

Goods that have been properly advertised never become dead stock.



WEATHER FORECAST.

Tonight and Friday, rain or snow; brisk and probably high southerly winds.

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WAR EXPECTED WITH ENGLAND

Russian Official Circles Believe Great Britain Will Become Involved.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE ON INDIA BEING PLANNED.

Japanese Annoyed Port Arthur Sunday Last, and Fail to Get Any Trace of Russian War Vessels in the Japan Sea—Martial Law Declared in Siberia and Along Entire Length of the Siberian Railroad—Japanese Merchantman Has Been Wrecked.

Berlin, March 10.—The Tageblatt today asserts that the conviction prevails in government circles in Russia that war with England will be the inevitable outcome of the war with Japan. Active preparations are proceeding on an elaborate scale, including measures for the defense of the Baltic coast. Prince Uchtomski, the czar's confidante, is quoted as stating that a Russian attack upon India is imminent.

Storm Stopped Battle.

London, March 9.—A Central News dispatch from Port Arthur reports that the Japanese prepared to bombard that port last night, but owing to a heavy storm were compelled to desist at 11 o'clock.

The signal station sent messages to the fortress that the Japanese squadron had appeared on the horizon. Fifty minutes later the shore batteries opened fire, but a gale sprang up at that moment and the attacking fleet withdrew.

Fired on Vladivostok.

Tokio, March 10.—Admiral Kamura sends the following report of the Japanese attack on Vladivostok Sunday:

"The attack on Vladivostok the 6th began at 1:50 in the afternoon and lasted 40 minutes. We believe the bombardment was effective and demoralized the enemy, as the Russian forts did not reply. The cruisers subsequently reconnoitered at several adjacent places along the coast, but found no trace of the enemy."

Martial Law in Siberia.

St. Petersburg, March 10.—An imperial ukase today proclaims martial law in various districts in Siberia, a part of the trans-Baikal district, along the Lake Baikal railway, and along all branches of the railway to the east.

Another Whack at Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, March 10.—A Japanese fleet reappeared at midnight, bombarded the city intermittently until 8, and withdrew.

American Attachés.

Washington, March 10.—Russia has granted formal permission to General Chaffee, Major Gibson, Captain Gately and Captain Reichman to accompany the army during the present campaign.

Japanese Steamer Wrecked.

London, March 10.—Lloyd's Yokohama agent wires that the Japanese steamer Shinshu Maru, was wrecked off Chemulpo and is a total loss.

Neutrality Enjoined.

Washington, March 10.—The president today issued the following executive order: "All officials of the government have decided not only to observe the president's proclamation of neutrality pending the war, but to abstain from either action or speech which can legitimately cause irritation to either combatant."

Visiting Journalist.

T. J. Gregory of Santa Rosa, California, is in the city today, visiting his sister, Mrs. Thomas McQuowen, and also another sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Gibbs, of Ukiah, who is in the city. Mr. Gregory is an old newspaper man of California, having worked in former years for the San Francisco Examiner and Call. He is a personal friend of Dr. Wilson of Pullman, state senator from Whitman county, and is just returning from a visit to Dr. Wilson's home.

Will Investigate.

Washington, March 10.—The house leaders, recognizing the temper produced by the Bristol report, have determined not to stand in the way if an investigation is desired by a majority.

Eccentric Miner Dead.

Baker City, March 10.—C. C. Davis, better known as "Lum" Davis, one of the oldest prospectors and miners in this county, died at St. Elizabeth's hospital here last night. He had mined on Connor creek for the past 35 years, and was married to a Chinawoman. The girl was kidnapped from Connor creek 20 years ago, and taken to Lewiston. Davis followed her and brought her back to her parents and was afterward married to her.

Condensed Milk Factory.

Baker City, March 10.—As an adjunct to the large creamery now in operation on Rock creek, near Haines, in this county, a condensed milk factory will be started soon. There is but one other such factory in the state, it being located at Hillsboro.

English Cabinet Row.

Birmingham, Eng., March 10.—The Gazette prints a sensational story that trouble has arisen between the king and cabinet over proposed changes in the war office, and hinting that the king may dismiss the cabinet.

Fighting in Somaliland.

Aden, March 10.—General Manning, commanding a British expedition in Somaliland, killed the Mullah's forces, killing 150 men and captured a number of camels.

Chamberlain Mentally Ill.

London, March 10.—Investigation of the report that Chamberlain is mentally ill indicates there is some basis for the rumor. Advice from Egypt, where Chamberlain is recuperating, state that he is improving.

BRIDGE PIER WAS CRUSHED

RAMMED BY A STEAMER DOING DUTY AS A TUG.

An Attempt Was Being Made to Clear the Pier of an Immense Drift—Many People Had a Narrow Escape, and the Steamer Became Water Logged.

Colusa, Cal., March 10.—The draw bridge over the Sacramento river lost a span, and one pier was badly damaged by the collision of the steamer Dover with it last evening.

The primary reason for the damage being so great was the frailty of the pier—a wooden box structure, ballasted with rock, with a few insufficient binders of railroad iron.

The steamer was doing duty as a tug, to pull away an immense accumulation of drift that had lodged against the pier and an enormous redwood that had securely stuck in a shoal before the high water came. The butt of the redwood was down stream, and its branches accumulated a veritable island of debris during the flood, and every pound of weight wedged the butt more firmly into the shoal.

Shortly after the steamer hooked to the drift the cable parted, without the drift being perceptibly loosened, and the center of gravity and point of leverage both shifting, nearly capsized the steamer, besides swinging her sideways with the full force of the current, against the pier, which creaked, shivered, tottered and then fell.

Some 30 people were on the span at the time, and had the collapse come suddenly, all would have been either drowned or crushed. As it was, by hard running all either escaped to other portions of the bridge, or jumped to the deck of the steamer below.

The damage to the bridge will reach \$10,000 by the collision, and will much exceed that amount before the food is done with the weakened structure.

When the steamer listed after the cable broke, she shipped a large amount of water and barely reached the shore in time to be righted by a vigorous working of the pumps.

A quantity of drift acted as a buffer, between the pier and the steamer, or the latter would have been bawny stove and sunk at the spot.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Plaintiff Alleges a Prior and Undissolved Marriage.

A suit for divorce was filed in the office of the county clerk this morning by Rebecca Carlile against her husband, John Carlile.

The complaint alleges that the plaintiff and defendant were married in this city September 20, 1900, and that there is one child, Lizzie Carlile, now about 2 years old, as the result of the union.

The plaintiff alleges for cause of action that the defendant had another wife living at the time of her marriage with him, and that for that reason the marriage is null and void.

She asks for the custody of the child and for costs and disbursements of the action. J. A. Fee is her attorney.

SEATTLE HELLS ARE WIDE OPEN

Six Big Gambling Houses Start in Defiance of the State Law.

NO ATTEMPT MADE TO KEEP THE MATTER SECRET.

Detective Wauppenstein May Be Chief of Police and if He Should Be, Gambling Will Continue Open—He is Favorable to the Tenderloin and Gambling—Ministerial Association Will Begin an Active Crusade Against Vice.

Seattle, March 10.—In open defiance of the state law, six big gambling houses are now running wide open. No attempt at secrecy is made. Poker has been played openly in the rear of saloons, and club houses for the past two months, but within the past week, six of the largest gaming houses have opened up with faro, roulette, and other games particularly specified in the state law making gambling a felony.

It is now almost certain that Detective Wauppenstein will be appointed chief of police by Mayor-elect Ballinger, and if this is done, no attempt will be made to enforce the law, as Wauppenstein is known to be favorable to the tenderloin district and open gambling.

The Ministerial Association now threatens to begin the same crusade here against vice that has been conducted in Spokane, with such good results, during the past two months.

Walla Walla Library Located.

Walla Walla, March 9.—The Carnegie library will be located at the corner of Alder and Palouse streets, on the triangular lot offered by T. C. Elliott and wife. This determination was reached at the council meeting last night after a free discussion of all the phases of the case.

JOHN STOTT ARRESTED.

He is Charged With Stealing His Brother-in-Law's Harness.

John Stott, who has been working in this city for some time, was arrested last night on complaint of S. E. Walker and E. A. Sweeney, who accuse him of having stolen from them three sets of harness, which he sold to Barney Sherry, the second-hand dealer.

Stott is a young man and has been working for Walker for several months. Walker has been away for some time, and when he returned found that the harness had disappeared. Investigation pointed to Stott, who is Walker's brother-in-law, and he had him arrested. Stott is now in the county jail awaiting the action of the prosecuting attorney, who is investigating the case.

But for the need of horrible examples many a man's usefulness would never be properly listed.

POLYGAMY AND ADULTERY DIFFERENT

Washington, March 10.—Andrew Jensen, assistant historian of the Mormon church, who prepared a book, "Lives of the Apostles," was called in the Smoot case this morning to tell where he obtained his information. Most of it, he said, came from previous publications in the church.

About Apostle Grant, the witness said Grant is reputed to have two wives. An academic discussion about adultery then ensued, in which the

TRIBUNE COULD NOT PRINT THE BLANKS

One of the chief kicks which has been made against the county clerk by the Tribune was over a job of 100 naturalization blanks which had been ordered from a Portland firm, and for which the county was charged \$7.50. The Tribune claimed that the work could and would have been done by the "official organ" for \$3.50, and yesterday County Clerk Chamberlain took one of the blanks to the office of the Tribune and asked Mr. Dodd to please print him an extra hundred of them, as the county would need them sooner or later.

Mr. Dodd took a look at the blank and decided that he would not be able to do the work at the figure bid by the Tribune, the fact of the matter being that he has not the facilities to turn out the work.

WORST STORM IN THIRTEEN YEARS

"Worse and More of it" all Over Central and Northern California.

HEAVY PROPERTY LOSSES IN MANY NEIGHBORHOODS.

Sausalito is Under Water—Ships Damaged and Wrecked in San Francisco Harbor—Six-Story Uncompleted Building Badly Wrecked by the Gale—A Three-Story Building Was Ruined—Schooner Went Ashore on Goat Island.

San Francisco, March 10.—The worst wind and rainstorm in 13 years swept over Central and Northern California and Southwestern Oregon last night and this morning, causing heavy property losses, and perhaps loss of life.

Many places are flooded, and the business quarter of Sausalito, California, is under water. No vessels arrived here this morning, and it is feared there have been some disasters along the coast.

A number of ships in the bay are badly damaged. In the city, barns, fences and roofs were wrecked. In the downtown districts the water backed up and flooded the cellars. In the upper part of a six-story building, in course of construction at Bush and Polk streets, was badly twisted by the wind, and the whole building is in danger of falling over.

The fire department is considering the advisability of tearing down the three-story building in course of construction on Lake street, near Sixth avenue. It was blown over and completely demolished.

The United States schooner Ernest went ashore on Goat island. All the crew, it is reported, escaped, but it is feared the vessel cannot be saved. All telephone and telegraph wires are down and for several hours San Francisco was practically cut off from communication with the outside world.

San Jose reports that the streets there resemble miniature lakes. A veritable cloudburst struck Santa Rosa and vicinity.

All streams are out of their banks and their traffic in Northern California is abandoned. The railroad tracks are under two feet of water. A number of washouts are reported. Guerneville reports a big landslide, completely blocking traffic. Petaluma was hit hard. In an incredibly short time the business district was under four and five feet of water rushing through the streets and warehouses with the fury of a mill race. Several narrow escapes from drowning are reported from Petaluma.

Earthquakes in Central Europe.

Vienna, March 10.—Earthquake shocks were felt this morning at Trieste, Carintha and Glagenfurt. No reports of damage.

IMMIGRATION TO SOUTH.

Great Efforts Will Be Made to Divert Homeseekers.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 9.—The land and industrial agents of the principal railroads of the southeastern states gathered at the Read House in this city today and began a two-days' session, the purpose of which is to devise plans for promoting immigration to the southeast.

During the last three or four years, as is shown by statistics compiled by the railroads, more Northerners and Westerners have settled in Florida, Georgia, Alabama and neighboring states than at any other period in the history of the country, and the roads believe that if the natural advantages offered by these states were more generally known the flow of immigration would be greatly augmented. To this end the industrial agents propose to inaugurate a systematic and widespread propaganda of the inducements offered by the southeast to agriculturists, manufacturers and business men in general.

Escaped and Recaptured Twice.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 10.—Murderer Dunn, who escaped from jail Monday and was recaptured yesterday, again escaped last night, was recaptured at midnight, and landed in jail here, ill with pneumonia. He will be hanged tomorrow. He would die of the disease in three days the physicians say.

Companion Boat Lost.

Canca, Crete, March 10.—A Russian transport from Port Said reports the loss of a companion to torpedo boat No. 221, while en route. The crew were rescued.

PROHIBITIONISTS ARE IN THE FIELD

NOMINATE FULL COUNTY TICKET AT MILTON.

Recommends I. W. Berry as State Food and Dairy Commissioner—Will Make Hard Fight for Passage of Local Option Amendment—Well Known Citizens Nominated for County Offices.

Milton, March 10.—The county prohibition convention of Umatilla county, met in this city today and nominated a full county ticket, as follows:

Representatives—N. A. Davis, Milton, and Robert Warner of Pendleton. Joint representative, Umatilla and Morrow—M. C. Howard, Pendleton. Sheriff—Oliver Dixon, Athena. Clerk—W. A. Bannister, Milton. Recorder—J. H. Leazer, Echo. Superintendent of schools—W. S. Mayberry, Milton. Assessor—William Talbert, Milton. Treasurer—R. H. Stewart, Athena. Commissioner—S. H. Richmond, Helix.

Coroner—G. O. Richardson, Adams.

For justice of the peace in Milton precinct—J. R. Vinson; for constable, Oscar Walters.

The convention recommended I. W. Berry of Milton, as state food and dairy commissioner, and endorsed the national prohibition platform.

A vigorous campaign will be made in all parts of the county and the party in Umatilla county will make a special effort to secure the passage of the local option amendment at the coming election.

PROHIBITION NOMINEES.

Union County Prohibitionists Place a Full Ticket in the Field.

La Grande, March 10.—At the county convention of the prohibitionists which closed here last night, the following full county ticket was nominated:

Representative, Mayor A. E. Eaton of Union; sheriff, H. A. Thomas of Elgin; clerk, W. A. Worstell, of La Grande; recorder, H. A. Thomson of La Grande; assessor, R. M. Shaw, North Powder; treasurer, W. F. Landrum, Union; commissioner, E. F. Roberts, Cove; coroner, Dr. S. schools, Manuel Snyder, of La Grande; Corpe, Cove; superintendent of schools, Manuel Snyder, of La Grande; joint senator Union and Wallawa counties, John W. McAllister, La Grande.

GUARDIAN AD LITEM.

J. T. Hinkle Will Look After the Loney Estate.

J. T. Hinkle has been appointed by the county court as guardian ad litem, in the estate of David Loney, deceased. There are three minor children, the heirs to the estate, Byron, Milton and Thompson Loney.

The court also issued an order permitting the administrator of the estate, Charles H. Carter, to sell the real property, consisting of 160 acres of land in section 26, township 4, north of range 30, being a short distance to the northwest of Pendleton.

REGULAR MEET CITY COUNCIL

Present and Prospective High Water Exciting Attention Toward the Levee.

ROCK HAS BEEN STOLEN FROM CREST OF LEVEE.

Council Orders it Replaced, or Something Will Be Done—Petition for an Official Grade on Willow Street—Statistics of Mortality and Imprisonment Among Canines—Council Will Furnish a Dog Pound—Mr. Dickson Objects.

The city council met last night for its regular meeting, and while away quite a time trying to find something to do of importance.

Relating to the Levee.

In view of the threatened high water of the past few days and the probability of higher water in the near future, the condition of the levee was gone over at length by the council.

Messrs. Matlock and Dickson investigated the levee several days ago and found it to be in good condition with the exception of one or two places along the upper end. In one place some of the coping stone from the top had been removed, and while this did not materially weaken the bank unless the water should rise to the level with the top, it was thought best by the members of the council to request those who had taken the stone to replace it at once. These stones are large flat pieces, weighing about 90 pounds each.

C. E. Penland presented a petition to the council asking that the property owners on Willow street, between High and Tustin, be allowed to lay sidewalks in front of their property, and also that an official grade be established for the street. The matter was referred to the street committee, with power to act.

Dog Pound Problem.

The dog pound question was brought up by Marshal Carney. He reported that he had collected taxes from 87 dogs, had killed 18, and that there were still in the city at least 750 that were subject to action. He wished to adopt the policy of kill or pay, but could not do so unless he had a place to keep the dogs after arrest. People were objecting to his dog jail, and he wanted a new one. He had to hold the dogs in captivity for a few days before he could kill them, and he wanted the council to provide a place for them.

Mr. Dickson here arose in behalf of the golf links. That property is his, he said, and he did not like to have it converted into a cemetery. He objected to having the dogs buried on his land and so close to his house. The whole situation was given into the hands of the cemetery committee with power to act, and they will provide a pound and a burying ground.

Rebate Allowed.

William Reeves was allowed \$24.50 the amount remaining in the city treasury, as the result of the sale of the horses bought by him some time ago at a pound sale. Mr. Reeves bought a span of horses which were afterwards claimed by the owner, as a result of which the buyer last week filed a claim of \$140 damages against the city.

A claim of \$50 was paid for having the Lewis street sewer cleared of an obstruction left by the builders. The council then adjourned.

Musical Social.

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a musical social Friday evening at the Presbyterian church. The ladies who have had their preparation in hand have arranged a very entertaining program, and assure all those who attend, a musical treat. The public is cordially invited to be present.

New Farm Residence.

T. F. Howard, the architect, has just finished plans for a two-story house for Thomas P. Edwards, one of the prosperous ranchers of Bear creek, about 25 miles from Pendleton toward Pilot Rock. The house will have eight rooms and will cost about \$2,000.

Two Years and a Fine.

Los Angeles, March 10.—Millionaire Griffith was sentenced to two years at San Quentin and to pay a fine of \$5,000. He shot his wife's eye out, attempting to kill her.