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Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned was by order of the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, on the 1st day of April, 1890, appointed executor of the last will and testament and estate of James S. Dickson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will present them to me at the premises of the late James S. Dickson with proper vouchers within six months from this date.

Dated this April 1st 1890.

MARY E. DICKSON,
Executor of the estate of James S. Dickson.
CHAS. E. WOLVERTON, Attorney.

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Stock Holder's Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the Albany Mining and Milling company will be held at the office of L. H. Montanye, secretary of said company on the 28th day of April, 1890, at the hour of 4 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for one year from the date thereof, and for such other business as may come before such meeting.

By order of the president.
Dated March 28, 1890.
L. H. MONTANYE, Secretary.

Land Surveying.

PARTIES DESIRING SURVEYING DONE CAN OBTAIN accurate and prompt work by calling upon or county surveyor F. T. T. Fisher. He has complete copies of field notes and township plats, and is prepared to do surveying in any part of Linn county. Postoffice address Millers Station, Linn county, Oregon.

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THE CIVILIZED MODE.

A New York Murderer to Be Killed by Electricity.

THE COUNTRY'S RAILROADS.

The Gold and Silver Wealth of the United States—A Runaway Passenger Train.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 28.—The latest news about murderer Kemmler is that he is still alive, and no one but Warden Durston knows at what hour or on what day the electrical shock will be sent through his body. Durston says the execution will certainly not occur during the next twenty-four hours.

It is understood the current used to cause his death will be between 2500 and 2800 volts, enough to supply about 1000 lights. He made his will to-night. His property consists of a historical bible, a pigs in clover puzzle, a testament and a slate covered with autographs.

THE UNION PACIFIC.

The Facts and Figures Shown by the Annual Report.

BOSTON, April 28.—The Union Pacific railroad company issued its annual report to day. While the U. P. proper shows substantially the same result as for 1888, the whole system shows a comparative loss in surplus of $407,000, the surplus this year being $1,145,000 against $1,552,000 for the previous year. This Loss President Adams says, is due to the decreased earnings of the O. R. & N., by reason of the deficiency in crops in Oregon and Washington. The whole system shows gross earnings of $31,070,000, the earnings on the stock being 188 per cent; last year this was 255 per cent. The company expects as important advantages from the consolidation of the U. P. and O. as from the Oregon Short Line and the Union Pacific. To prevent another contest with the Northern Pacific for the control of the O. R. & N. Co., and to reduce the rental of the Oregon Short Line the Union Pacific has purchased the majority of the O. R. & N. stock, the money to carry which could be better borrowed at one per cent less than the rental which had to be paid. The total amount due the government Dec. 30, was $50,833,000.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

A Runaway Train Reaches a Frightful Rate of Speed.

STAUNTON, Va., April 28.—At 3 A. M. an express train on the C. and O. railroad for Washington was descending a steep grade a mile west of here when the air brake was rendered useless, and the train rushed into Staunton at 80 miles an hour, tearing away the depot roof. The pullman was thrown on its side. In it were fifteen members of the Pearl Pekin troupe. Myrtle Knox was killed and a number of others hurt.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

Liquor in Original Packages Cannot be Seized by the State.

WASHINGTON, April 28. The supreme court of the United States through its chief justice to-day rendered an opinion adverse to the constitutionality of the state law providing for the seizure of liquor brought to the state in original packages. Such law the court holds, is an interference with interstate commerce.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The chief justice in delivering the opinion of the court, says in part: The power vested in congress to regulate commerce among the several states is a power to prescribe the rules by which that commerce is to be governed and is a power complete in itself. That ardent spirits are subjects of inter-state commerce cannot be denied. Whenever the law of a state amounts essentially to the regulation of commerce, as it does when it inhibits directly or otherwise the receipt of an imported commodity or its disposition before it has ceased to become an article of trade between one state and another, it comes in conflict with the power which in this particular instance has been vested exclusively in the general government and is therefore void. Justice Gray dedelivered a dissenting opinion in behalf of himself and Justices Harlan and Powers.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

No Further Progress Made The Friendly American Nations.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The senate republican silver committee was in session two hours this afternoon, but made no apparent progress.

Representatives of nine of the American republics to-day signed a foramal treaty of arbitration. It is expected that three more signatures and seals will be added soon.

A Cloud of Witnesses.

LITTLE ROCK, April 28.—The Clayton investigation committee examined 195 men to-day.

Indicted for Libel.

NEW YORK, April 28.—O'Donavan Rossa, was convicted of criminal libel by the jury to-night and recommended to Judge Anderson for mercy. Rossa was indicted for calling R. L. Cassidy a British spy and publishing similar libels in the United States.

THE COUNTRY'S MINERALS.

Oregon and Washington Show an Increased Production.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Director of the Mint Leech has submitted to congress a report on the production of the precious metals of 1889. The gold product of the United States was $32,000,000 against $33,000,000 the preceding year. The silver product approximated 54,400,000 fine ounces at a commercial value of $46,750,000 and a coinage value of $54,046,464, against the estimated product for 1888 of 46,783,652 fine ounces at a commercial value of $43,020,000 and a coinage value of $59,185,000.

The total metallic stock of the United states is estimated to have been on January 1st as follows: Gold coin and bullion, $689,275,065; silver coin and bullion, $438,285,624.

Oregon and Washington both report increased products, the former having produced $1,290,000 in gold. Colorado leads with $24,000,000 in gold and silver.

The Highest Water Ever Known.

DALLAS, Tex., April 28.—From about four hundred homes in Dallas and suburbs the inhabitants have been driven out by the overflow in Trinity river. This rise was a few inches higher than the one of '66, which was the highest recorded within the memory of the settlers.

Earthquake Shock.

SARATOGA, April 28.—Slight shocks of earthquake were felt here this morning.

CROP WEATHER BULLETIN

Following is the the Crop weather Bulletin of the Oregon weather Bureau, co-operating with U. S. Signal service, Central Office, Portland Oregon. For the week ending Saturday April 26th 1890.

Weather—The temperature has been slightly above the normal for the week. There was no rainfall. The days were bright, with warm sunshine, which was about the average. The nights were cool, light frosts, which did no apparent damage, occurred on the 23d. This has been the first of good growing spring weather, this season, and the result is that vegetation has made marked progress.

Cereals—Winter wheat is invariably reported to be in excellent condition. Spring seeding in Umatilla county, and in sections of the valley counties is done, but most of it is about being finished up. Early spring grain is up. Showers are desired in the Walla Walla valley to give the late spring sown grain a start. The effect of too much rain on wheat, on the low lands is shown to have been slightly injurious in the Willamette valley. Larger spring acreages than usual is and has been sown.

Fruit—All varities of fruit trees in all parts of the state, save in the more mountainous sections of eastern Oregon, are in full bloom and in many sections, the peach and cherry blossoms are falling. The frost on the 23d did not injure the fruit. Wild strawberries are in bloom. Grapevines are budding rapidly. In Wasco, Sherman, Morrow, Gilliam, back from the river, and counties to the south, the apple and cherry trees are budding. The present outlook is that peaches will be a short crop, but the other fruit will be plentiful.

Agricultural Operations, etc.—Spring seeding is being finished. The weather is favorable for the lambing season. Sheepshearing will begin within the next 10 days. The grass is growing very rapidly affording good grazing. Vegetables are becoming very plentiful and gardening is generally being very rapidly pushed. The weather for the week has been all that could be desired and all growing vegetation shows the favorable changes. The season continues about two weeks later than usual.

E. S. FOOTE,
Observer, U. S. Signal Service.
Assistant Director.

A Thrilling Episode.

Last evening as the passenger train from the south, drawn by freight engine No. 26, was nearing Medford, the wood in the tender took fire and the breeze caused by the rush of the train soon resulted in a wild conflagration in the car. Turning on a full head of steam the engineer ran for water, coming into Medford, with the fierce flames rolling up, and the train running at 50 miles per hour gait. Pausing at the depot the trainmen succeeded in uncoupling the tender from the mail car, and the engineer soon had the blaze subdued at the water tank. The mail car was beginning to blaze and the stoppage was made none to soon. Two tramps riding on the bumpers between the tender and mail car were badly scared and somewhat scorched. When the alarm was given at the depot a terrified stream of passengers poured from the cars. The mishap occasioned little delay, but only the prompt action of the engineer averted a catastrophe.—Jacksonville Times.

A FATAL CHARIVARI.

A Young Groom Shoots Several of His Tormentors.

THE SITUATION IN SAMOA.

Beslanger Receives His Final Death Blow in the French Elections

Old World Affairs

ALEXANDRIA, La., April 28.—C. Stewart was recently married at Hompdill to a well known young lady, and a number of young men concluded to charivari him and his bride. Accordingly on Saturday night the party assembled at his house and began their noisesome racket. The young groom arose and opened fire on the crowd. J. Berry and T. J. Johnson, aged 14, were killed, and T. J. Mitchell and J. Richel were seriously hurt. No arrests have been made.

THE SAN FRANCISCO STRIKE.

The Strikers are as Firm as When It First Started.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—"We have stopped all advertisements for 'in olders'" was the remark made at the office of the Risdon Works this evening, "and so far as we are personally concerned the strike is over. We are fully competent to fill all orders at the National Iron Works.

"Mr. Marchutz said that the association was solid and is willing to stand by their first declaration.

"We do not recise orders, but take them, and if we cannot handle them we send the work east. I think $200,000 in work has gone east since the strike."

One of the executive committees of the strikers this afternoon said: "We are as firm, and I am certain stronger, on the proposition not to work than we were when the strike started.

A HUSBAND'S AWFUL CRIME.

His Wife Still Lives After a Horrible Butchery.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—An inquest was held to-day in the case of M. Lane the stone cutter who assaulted his wife in such a horrible way Thursday last, and who afterwards shot himself. The jury decided that he committed the deed while insane. Mrs. Lane has shown a most remarkable vitality. She has two bullet wounds in the head, the frontal bone is fractured by a blow from a hammer, and she was severely bruised and cut about the head, but she is still alive.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC EARNINGS.

Showing of the Company's Annual Report.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—The Southern Pacific railroad company's annual report was issued today. The total mileage is 6562; gross earnings $36,343,207; operating expenses $30,634,355, against $40,000,615 and $30,708,676 in 1888. Funded liabilities of the road are $365,400,000; total assets $408,887,774. There was a deficit of $296,472 against a surplus of $1,579,456 last year.

THE MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—Wheat easy; buyer season, $1.50; buyer year 1890, $1.40.

CHICAGO, April 28.—1:35 P. M. close, wheat steady, cash 83¾; May 84⅞; July 87.

LIVERPOOL, April 28.—Wheat firm; traders offer moderately.

Wanted For Murder.

PORTLAND, April 28.—Chief of Police Parrish arrested W. E. Johnson, an employe in the Hotel Portland to-day on a telegram from the superintendent of the Chicago police who says he is wanted there on a charge of complicity in the murder of Mrs. Bingham in Chicago on March 16th, last. Johnson asserts his innocence.

Fire in a California Town.

TRUCKEE, April 28.—A part of Sierraville was burned last evening. Fire broke out in a saloon. The loss is $22,000, of which Laz Levy lost $20,000.

The Prize Ring.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—Billy Mehan and Billy Shannon, middle weights, fought in the Occidental club to-night for a purse of $1,250. Shannon was knocked out the 15th round after a hard fight. He forced the fighting from the start and had much the best of it to the last round.

Samoan Affairs.

MELBOURNE, April 28.—Advices from Samoa received here state that King Malietoa has signed a treaty for the settlement of the troubles with Tamasesa's party.

Boulanger's Race Is Run.

PARIS, April 28.—The full returns show a large falling off of the Boulangist vote in yesterday's election. The result of the balloting is looked on as a death blow to him.

The Comstock Mine Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—The principal defendants in the suit brought by F. J. Simmes and others against the Comstock Tunnel Co. in the United States circuit court of Nevada, to day filed their answer at Carson City. It sets forth minutely the history of the reorganization of the Sutro Tunnel Co. through the efforts of T. Sutro, of New York, and denies that the Sutro Tunnel Co. Syndicate as well as T. Sutro, attempted to defraud any stockholder.

KILLED AT McMINNVILLE.

A Farmer Meets Death from a Circular Wood-Saw.

McMINNVILLE, Or., April 28.—W. J. Helle a farmer living four miles north of here was killed today by a stick of wood flying from a circular wood-saw and striking him in the stomach. He lived but a few minutes. He leaves a wife and several children.

G. W. Olds a farmer and old pioneer living 8 miles southwest of town, has become suddenly crazy, caused, the doctors say, by the bursting of a blood-vessel in the brain.

THE EIGHT HOUR MOVE.

Other Questions Must Give Away to This Chief Object.

NEW YORK, April 28.—The general executive board of the American federation of labor after a protracted session this afternoon issued a manifesto to-night, which closes thus: The executive board of the American federation having selected the united brotherhood of carpenters and joiners of America to make the demand for the enforcement of 8 hours a day, ask you to refrain from any sympathy with the strike, rather remain at your work and aid us to win the contest. To carpenters and joiners our advice is to demand and insist upon the enforcement of 8 hours work a day.

The Chicago Strike.

CHICAGO, April 28.—A local paper says this evening that the trouble between the carpenters and the Builders' Association has become a game of freeze-out. The members of the association have informally agreed to entirely stop the attempt to carry on business for the present. It is almost certain that by Monday at least 4000 or 6000 men now idle will go to work for the new bosses of the association. Preparations for the expected packing house strike are going man. The international company proposes to close Tuesday.

O. R. & N. Earnings.

BOSTON, April 28.—The O. R. & N. Co's. gross earnings are $601,600, a decrease of $301,000, net earnings $156,000 a decrease of $677,000. The net deficit for the year is $736,000. The O. R. & N. had to assume this, and its account for the year stands as follows: Gross earnings $6,512,345, net earnings $2,728,655. The loss of the O. R. & N. is $736,205. The O. S. L. and U. N. earnings will be increased by the completion of 212 miles of O. R. & N. branches.

A Drunken Quarrel.

FRESNO, April 28.—A. Koenig, a farmer on Dry creek near Fire Baugh, shot and killed another named J. Hart yesterday. He was on a spree and Hart had taken a pistol from him. He then got a shotgun and killed Hart. He was pursued by a posse and shot down. His wound is thought to be fatal.

More Labor Troubles.

CHICAGO, April 28.—The steamfitters at Armour's quit today because eight hours was refused, and the coopers at Bottsford's struck against a contract requiring money deposits.

Crushed to Death.

PETALUMA, April 28.—This morning Damas Acosta, a man about 21 years old, employed as assistant miller at the Golden Eagle Mills in this city, got caught in the machinery and was crushed to death.

Spotted Fever.

FOUNTAIN HEAD, Tenn., April 28.—Spotted fever has broken out in Pleasant, Ills., during the past week. A number have been ill and 10 of the cases proved fatal.

Tacoma's Voting Population.

TACOMA, April 28.—The total registration for the municipal election on May 6 is 5477.

For Sale.

A number one three year old colt, well broken to drive, a cart and harness, all cheap for cash. For particulars inquire of R. B. Vunk.

The sale of seats for Caroline Gage and the Keene's Co., opened Thursday at Blackman's; the price of admission was fixed at 50 cents to any part of the house with no extra charge for reserved seats. As soon as tickets were placed on sale they commenced going rapidly and from the looks of the box sheet at present, the house will be far to small to accomodate all who contemplate attending.

He smoked cigarettes and chewed tobacco until he was 17 years old, and then stopped—because he had to—the tobacco laid him out for all time. That was the verdict on a Pomona, California boy who started out with a vigorous constitution but wound up by donning angel clothing at the early age of 17 years.

THE STRICKEN SOUTH

Aid for Thousands in the Overflowed District.

PROTECTION BY CONGRESS.

The Day's Proceedings at the National Capitol—What Dolph's "Investigation" Cost.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—In the senate to-day there was an extended discussion as to whether the levee system or the outlet or combination was the best fitted to protect the people of the Lower Mississippi valley from the floods. Various opinions were expressed.

Blackburn, who introduced the bill for the admission of Arizona, which was referred to Secretary Proctor, has received several replies to telegrams asking for information in regard to the extent of the suffering in the overflowed districts of the South.

The governor of Louisiana said that ten days' rations for 25,000 should be sent for distribution through that state.

The governor of Mississippi said probably 20,000 in that state need assistance.

The governor of Arkansas said 1500 persons in Phillips county and a considerable number in other counties need relief.

IN THE HOUSE.

The house committee on public lands to-day decided on a favorable report of the senate bill, with an amendment, providing for the acquisition of land for a town site and for commercial purposes in Alaska. The bill changes the capital from Sitka to Juneau.

The expenses of the Dolph senate investigation committee were about $2000. Several correspondents, who were kept under subpœna for 51 days, although only testifying twice, have been paid $153 each.

Ingalls to-day introduced a bill granting a pension of $6 a month to all persons who served in the late war not less than three months nor more than one year, and $8 a month to those who served more than a year and not over 800 days, and those who served over 800 days one cent per day for each day of service. No person who is worth $50,000 or over at the time of the application shall be entitled to this pension.

A COURSE IN STATISTICS.

The Latest Addition to the University of Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia Ledger.

One of the University of Pennsylvania's newest courses is that of statistics. As a portion of a liberal college education this study has only lately made its way into favor. Francis A. Walker, superintendent of the tenth census, and Carroll D. Wright of the labor bureau, both advise the teaching of statistics at the universities, and the latter, in a paper which he recently prepared upon the subject, gives as a reason the existing need of properly fitted men to take charge of the seventeen odd State labor bureaus and of the various registration agencies.

Dr. Roland P. Falkner, instructor of statistics at the university, says that the subject is now made a special course at but two colleges, Johns Hopkins and Columbia, Dr. Ingram teaching at the former and Professor R. M. Smith at the latter. At several other institutions it is taken up in connection with other studies, notably at Harvard, under Professor Hart, and at Massachusetts Institute of Technology under Professor Dewey. Dr. Falkner sums up the object which he seeks to attain by his instruction on the subject at the University of Pennsylvania as the cultivation of of the critical faculty in the use of figures. It was early seen that that the figures themselves as such could not be advantageously taught.

The course in statistics forms the instruction in the Wharton School of Finance and Economy, being taken up in the second term of the senior year. Professor R. M. Smith's treatise on the subject, almost the only one in existence, is used as a text-book. With this as a guide, the ground is gone over very thoroughly. Special topics are assigned, and each of the students is expected to prepare a report upon one of these every week. The reports are read in the classroom and discussed, and Dr. Falkner supplies notes and references in foreign languages. Practice is thus given in working up statistical figures and familiarity with the results in important cases obtained.

The general subject is studied, as writers arrange it, in three heads—viz., population, economics, and statistics relating to intelectual and moral conditions, such as crime, education, etc. Statistics of population were accordingly taken out first, and the early reports received from students this year were upon the various means of estimating population in use before the application of the modern census methods.

Don't forget that at Mrs. B. E. Hyman's is the place to get your sewing machines.