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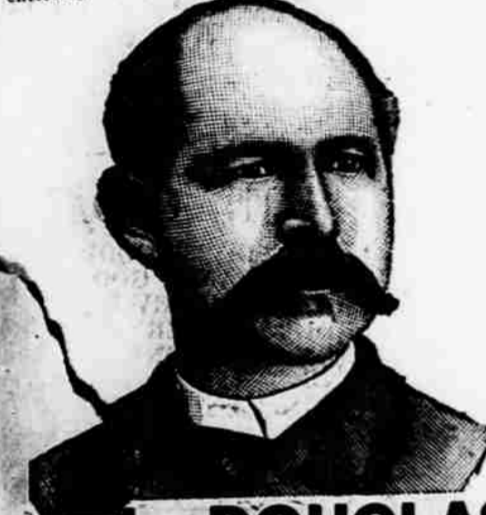
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OVER THE WIRES.

The Republican Legislature of Montana Declared Legal.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

France Wants a Protective Tariff—The Coroner's Jury in the Kniften Murder Case Arrives at a Verdict.

The Herald's Special Dispatches.

HELENA (Mont.), Jan. 28.—The supreme court to-day decided the Thompson mandamus case by granting a peremptory writ ordering the state auditor to allow Thompson's bill for mileage and per diem. Thompson is the republican member of the legislature from Silver Bow county, being one of the five elected by throwing out Tunnel precinct. The court goes into the question of the certificates and sustains the position of the republicans. The certificates from the state revising board are only prima facie evidence of the members of the legislature. This decision makes the republican body the legal legislature.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

A Number of Important Measures Before Congress.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The house to-day passed a bill providing that in cases of pension claims of dependent parents it shall be necessary only to show to the pension office that the parents are without other means of support than the pension allowed.

A memorial was presented in the senate by Chandler for the establishment of a republican form of government in the state of Mississippi.

Morrell introduced a bill authorizing the issue of treasury notes of deposit or silver bills. It was referred to the committee on finance.

A resolution was offered by McMillan and adopted, instituting a library committee to inquire and report as to the propriety of purchasing the Stanley collection of Indian historical relics now in the custody of the Smithsonian Institution.

THE TARIFF IN FRANCE.

Strange to Say the Frenchmen Want a Protective Tariff.

PARIS, Jan. 28.—The bureau of the chamber of deputies will to-day elect a tariff committee. Debates which have taken place in various bureaus indicate that the majority of them will elect members of the committee who favor protection.

The Kniften Murder.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 27.—The coroner's jury in the Kniften murder case brought in a verdict this morning declaring that Mrs. Kniften died from chloroform administered by persons as yet unknown, and further stating that the jury's labors had been hampered by the withholding of important evidence, which will come before the grand jury.

Baseball Suit Decided.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Judge O'Brien has decided the suit of the New York baseball club vs. John M. Ward, in favor of the brotherhood.

FROM PENDELTON.

Arrival of President of the Union Pacific—A Stagnation.

PENDELTON, Or., Jan. 27.—President Charles Francis Adams, of the Union Pacific, with two directors of the road, passed through here to-day to Portland. They had been en route from Huntington for a few days. They are on a tour of inspection, and go by the Budd and to Astoria.

A sensation took place here last night, William Dunlap, a saloon keeper and former member of the legislature from Clatsop county, assaulted his wife with a big knife. She ran into the streets in her night dress screaming. Dunlap was arrested as he was leaving town, and held to await the grand jury.

SCENE IN COURT.

Chicago Lawyers Bruise Each Other During a Trial.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—There was a lively time at investigation of the Deimel failure to-day. Lawyer Newman threw a heavy stamp at Lawyer Mayer, who is prosecuting the investigation. In the scuffle following Rudolph Deimel gave Mayer a right hander on the jaw. A seal ring cut Mayer's face badly. Another attorney then floored Deimel. After this the fight was stopped. The master in chancery has asked Judge Collins to inflict heavy contempt fines.

Mackay Railroad Consolidation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—At a special meeting of the directors of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad in this city to-day, D. J. Mackay, of the Evansville & Terre Haute company, was elected president. E. P. Porter was elected chairman; C. W. Hilliard, secretary and treasurer of the Chicago & Eastern Illi-

SPANISH POTTERY.

Pretty Things For Country Houses.

There are few styles of pottery more effective for decorative purposes than some of the rude wares made by the Spanish and Portuguese peasantry and imported by a few houses in this city. The blue and white Spanish ware is found in water bottles with cups; unwieldy cups and saucers; plates vases in old Moorish shapes, water jars and other pieces. The color of this ware is nearer to the blue of old Holland Delft than anything now made. The decoration on some of the vases and on the hanging water bottles, which come in flat, round caudex shapes, when in arabesque patterns of lilies is especially effective. Such hanging bottles may be made the receptacles of a bunch of graceful dried grasses or may hold in water a growing ivy. Small pitchers of this ware, charming vases for a cluster of crimson roses, are only 15 cents; wash-bowls and pitchers are \$3, and the hanging bottles and yaks are \$1.50 upward. The red glazed Spanish wares, decorated in slight conventional style, have been recently sold to people of refined taste, because of their odd and quaint appearance. The pretty perridge bowls and saucers which sell at 25 and 30 cents each were used last summer on elegant breakfast tables at Newport for oatmeal and other grains. The wash-bowls and pitchers which come in this ware and sell at \$1.50 are used in summer cottages and are strong, as well as effective, and are set apart to chip as the blue and white ware. Spanish also make a ware with a decoration in greens and blue with neutral colors which is distinctively different from any other ware. Moorish water bottles in globular shape, with the curving handle on top and two spouts, one to fill and one to pour, are shown in this ware and are decorated in various ways, often with fence bars and a leaping bull, which may have escaped from some unseen Moorish sward. The landscape is drawn with that delightful ordinariness to perspective. The unglazed Portuguese ware of fine red clay is decorated artistically with geometric figures outlined on the surface, though done by the hands of peasants. It is used chiefly for water bottles and quaint Moorish water jars. This ware possesses the power evaporating any water from its surface. A drop spilled on it seems to disappear by magic. Ice water decanted into one of these jars may be kept cool all night by the continued evaporation of the moisture collecting on the jar. Even lukewarm water may be reduced to a low temperature in this way. The Orientals who use this method of cooling water sometimes moisten the outside of these water jars. This method of cooling water was, no doubt, introduced into Spain by the Moors. To obtain the best effect the cooler should stand on a balcony in the night air. Quaint brackets, cabinets and other pieces are shown in Moorish woodwork decorated all over in bright colors, and are exceedingly effective and pretty. Such brackets begin in price at \$2.50; cabinets cost \$15 and more, but it should be remembered that they are painted by hand quite elaborately though rudely, and generally with true feeling for color. Spanish fans painted with foresters and bulls are also inexpensive items useful for decorative purpose.

Impassable Snow Drifts.

East Washington: Never in the history of this country have the roads been so filled with snow drifts. The snow has not been so deep, but the wind has blown almost every day or every other day. The roads were broken so as to be passable and one night of wind has completely filled them up again. The wind would first blow from the east and then from the west, so that it has been a matter of impossibility to keep the roads in anything like a passable condition.

Buckley's Arctic Salve.

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Sure cure for sore eyes, deafness, headache, and the worst forms of catarrh in the head and throat. Price 25 cents. Sold by Fosbay & Mason, Albany, Oregon.

Pocket Cutlery.

The largest and finest display ever brought to this valley just received at Stewart & Sox's. Call and examine.

Paisley & Job Printers.

THE BLOCKADE.

The Situation on the Southern Pacific Worse Than Ever.

CARRYING IN PROVISIONS.

An Enormous Loss to the Southern Pacific—Over One Hundred Miles of Track Yet to Be Cleared.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The condition of the snow blockade on the Oregon & California railroad virtually remains the same. It is raining and snowing at different points on the Siskiyou to-night, and no one knows when the track will be cleared. Railroad authorities have at last heard from Assistant General Superintendent Dunsmuir, and with 300 men had on hand to-day provisions for only three days. About 100 men, with ten days' provisions, left Redding this morning to clear the road from that place to Sims, so as to have an open track up to where Pratt now is.

As to the financial loss that the Southern Pacific Company has sustained, only an approximate idea can be given. For actual repairs that have been made since the winter storms have set in it has paid out some \$250,000. The loss that has been sustained from diminished freight and passenger revenues was something like half a million up to last Thursday. Since that time the daily loss to the company from all sources has been, according to General Superintendent Fillmore, \$5000. This daily loss continues, with every prospect that it will be the same all this week.

Regarding rail communication from this city to interior town, the situation showed late to-night that all three of the lines from here to Sacramento are now open. The same is true of the roads from Vallejo to Napa and Calistoga and from Napa Junction to Santa Rosa. South of the city the state of affairs is also much better. On the coast division of the Southern Pacific Company the line is open to San Jose, Monterey and Santa Margarita, being all on the main line of the road. The branch line from Pajaro to Santa Cruz is still closed. The South Pacific Coast road is in running order to Los Gatos. The Los Angeles line is open, but the excessive rainfall in San Joaquin valley last night caused a great deal of damage on the branch line from Fresno to Porterville and on the one from Goshen to Alameda. The San Francisco North Pacific road is now in working order to Cloverdale, while the North Pacific Coast people are running trains only as far as Howard.

MAILS PILING UP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The steamer Santa Rosa, sailed this morning for Portland, without carrying the United States mail for the north which had accumulated here in great volume owing to the complete railway blockade. It appears that the steamer Columbia, which sailed for Portland last week, charged the United States government \$1 per mail bag, but the government only offered 50 cents per bag for mail to go by the Santa Rosa, which the steamship company refused. The company cites that the British government pays this American line \$4 per mail bag for carrying mails from this port to Victoria, and that when the home government cut the rate to 50 cents they declined. Two weeks' mail for the north remains here.

There was some talk of sending Portland mail by rail revenue cutter Richard Rush, but for coal and pilotage over the Columbia river bar the expenses of the Rush would be \$200 more than the steamship offered to carry the mail for. The railroad company is paid \$6700 a month for carrying the mail from San Francisco to Portland, while the steamer price in the north remains here.

ONE HUNDRED MILES YET TO CLEAR.

SISSON, Cal., Jan. 27.—A strong south wind blew to-day, indicating a renewal of the storm. The sun was shining occasionally, while snow fell in the surrounding mountains. The railroad shows no improvement, and is in a worse condition than a week ago. Two cyclone snowploys would work wonders. The two plows working still remain where they were a week ago. The snow is drifting in the day time and freezing at night. This makes the mass very compact, rendering removal difficult. The enormity of work may be realized when it is stated that there are over 100 miles of track to clear.

The Psychology Epidemics.

The Lancet.

Every epidemic carries in its train exaggeration of many well-recognized characteristics, and these frequently call for appreciation and for treatment almost as much as the disease in which they originate. Perhaps one of the most striking of these mental perversities is to be found in the idea that the epidemic is to be treated by "common-sense," or by nostras which have been largely advertised, or by specifics which are known to the laity mainly through their frequent mention in the daily press. Those suffering under this delusion feel that it is wholly unnecessary to seek skilled assistance and they boldly dose themselves with remedies of whose power and properties they are absolutely ignorant. In Vienna it has already been found necessary to forbid the sale of antipyrin, except under doctors' prescriptions, as no less than seventeen deaths were attributed to stoppages of the heart's action owing to overdoses. The freedom with which the prescription of this remedy has been assumed by the public has long since been

CANCELLED STAMPS.

You Can Find a Market for Three or Four Millions of Them.

Has any one 1,000,000 stamps or 500,000 or 100,000? The man who has long been wanted by people who have saved up stamps and who have jealously guarded them for years has been found. He actually buys cancelled stamps by the million or the hundred thousand. This cheerful news is given for the benefit of those who have cried out for information from time to time. But the man who buys them does not expect to see them redeemed, nor is he trying to relieve the sufferings of those who have carefully hoarded the "little green ones," the three-cent stamp, and the five-cent stamp, and the stamp of all kinds. But the seekers of wealth by stamp-selling are not likely to acquire great fortunes in this way. If they have only collected a few thousand, or even, 100,000 they would better become discouraged and give it up, for the wholesale market price of cancelled postage stamps (unless for some particular reason they are extrinsically more valuable) is \$100 a million. And that is \$10 a hundred thousand.

"Why do I buy postage stamps?" said G. B. Calman, of No. 259 Pearl-st., to a N. Y. Tribune reporter.

"Why, to sell them, of course."

"Who wants them?"

"If people did not want them, I certainly should not buy them."

"Give one instance of a reasonable demand for them."

"Well, there is a big cigarette company which has a cancelled stamp on a picture which is given away with every box of cigarettes. The company uses millions of them."

"Another?"

"A certain publication gives a stamp book for so many coupons going with the papers."

"What kind of stamps do you buy?"

"All kinds."

"But who wants common green two-cent stamps? They are not rare."

"Well, they are less common in Western Bulgaria than in New-York City. I buy stamps in all parts of Europe and bring them to America, and I ship American stamps to all parts of Europe."

"How many stamps do you buy a year?"

"I bought over 50,000,000 last year. For fifteen years I have averaged about 20,000,000 a year."

"What becomes of them?"

"Think of all the shops where stamps are sold. A great many people make collections, and the stamps are all gathered for them in this way."

"What do you pay for stamps?"

"One hundred dollars for a million of any kind, I don't care what they are, I will take them. But I pay a great deal more for rare ones, of course. Sometimes people find old stamps which have been lying around for years. Frequently they are very valuable."

"Suppose you were to get an order to-day for 50,000,000 could you fill it?"

"Yes."

"Would you buy as many?"

"Yes."

"How do you handle them?"

"Those packing cases there are full of them. You see the stamps are assorted and put in envelopes and boxed for shipment."

"It would not pay, would it, to count 1,000,000 two-cent stamps; how do you manage that?"

"We can estimate them almost precisely by weight."

"So cancelled stamps really have a market value?"

"If they did not, as I said before, I should not buy them. Bring around a million or two, in boxes or bales, and see for yourself. There are few things in these days that are allowed to go to waste." And he picked up a package of foreign stamps and gave them to the reporter as a nest-egg.

Saved by a Parrot's Cry.

Oakland letter in the San Francisco Examiner.

"Fire! Fire! Get out, get out!" This was the cry that awakened the family of Mrs. M. D. Matthews at 4 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Matthews's residence is on San Pablo-ave. beyond Golden Gate, and upon the alarm being sounded the family, consisting of the mother and her three children, beat a hasty retreat from the house, which was rapidly being consumed by fire. It was not until after the family had rushed out into the street that they realized the source from which their warning had been received, and then they felt the deepest gratitude toward the agent of their deliverance. The savior of the family was a parrot. Upon the breaking out of the flames from a defective flue a parrot had set up its cry of alarm and aroused the family in time to make their flight. The escape was a narrow one and the mother was compelled to rush on in the cold night air with her children, in scanty clothing. But as soon as the family realized that their lives had been saved by the parrot's life, and Peter Matthews, son of Mrs. Matthews, rushed in and effected the rescue.

Paisley & Fish have just received from the East a large invoice of job printing stock, including paper, bill and note head-cards, invitations, and they at better prepared than ever to execute fine work at very low rates.