrying out the policy of imperialism. Ex-president Cleveland is reported seriously ill at his home at Princeton, New Jersey. He is not confined to his bed, but he seldom leaves his room, on the upper floor of his home. He rarely sees visitors, and takes practically no interest in any events of the world at large.

The monthly statement of the public debt, issued Wednesday, shows that at the close of business February 28 the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$1,118,886,059, a decrease since February 1 of \$6,753,163. This decrease is largely accounted for by the increase in the amount of cash on hand.

The British army estimates just issued show a total expenditure of \$31,499,400, an increase over last year of \$40,882,200. The total number of officers and men is placed at 430,400, an increase over last year of 240,147. The new estimates include the status of \$10,000,000 and \$13,000,000, already voted for the war.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Foreign wheat shipments from Portland for the week ending Thursday were 704,063 bushels.

The people of Ashland are contemplating rebuilding the woolen mill at that place which was destroyed by fire in January last.

The acceptance by H. B. Miller of the consulship at Chung King will vacate the office of Horticultural Commissioner for Oregon, that pays \$2900 per year.

The report is out that there are 100 cases of smallpox at Centralla, Wash., and there are about 175 cases at Spokane, Washington, on the party of officials gave the disease opportunity to spread.

The Northern Pacific and Great Northern are considering the matter of rates for the G. A. R. national encampment, which is to be held in Chicago in August. The two coast lines have conferred on the subject, but no decision is expected for several weeks. The lines included in the Central Passenger Association have set the pace at a cent a mile.

Articles of incorporation of the Columbia & Nehalem Railroad Company were filed at Portland Thursday. The incorporators are G. E. Goring, Vancouver, Wash.; Ernest C. Dalton, and E. C. Covert, Portland. The capital stock is \$100,000. The object of the company is to build a railroad from St. Helens, Ore., to Nehalem, at or near the town of Pittsburg, and also branch lines.

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If the "evil at hand" is a disordered condition of the blood, the "good" is not "afar off." Hood's Sarsaparilla is a natural blood purifier, and within the possibilities of everyone. It cures scrofula, salt rheum and every other form of blood disease. It relieves dyspeptic troubles and kidney and liver difficulties. It uses has saved thousands of lives and made people better able to stand the cares and worries of life.

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Scrofula Sore—"Enlargement of the arm bone, with a bunch, proved to be scrofula. The sore discharged disagreeably. Hood's Sarsaparilla healed it all and left me sound as a nut." CAPT. W. S. BARKER, Box 8, Wilson's, N. H.

Rheumatism—"Five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my inflammatory rheumatism, and I can now do my own house work." MRS. H. CROWNINGSHIELD, 304 Prospect Street, Mansfield, Ohio.

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All Cures—"Had no appetite or strength, could not sleep or get rested, was completely run down. Two bottles Hood's Sarsaparilla cured the tired feeling and I do my own work." MRS. A. DICK, Millville, N. J.

Catarrh—"I was so low with catarrh that I could not get around the house. Tried all sorts of remedies. Hood's Sarsaparilla was the last. It cured me." MRS. CHARLES RHINE, 350 Oak Lane, York, Pa.

The Blood—"Was tired out, had no appetite until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla. It built me right up and I can eat heartily." ERMA M. HAGER, Athol, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Dissipates

Hood's Pills cure liver bile, non-retaining and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

TO COIN SILVER BULLION

Treasury Department Awaiting Passage of Financial Bill.

CHARGES AGAINST NAVY OFFICERS

Senate Calls for Papers Relating to the Corbin Court-martial—The Coeur d'Alene Riots Investigation.

Washington, March 3.—It is the intention of the treasury department, as soon as the pending financial bill becomes law, to expedite as fast as possible the coinage of silver bullion purchased under the Sherman act and still remaining in the treasury.

Pettigrew After Corbin. Washington, March 3.—Pettigrew introduced and the senate passed a resolution instructing the secretary of war to send to the senate the court-martial proceedings of 1894 against Corbin, now adjutant general of the army. The resolution also calls for other information bearing upon Corbin's military record.

The Quay resolution was laid before the senate and Ross argued against seating Quay.

Aldrich-Robins Case Postponed. Washington, March 3.—In the house it had been intended to proceed today with the Aldrich-Robins contested election case, but unanimous consent was given to postpone final vote until next Tuesday.

Hay announced the death of Representative Epps. As a mark of respect to the deceased the house adjourned.

The Clark Investigation. Washington, March 3.—The senate committee on elections today held a consultation with counsel on both sides of the Clark investigation and decided to give them two weeks for preparation of their arguments.

Charges Against Navy Officers. Washington, March 3.—Sensational charges are contained in an anonymous letter received at the navy department from Manila. The communication relates to the wrecking of the Charleston and makes the serious statement that a number of the officers of the vessel at the time of the disaster were under the influence of liquor. The correspondent claims to have verified his allegations by inquiry among the officers of the Charleston.

THE IDAHO RIOTS.

Edward Finnigan Gives Testimony Before the Committee. Washington, March 3.—Edward Finnigan, of Millan, Idaho, continued his testimony today concerning the Coeur d'Alene troubles. He said notices were posted last July forbidding members of organized labor from going to the miners' cemetery on July 11 for the annual ceremony over deceased miners. This order gave notice of the women and other relatives of miners would be arrested if they assembled.

Chairman Hull brought out the statement that Auditor Bartlett Sinclair signed the notice, as a representative of Governor Steunberger, whom the witness said represented the democrats and silver parties. Notwithstanding the order, a number of women secretly carried flowers to the miners' graves, but were not arrested.

Finnigan explained the "permit" system. Under this system he said the miners could not work unless they got a permit from state officials. The witness said permits to work were purchasable. He advanced \$2.50 to a friend who paid a deputy and was put to work the next day.

Henri testified that he was arrested and put in the jail pen and refused bail. He alleged prejudice in proceedings before the coroner, saying the witnesses who testified against the accused miners were released, while those favorable to them were held.

A PRESENT TO LOUBET.

First of the Lafayette Dollars Sent to Franco. Paris, March 3.—Robert J. Thompson, secretary of the Lafayette monument commission, representing President McKinley, presented President Loubet this morning the first of the Lafayette dollars, which was enclosed in a basket costing one thousand dollars. President Loubet said he was deeply touched by the kind thought of the American president and people.

Fruit Men to Meet. Portland, Ore., March 3.—Much interest is being aroused in the prune growers' convention, to be held in Portland, March 7 and 8. Over 2000 personal invitations have been sent to the leading prune growers by the state horticultural board. The invitation committee, which includes prominent men in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, report that from each of these states there will be large crowds to attend the convention.

Wreck on the Canadian Pacific. Toronto, March 3.—The Montreal express on the Canadian Pacific jumped the track near Burketon and bounded down a steep embankment. On board were a large number of passengers, many being members of parliament on the way from Ottawa.

A Departure from Right Principles. Indianapolis, March 3.—In response to a question whether he had, in conversation with friends, expressed his opinion adverse to the Porto Rican bill, General Harrison, said today: "Yes, I regard the bill as a most serious departure from right principles."

Two Steamers Aground. New York, March 3.—The French line steamer La Normandie, and the American liner Pennsylvania, both grounded in Gedney channel, lower bay. Tugs are at work endeavoring to float the two steamers.

Big Advances in Cotton. New York, March 3.—Tremendous excitement prevailed on the cotton exchange today. Transactions were on a colossal scale. The market advanced 15 to 23 points.

Football in England. London, March 3.—In the football game between Oxford and Cambridge today, the former won by two goals.

FILIPINOS AMBUSHED.

Colonel Anderson Teaches the Insurgents a Severe Lesson.

Manila, March 3.—Colonel Anderson, with the 38th infantry, employing the insurgents' own tactics, has ambushed the enemy near Batangas. Through spies, Colonel Anderson learned that a detachment of insurgents would pass a certain road. He posted his soldiers concealed among the trees lining the road and when the enemy arrived the Americans volleyed unexpectedly, killing 24 insurgents, wounding 30 and capturing several. Some arms and ammunition also were captured. The effect of this blow has been salutary. The enemy in that locality are dismayed.

PENDLETON WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Belles Lettres Circle to Change Name to "Woman's Club."

At a recent meeting of the Belles Lettres Circle, "Child Study" was the subject under discussion. Special mention must be made of the able paper by Mrs. Frederick Nolf on "The Kindergarten" as a means of child study, as a factor in character building.

The club voted to change its name to that of "The Woman's Club," since the work has broadened until it encompasses not only the study of pure literature, but household science, education, library and village improvement.

Thursday Afternoon Club. In the Thursday Afternoon club, the department of current literature has been a pleasant feature of this year's work. The program for last meeting was "Short Story Writers of Today," and the interesting and informal discussion on Mary E. Wilkins, Ruth McEnery Stuart, Octave Thanet, James Lane Allen, and Rudyard Kipling brought out the salient points of the short story. As some of these writers were personally known to different members, some pleasing reminiscences were told. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. J. Smith on Lewis street on March 15.

Current Literature Club. At the home of Mrs. Lee Moorhouse, on Water street, the Current Literature club was entertained by Mrs. Moorhouse and Mrs. Mattie Lalow on Friday of this week. The program was on "Thackeray," as arranged in the year book. Thackeray as a "satirist" and a "sketcher" of Anne Thackeray Ritchie, were interesting topics for discussion. The reading continued. A "drill convention" is the order for the next meeting, which all club women are cordially invited to attend.

Some Notes. Mrs. Fred Eppinger, of Baker City, who is vice-president of the "Albion Literary Society," is the guest of Mrs. K. Alexander, and is making many friends among club women of Pendleton.

Club women of Oregon are beginning to look forward to the convention of the Oregon State Federation which takes place May 31 and will continue in session three days.

NAMES COME IN SLOWLY. Registrar Has Fewer Than One-half of the Voters on the Rolls. Registrar C. A. Frazier checked up the names registered for the June election and at 2 o'clock this afternoon had a total of 1441. This is but few more than one-half the vote of the county on the basis of the 1898 vote which was smaller than normal. The registration by precincts is:

- Adams, 80; Alba, 3; Alta, 50; Athena, south, 50; Athena, north, 141; Bingham Springs, 7; Cottonwood, 8; Echo, 31; Encampment, 4; Fulton, 38; Gilliland, 11; Hogue, 17; Helix, 32; Juniper, 32; Milton, south, 87; Milton, north, 43; Mountain, 18; McKay, 58; Pendleton, 60; Pendleton, north, 140; Pendleton, south, 78; Pendleton, east, 83; Rudick, 7; Union, 53; Umatilla, 1; Ukiah, 10; Valley, 9; Vansycle, 16; Vinson, 19; Weston, 84; Weston, east, 75; Willow Springs, 25; Youkoum, 9; Reservation, 2; total 1441.

STOLEN HORSE RECOVERED. Robert Adams' Cattle Brought in by Two Indians. Robert Adams' horse which was stolen a few weeks ago and which is today by two Indians, Charles Whirlwind and one of the Craigs. They found the animal up an Squaw creek near Bingham Springs. When the horse and saddles were taken, a reward of \$25 was offered, \$10 for the horse and \$15 for the saddles. The Indians therefore get the \$10 reward. The saddles were not recovered.

It was for the alleged stealing of this horse that George and John Duncan, living near Wilbur, were arrested. The officers claimed they traced the horses which were ridden to Adams' barn and that from there the Adams horse was taken. The saddles belonged to Adams and Ed Linsner, and are supposed to be cached somewhere in the mountains. The officers have been content all along that the stolen horse was in the vicinity of Squaw creek and were not surprised when this morning bringing the missing animal.

CHICAGO MARKET. Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers. March 3.—There was a better tone to the wheat market today and the close was at the high point, 65 7-8 to 66. May Liverpool closed 1/4 penny higher, at 5-8 3-8.

The foreign markets have not shown the weakness that ours have during the recent decline. Chicago opened unchanged at 65 3-8, which was the low point, and advanced steadily to 66, closing at 65 7-8 to 66.

An unfavorable bank statement, weakened stocks early, but the losses were regained before the close. Money, 2 1/2 per cent. Close yesterday, 65 3-8. Open today, 65 3-8. Range today, 65 3-8 to 66. Close today, 65 7-8 to 66.

San Francisco, March 3.—Cash wheat, 96 1/2.

Piles of Peopie testify to the merit of Banner Salve in curing piles. It is guaranteed. Ula Slato, Pendleton, Or.

TWO PRESIDENTS TO CONFER

Kruger Leaves Pretoria for the Orange Free State.

MAY ARRANGE PEACE PRELIMINARIES

Close Observers in England, However, Do Not Anticipate Any Sudden Cessation of Hostilities.

London, March 3.—President Kruger is said to have left Pretoria for the intention of meeting President Steyn. The place where they will meet is believed to be somewhere in the Orange Free state. Those in South Africa, who are conversant with the effect of the reverses on the Boers, express the opinion that the meeting of the presidents is preliminary to suggestions for negotiations for peace.

But the closest observers do not anticipate any sudden cessation of hostilities, and certainly reports from the theater of war do not tend to encourage the advocates of immediate peace. The Boers are apparently rallying with their accustomed ability to repair temporarily the reverse and great Britain has yet to test their force as a defensive power under the new conditions of warfare.

Outside of the meeting of the presidents, there are no new indications of any change in the situation.

A Boer Plan that Failed. London, March 3.—General Buller, in a dispatch from Ladysmith, makes it clear that the Boers decided to raise the siege of that town immediately after Cronje was at the mercy of Roberts at Paardeberg. The advance in Natal was then only proposed to allow time for the big guns, ammunition and stores to be safely removed north and west. The Boers were not completely successful in carrying out their intention owing to Buller's victorious attack on Tuesday.

DR. COLE'S BROTHER WOUNDED. Word Comes from South Africa that He Fell in Battle.

Dr. W. G. Cole today received a letter from his father who transmitted from London, Canada, news of the wounding of Dr. Cole's brother, Albert Cole, in the South African war. The letter contained only the intelligence sent to London in a cablegram which said that Albert Cole had been wounded in a leg and would be sent back to be placed in a hospital in London, England.

Albert Cole was a member of the Canadian contingent which went to support the British flag in South Africa and which made such a gallant record in the battles under Lord Roberts against Cronje. The cablegrams have frequently mentioned the splendid courage of the Canadians and at times appeared to accord them the credit of turning the tide in favor of the British.

Albert Cole was very prominent in the work of organizing the Canadian expedition and was finely fitted for campaigning. Dr. Cole naturally awaits further word from his brother. It is feared that although a wound in the leg might not necessarily be fatal, yet the fact that he is being sent all the way back to England is evidence that the wound is likely to prevent the soldier from recovering for a long time to come.

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