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Washington Letter.

The records of the past week show a little more than the usual amount of public business transacted in spite of the intense heat. The President remains entirely at Oak View, and will continue to do so as the present warm weather continues, but the Secretary, Col. Lamont, is daily at the White House, and all matters of importance are brought before executive notice through his agency.

Secretary Lamar, is at present the only member of the Cabinet out of the town, and he has gone to Georgia to attend the wedding of his daughter, Miss Jennie, to her cousin, Mr. Lamar, a young lawyer practicing in Washington.

The secretaries of state, war, and navy, held a conference on Saturday and have at last named a successor to the late engineer, Harry Lee Snyder, who was Superintendent of the state, war, and navy, department. It may be remembered that Engineer Snyder died suddenly a few weeks ago. Chief Engineer Thos. Williamson, U. S. N., has been nominated to fill the place, and commission made out and sent to Oak View for the president's signature.

Engineer Williamson was formerly attached to the Pacific Squadron, and is now at his home in Warrenton Va., on waiting orders. It is said that his appointment is as great a surprise to him, for he was not an applicant for the position, as it is a disappointment to several engineers who were trying for the place.

The navy yard at Washington has been transferred to the control of the ordnance bureau, and the yard turned into a gun foundry. The change has met with much complaint and some ridicule, but the work progresses favorably, notwithstanding.

Besides the regular machine shops for the manufacture of naval ordnance, a class has been organized to train seamen, and is now being instructed in the manipulation and care of guns, cartridges, ammunition, and all the paraphernalia of gunning. After the course is completed here, the seamen are sent to Newport, R. I., for six months instructions at the torpedo stations. On acquiring the required percentage, they receive the pay of seamen gunners, and are also eligible to the position of warrant officers. With the completion of the new cruisers, well equipped and manned by trained seamen our navy will be no longer a reproach to us, nor justify the old minstrel joke, about having "plenty of water," and only wanting a "few ships to make it the grandest navy in the world, sir."

The count of cash in the Treasury vaults begun on the 23d of May, was finished on the 23rd of July. This count was rendered necessary by the charge of the U. S. treasurer, Mr. Hyatt, of Conn., having succeeded Mr. Jordan, who resigned to accept the position of vice president of the new National Bank, established in New York City, of which ex-Secretary Manning, is president. The court developed but one error, a shortage of \$2.50, promptly made good by the clerk, to whom through carelessness

in the former count, the error was due. The amount on hand in the National Bank notes, and legal tender notes, was disposed of in about three days, but the silver dollars occupied with a large force of men to do the work, two months in the counting.

The present postmaster of Charleston, S. C., Mr. Mowry, was at the time of his appointment, Clerk to the committee of the house of representatives. He now claims the salary as clerk of the committee, up to June 30th, in addition to that of postmaster.

First Comptroller Durham, rejects the claim on the ground that no one is entitled to draw two salaries from the Government. The objections of the Comptroller appear fair, but it seems that the Supreme Court has decided differently in another and similar case, that of Mr. Saunders, now a clerk at the Executive Mansion, who was at the time of his appointment, clerk to a congressional committee. At any rate, the comptroller proposes to test the case again, and Postmaster Mowry, will carry his case to the courts. He may have the law on his side, but he certainly is very avaricious to want two offices at the same time, specially when there are so many would be office holders outside in the cold, who would rejoice in the possession of one. Ordinarily the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, are final and establish the law of precedence for all like cases, but there is no telling what a head of a bureau under the Government will not dare do, specially if he be a new appointment.

There were 488 deaths in Chicago last week, against 441 in the preceding week. Of the 488 329 were of children under 5, and 163 were less than a year old.

The tunnel recently completed at Schenmütz, Hungary, is 10.2 miles long; the longest one in the world. It took one hundred years to build it.

A young man playing billiard in Soquel, Cal., was bothered by a corn on one of his little toes. He yanked off his boot, cut off the toe with a chisel, stopped the flow of blood with cobwebs, bound up the stump and resumed the interrupted game.

True greatness shows itself in ignoring, or quickly forgetting, personal injuries, when meaner natures would be kept in unrest by them. The less of a man one is, the more he makes of an injury or insult. The more of a man he is, the least he is disturbed by what others say or do against him without cause.

Rich Mine Discovered. Placerville, July 31.—The eastern portion of the county is excited over a big mineral find seven miles north of Grizzly Flat, in the Baltic district. A ledge was last week discovered, three to five feet wide which yield 850 a ton on the surface and has been traced for miles. The town of Grizzly Flat is depopulated by the rush to the discovery, and locations have been made for several miles on the vein. The locators are camping on the ground to hold it. Men say it is the biggest thing yet discovered.

Small Pox Among the Indians. San Diego, July 31. Father Ubach, Catholic priest stationed at San Diego, has just returned from the Indian reservation at Warner's ranch in the interior of this county, and reports that smallpox is raging among the Cochula Indians there. Steps will be taken to prevent its spreading to white settlers of the surrounding country.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of Henrietta Nelson deceased. Whereas the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henrietta Nelson, deceased, by order of the county court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Coos, on the 25th day of July, 1887. All persons having claims against the said estate are required to exhibit the same to me as said administrator at my residence at Bandon, in said Coos county, Oregon, within 6 months from this date. Albert Gromi, Administrator.

Mary Anderson says she will not marry until she leaves the stage and she won't leave the stage until old age compels her to. The chance of her becoming somebody's grandmother is not particularly hopeful.

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