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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1903.

GENERAL NEWS.

The town of Port de Paix, Hayti, was completely destroyed by fire Thursday.

Thirty electric locomotives are being built at Brussels, Belgium, for Central Africa.

An American firm is erecting one of the largest foundries in the world at Hagdeburg, Germany.

The Argentine minister reports that Great Britain has purchased two cruisers of Argentina and two of Chile.

A bill to exempt beer sugar factories from taxation for a period of five years was killed in the Wisconsin Assembly Thursday.

A score or more of prominent European electrical engineers are now in the United States studying how Americans do things.

Another great engineering enterprise is projected, namely, the building of a bridge across the Mississippi river to Baton Rouge.

The structural iron workers of Pittsburgh Pa. and surrounding districts have struck against a violation of an agreement by the American Bridge Company.

Startling disclosures in St. Louis of a system of traffic in young women, under police protection, are to be made by the grand jury as the result of a raid on resorts.

It is reported that 500 imperial Chinese troops were ambushed in the Yang Yung pass February 13. All the soldiers were killed and the rebels captured large supplies of arms.

After torturing a man he had already wounded three times, Henry Carr, 32 years of age, was shot and killed Friday night by James Fletcher, 19 years of age, his victim. Carr believed Fletcher had won his wife's love.

United States Consul-General Lawter is returning to the United States from Ecuador on the same steamer that took him south. Mr. Lawter declares that he prefers obscurity at home to high honors with yellow fever at Quayaquil.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Charles W. Holderman, of Astoria, has been appointed private secretary to Senator Fulton.

Walter Reed and Charles Monell, of Portland, are under arrest for selling bogus theater tickets.

The Catholic sisters of Roseburg are contemplating the erection of a convent at that place.

The three story brick temple built by the Masonic order at Grant's Pass, is ready for occupancy.

Cecilia Jones, of Tacoma, has been indicted for sending improper literature through the mails.

B. F. Martin, of Salem, has been arrested upon advices from Tipton, Mo., where he misappropriated public funds.

Donnelly, Hopkins & Co. of Portland, have been arrested for defrauding new comers in bucket shop transactions.

C. J. Christie, who is wanted in the east for obtaining money under false pretenses, has been located in Fort McKinney, B. C.

M. Bottler, of Portland, has sued the city for \$10,000 damages, for injuries sustained in the collapse of the Second street bridge on November 2, 1902.

Ex-Governor T. T. Geer has accepted an invitation to go to Missouri and ask the legislature of that state for an appropriation for the Lewis and Clark fair.

C. F. McVicar and wife have been arrested in Tacoma for forgery. They are professional crooks and impostors and worked Portland for large sums before going to the Sound.

CHANGE AT DALLES

M. T. NOLAN, REGISTER; MISS ANNIE M. LANG, RECEIVER.

Reward for Long and Faithful Party Service, Says Congressman Moody—Miss Lang Very Efficient Young Lady.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The president on recommendation of Representative Moody, today sent to the senate the nomination of M. T. Nolan for register and Anne M. Lang for receiver of The Dalles land office, to succeed J. P. Lucas and Otis Patterson, whose terms expired last July. Neither of the appointees were applicants for the office.

Mr. Moody states that Nolan was recommended on account of his long and faithful party service, and because of his record as a reformer when holding municipal positions. Miss Lang's appointment comes as a promotion because of her recognized ability as an efficient officer in the land service after years of experience. Confirmation of both, it is assumed, will promptly follow, as the senators have no desire to obstruct or prevent confirmation of appointments made by the president for offices in Mr. Moody's home town.

The appointments of new officials to the local land office in this city came as a great surprise this afternoon to the community generally. None were more astonished than the beneficiaries, neither of whom had applied for or were candidates for the offices. When the terms of the present incumbents expired last June, it was generally thought they would be retained by the congressional delegation.

Hon. M. T. Nolan, the newly appointed register, has been for many years one of the most prominent citizens of The Dalles, both politically and in business. He has occupied various positions of trust in the community having served two terms as mayor of The Dalles, three years in the city council, four years as water commissioner, and he was also postmaster from 1890 to 1894.

He has been an active member of the republican party since 1888. His selection is regarded as excellent from a party standpoint, as well as from the point of capability.

Miss Annie M. Lang, who is named for the receivership, is a civil service clerk, who has served as a clerk in this local office for eight years. She is regarded as one of the most competent persons in the land service.

Regarding the appointment of his successor, Receiver Patterson said:

"The appointment of my successor was not unexpected, but I was not aware as to the person who would be endorsed by Congressman Moody, for my position. I knew that the president thought a great deal of Mr. Moody, and in this instance he used his prerogative and appointed Mr. Moody's selection without regard to the rest of the delegation. Miss Lang has been a clerk in the land office, and is one of the most competent persons I have ever met. Although not on the same side of the fence, in a factional sense, we have always been good friends, and I sincerely congratulate her. The patrons of the office will find her accommodating and well acquainted with her duties."

NEW TELEPHONES.

Linemen Have Been Busy Extending the Weston Exchange.

Weston, Feb. 28.—The extension of the telephone system at Weston is an outward and visible index that business conditions are improving here. The number now used is comparatively small, but Weston is—or has been—somewhat conservative, and it will yet take considerable time to inculcate a general sense of appreciation of the conveniences of the telephone service.

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It is now thought that the exchange will continue to grow rapidly. There is a demand for several new 'phones on Normal Heights, for instance, which will be put in as soon as the necessary poles can be erected for connecting this new addition.

BAKER CITY BOY WINS.

R. F. Tallmadge Scores Third in Prize Essay Contest in Oregon High Schools.

Baker City, Feb. 28.—Robert Freeman Tallmadge, who was awarded the third prize by the Oregon Society Sons of American Revolution for his essay on "The Burgoyne Campaign," is a son of F. W. Tallmadge, of this city. Young Tallmadge was born in Saginaw, Mich., December 18, 1885. The family has resided in this city for the past six years, where Roger has attended the public schools. He is a member of the 1905 class of the Baker City high school.

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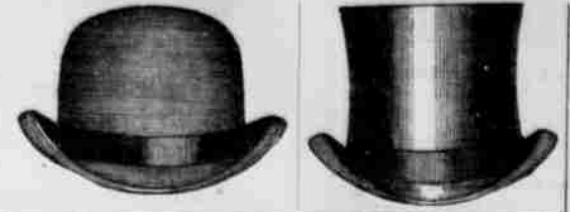
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