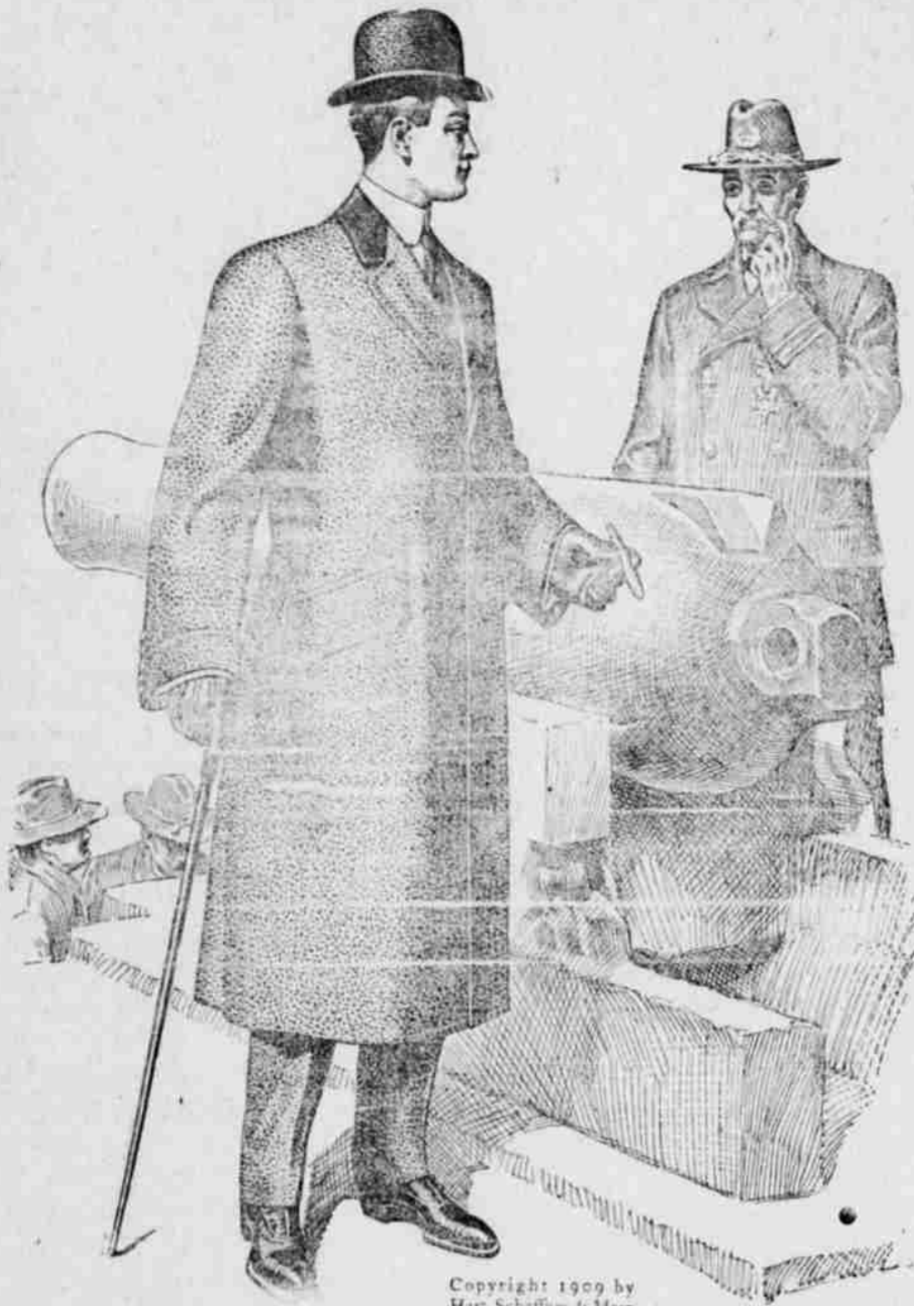


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NO GOLDEN HARVEST FOR GREAT INVENTORS

PATENTS NEVER PROTECT HIM FROM INFRINGEMENT

Observations Regarding Two, Greatest Modern Inventions, Wireless Telegraphy and the Flying Machine—Wright Bros. Involved in Litigation to Protect Rights.

Washington.—Pity the poor inventor. If there is anything to be said of him, according to General Allen, chief signal officer of the army, it is that he works hard for nothing. In most cases he pays more to secure his patents than he gets out of them. If he consoles himself with the delusion that he has evolved something new for the service of humanity he is again wrong.

This observation of General Allen's was called forth by the fate of patents on the two most extraordinary inventions of recent years, both of which came within the province of the signal corps. They are the flying machine and wireless telegraphy. Wireless telegraphy patents have led to some glory, much litigation and more or less chaos. The men who proposed to make fortunes have been grievously disappointed. Any amateur can set up his instruments nowadays and operate to his own sweet will. Patent laws will not affect him and there are no other laws to regulate his actions. He can do as well as the discoverer who spent a fortune and years of labor to make his pastime possible.

The value of the patents of the Wright brothers is to be tested anon in cases of trial for infringement. Whether the Wrights will be more successful than the wireless inventors is yet to be proven. It is doubtful. Efforts will be made to show that Shantze possessed all the secrets of the Wright aeroplane before the Wrights built it. Even Prof. Langley, whose death was to a certain extent due to the derision his unsuccessful attempts at flying called forth from certain members of congress, is said to have known some of them himself.

In view of all this it is a question whether Wilbur and Orville Wright's achievements will be one of more than passing glory. If the courts decide that their patents are merely the fruits of others thinking there is no reason why the amateur should not run the risk of breaking his neck on a machine of his own construction after the pattern of the Wright aeroplane, just as he has been freed to dabble in wireless telegraphy.

The men who make money at invention are those who design coffee grinders or aluminum pants buttons. The aeroplane inventor may have the glory but to the former is

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AMERICAN TAR IS CHEWING LESS TOBACCO

Washington.—The traditional man-of-war's-man who made it a practice to roll his quid to the other side of his cheek and spit on his hands before taking to the guns is decidedly a thing of the past, according to the reports of the navy department. The quid of chewing tobacco is no longer an essential characteristic of

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NORTHWEST NOTES

Honor First Child.
Vale, Ore.—A little daughter came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tschirgi last week. It is the first baby born in the new town of Brogan. The parents are wealthy. They came to Brogan from Eisworth, Minn. Mr. Brogan says he will present the little one with a silver cup.

Steel Bridge Goes Out.
Prosser, Wash.—The steel bridge under course of construction at Byron, on the Yakima river, eight miles west of this city, together with the false work, went out at an early hour last night. The heavy recent rains in this section together with heavy chinook winds melted the snow in the mountains and the river rose over three feet during the past 24 hours. The river is still rising.

Local Option in Nampa.
Nampa, Ida.—The local option law went into effect in this county Tuesday at midnight, the same being 99 days after the election by which the county was voted "dry." The new law only affects those saloons whose licenses were issued prior to the election, but those whose licenses have been granted since the election, according to a recent decision of the attorney general of the state, will be permitted to run until those licenses expire. For that reason a number of saloons of this county will run until April.

Held for Manslaughter.
Condon, Ore.—B. K. Searcy, held for the murder of Bert Wells last August, during a saloon brawl, was indicted yesterday for the grand jury for manslaughter and released under \$10,000 bonds, furnished by B. S. Brown, a prominent rancher, and E. C. Rogers,

proprietor of a local hotel. Searcy killed Wells with an elk horn in an attempt to end a fight over a card game, and while the man's death was accidental, there has been a bad feeling between the two men. The trial will be held next month and conviction seems inevitable with a comparatively short sentence. Owing to Searcy's age 73 years, this would practically mean life imprisonment, however short.

Does Not Want Eddy's Office.
Roseburg, Ore.—Senator Albert Abraham, whose name has been mentioned as next receiver of the local United States land office, to succeed J. M. Lawrence, emphatically denies that he is a candidate for that office. It is believed that George W. Riddle of Riddle is the man whom Senator Bourne will recommend for the office if he has not already done so. The only active candidate known for the receivership to succeed B. L. Eddy is S. D. Allen, who has forwarded a large petition to Senator Bourne. Mr. Allen has been a clerk in the Roseburg office for some time past and his courtesy and accommodating manner has made him liked by the patrons of the office.

PEARY GETS PATENT ON ARCTIC CLOTHING

Washington.—Apart from the north pole controversy Commander Robt. E. Peary has achieved at least one triumph for the benefit of mankind as a result of his latest northern Jaah. This is the invention of a combined coat and hood, obviously for use in arctic latitudes for which the government has granted a patent to the explorer. The official gazette describes it as a garment made of substantial non-stretchable material adapted to cover the trunk, arms and head of the wearer, having a body portion, arms and a hood. There are no openings except at the bottom, the ends of the sleeves and the face portion of the hood. Naturally the Peary jacket, as it might be called, slips over the head. The openings are provided with rims of fur, forming a sort of packing about the wrists, face and wrist to keep out the cold air.

CONGRESS MISSED A GOOD OPPORTUNITY

Washington.—The discussion which congress devoted to the question of free sugar and free sugar imported from the Philippines before it was decided to limit the amount of these commodities which may be imported free of duty might very well have been devoted to other subjects. The same result would have been obtained and congress would have gained a reputation for generosity if it had decided to let the islands send over all the cigars and sugar they could. So far there is no indication that there is any chance of exceeding the limit imposed. The bureau of insular affairs of the war department has been informed that during the month of September 7,355,000 cigars were shipped from



Oregon Theater, Sunday, November 28.

the Philippines to the United States and 35,000 tons of sugar. These figures are accepted as a fair monthly average. At this rate of exportation there will be many less than the 150,000,000 cigars allowed free entry. Similarly, it is not expected that there will be 300,000 tons of sugar. Much of the sugar which cleared for the United States during the month of September was held back pending the action of congress so that it is likely that there will be a smaller amount shipped during the forthcoming months of the fiscal year.

OFFERS MADE FOR JEFFRIES-JOHNSON BOUT

The number of offers for the Jeffries-Johnson fight, legitimate and mushroom, to date, is as follows:
Bellingham, Wash.—\$125,000, by E. S. Williams.
Coalinga, Cal.—\$100,000, by S. N. Needham.
Cripple Creek, Col.—\$100,000, by E. B. Jones for Detroit club.
Nampa, Idaho.—\$100,000, with \$20,000 bonus to fighters.
Rapid City, S. D.—\$75,000, by Billy Pascoe.
Ogden, Utah.—\$80,000, by James Morgan.
Moscow, Idaho.—\$100,000, by Harry Wilson.
Spokane, Wash.—\$75,000, by sporting men of that place.
Ponca, Okla.—\$65,000, by Miller brothers of Ranch 101.
Virginia City, Nev.—\$75,000, by Battling Nelson.
Hillyard, Wash.—\$75,000, by Jesse E. Jones.
Paris, France—250 francs by Kid McCoy.

Los Angeles, Cal.—\$75,000 by Tom Carey.
San Francisco—\$70,000, by Jack Gleason syndicate.
Colma, Cal.—More than anybody, by James Coffroth.
New Orleans, La.—Sealed bid in person, by Harry W. Fitzpatrick, Southern A. C.
England or Australia—\$75,000 by Luau McInoan.
Sibley, Ill.—\$180,000, by Sibley Athletic association.

Increase in Union Schools.

Union, Ore.—The schools of Union have become so crowded this year that an additional teacher has been hired to teach an additional room, composed of pupils taken from the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. The new teacher, Mrs. D. A. Cameron, of Portland, assumes her new duties Monday. The school buildings are a present capable of seating all the scholars but if the enrollment next year increases in proportion to that of this and last years, more room will be necessary. The enrollment this year is about 450. Fourteen teachers are now employed.

Morses Drown in Willamette.

A man whose name is not learned lost a team of horses by drowning in the swollen Willamette river this afternoon. He attempted to drive to a certain place just across the river from Eugene in a wagon when the horses sank to their necks in the raging stream and began swimming. The current bore them rapidly down stream and the man had to jump out and swim to safety to save his life. The team and wagon were swept into midstream and the horses were drowned.—Eugene Guard.

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