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Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office
Oregon City, Or., March 29, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington territory," Per neils J. Roub, of Port land, County of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1977, for the purchase of the S. E. ¼ of section No. 10, in township No. 11 south range No. 1 east, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday the 20th day of August, 1890. He names as witnesses: A. Desmond, of Scio, Oregon, H. F. Rose, of Scio, Oregon, Wm. Beal, of Lebanon, Oregon, H. P. Cameron, of Lebanon, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of August, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
Register.

SUMMONS.

In the Justice's Court in and for Albany precinct in Linn County, Oregon.

N. C. W. Risley, plaintiff.
vs.
Louis Ivanlovich, defendant.

To Louis Ivanlovich, the above named defendant.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace for the precinct aforesaid on the 28th day of June 1890 at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day after the publication of this summons once a week for six consecutive weeks, at the office of said Justice in said precinct to answer the above named plaintiff in a civil action.

The defendant will take notice that if he fail to answer the complaint herein the defendant will take judgement against you for the sum of ten and 22-100 dollars and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is published by order of the undersigned duly made this 12th day of May 1890.

GEO. HUMPHREY
Justice of the Peace for Albany precinct Linn County, Oregon.

SUMMONS.

In the county court of the state of Oregon for the county of Linn.

Henry Levene and Solomon Trotsky, plaintiff.
vs.
Rubin Trotsky, defendant.

To Rubin Trotsky, the above named defendant.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs in the above entitled court now on file in the office of the clerk of said court, on or before the first day of the regular July term, the same being held on the first Monday, the 7th day of July 1890, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer as herein required the plaintiffs will take judgement against you for one hundred and thirteen and 11-100 dollars, with interest at eight per cent per annum from the date thereof, and for costs and disbursements of this action to be taxed.

This summons is published in the HERALD-DISSEMINATOR by order of D. R. N. Blackburn, judge of said court, made at chambers, May 13, 1890.

J. P. MEAD,
L. H. MONTANYE,
Attorneys for plaintiffs.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of Linn county, Oregon.

In the matter of the estate A. S. Looney, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has this day filed her final account as Administratrix of the Estate of A. S. Looney, deceased, and that the Court has appointed Tuesday the 8th day of July 1890 at 2 o'clock P. M., of said day, as the time for hearing objections to said account and for the settlement thereon. Dated June 4th, 1890.

MARY A. LOONEY
Administratrix, of the estate of A. S. Looney, deceased.
GEO. W. WRIGHT.
Attorney for Administratrix.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Or.
May 28, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN [illegible] make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County [illegible] or in his absence [illegible] Clerk of Linn county at Albany, Oregon on Monday July 14, 1890, [illegible] Pelcque Fruits, H[illegible] Entry No. 5601 For the S, [illegible] Sec [illegible] Tp. 13 S. R 1 W. He names the following witness [illegible] continuous residence [illegible] cultivation of, said land [illegible] Samuel Hawken, of Brown[illegible] [illegible] Oregon.

J. T. APPERSON,
Register.

Certificate of Organization.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY,
WASHINGTON, May 21, 1890.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Linn County National Bank of Albany" in the city of Albany, in the county of Linn, state of Oregon, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Edward S. Lacey, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The Linn County National Bank of Albany" in the city of Albany, in the county of Linn and state of Oregon, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section 5169 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 21st day of May, 1890.

[SEAL.] E. S. LACEY,
Comptroller of the Currency.

Smoke the celebrated Havana filled 5-cent cigars, manufactured at Julius Joseph's cigar factory.

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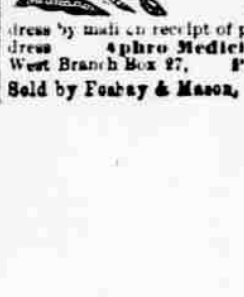

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Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Wm. S. Noble, deceased by the Honorable, the County Court of Linn County, Oregon. All persons having claims against the estate of said Wm. S. Noble, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same in writing, duly verified, to me in person, or to my attorney, G. W. Wright, Esq., at his law office in Albany, Linn County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated June 4th 1890.

ANDREW J. NOBLE,
Executor of the last will and testament of Wm. S. [illegible], deceased.
G. W. Wright, [illegible] for executor.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the matter of the Estate of Rebecca Cooper, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned administrator of the Estate of Rebecca Cooper deceased has this day filed his final account in said Estate and Monday August 5th, 1890 at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, has been fixed by the County court of Linn County Oregon as the time of hearing objections to said account if any there be and for the settling of the same.

Dated June 11 1890.

C. G. BURKHART,
Administrator.

Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned executor of the last will and testament of C. T. Ingram deceased, has this day filed his final account in the matter of said estate in the County court of Linn county, Oregon, and said court has fixed the 3rd day of June 1890 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day for hearing objections to said account if any there be and for the settlement thereof.

W. H. INGRAM,
Executor.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has filed her final account as administratrix of the estate of F. H. Ogle deceased, in the county court of Linn county, and the court has set Tuesday the 3d day of June at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M. for the hearing thereof. All persons having objection to the same are notified to present them at said time.

MRS. C. M. OGLE.

CITY TAXES.—Notice is hereby given that the tax roll of the city of Albany, Or., for the year 1890, has been placed in my hands for collection, and that I will be at the council chambers of said city to receive and receipt for the taxes charged in said roll, for the period of thirty days from date of this notice. All taxes remaining unpaid at the expiration of thirty days threreafter will be returned to the common council of the city of Albany as delinquent, and costs and expenses for collecting such taxes be added thereto.

JOHN N. HOFFMAN,
City Marshal.

Dated at Albany, Or., this 19th day of May 1890.

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THE RAILROADS.

Another Train to Be Run from Portland to Albany.

FRED CROCKER INTERVIEWED

He Imparts Some News Concerning the Southern Pacific Railroad's Plans—Changes in the Trains, Etc.

PORTLAND, June 16.—Colonel Fred Crocker, first vice-president of the Southern Pacific company arrived overland from San Francisco to-day accompanied by General Superintendent Fillmore, [illegible] enabled to grant himself a long promised tour of inspection of the Oregon lines of system in connection with the annual meetings of the terminal company and P. & W. V. directors.

"What we saw on the East Side road coming up," said he, "was very satisfactory and the country is very promising both in farming and business directions.

About the first of July we shall put on another local train out of Portland, running as far south as Roseburg. The other locals may then go only as far as Albany, but that has not been settled yet. Two locals will thus relieve our through train of its present heavy strain, as we will carry no local passengers on it. The travel between here and San Francisco is rapidly on an increase and it is our purpose to improve service and shorten time."

"What is likely to come up at the P. & W. V. meeting to-day?" was asked.

"The real object of the meeting is to incorporate the management of the P. & W. V. Railway with the entire Southern Pacific system. Then the election of officers and directors will come up."

What position will Wm. Reid have in the new regime?"

"Well, it is said he will not be re-elected to the presidency, which has carried with it an extensive managerial functions."

This position will undoubtedly be given to Mr. Koehler and the management thus be incorporated with the Southern Pacific system.

The Crocker party will leave on their tour of inspection over the West Side line Wednesday.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Measures to Prevent the Burning of Valuable Forests.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Senators Allison, Daniels and Vest addressed the senate to-day on the silver bill.

IN THE HOUSE.

Representative Butterworth today presented a resolution providing for the meeting of the house on July 4th, and for the setting apart of that day to celebration by suitable exercises of the adoption and promulgation of the declaration of independence.

It also provides for the presence and participation of the senate and for an invitation to the society of "Sons of American Revolution" to be present.

The president to-day transmitted to congress a communication to the secretary of the interior relating to the destruction by fire carelessly kindled or left of timber upon public lands. The president expressed an opinion that if the proper penalties were imposed by law and a few convictions secured much waste of forests would be prevented.

Passenger Train Wrecked.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, June 16.—This morning the Burlington "flyer" was wrecked near Island Park station by a defective rail. The baggage car, coach chair car, and the smoker were turned over in the ditch. A number of passengers were hurt but not fatally.

THE CHRONICLE BUILDING.

Its Magnificent New Quarters in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The new Chronicle building located at the intersection of Market and Kearney and Geary streets, one of the largest and most complete structures on the Pacific Coast was thrown open to public inspection to-night. The building cost in the neighborhood of one million. It is ten stories high and from the side wall to the top of the tower is 202 feet.

The new presses will turn out papers of from eight to twenty four pages at the rate of forty thousand per hour. Fireworks and electrical illumination were displayed from the roof and side of the building to-night. The first paper, which will be a large edition, will be printed in the new building next Saturday.

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BLAINE WRITES A LETTER.

He Says He Is in Favor of Free Sugar.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 16.—A letter from Secretary Blaine to Ex-Mayor Coney says: "You are in error in supposing I am opposed to sugar being admitted free of duty. My objection is not to free sugar, but to the proposed method of making it free.

We ought to receive in return for free sugar a market for sixty or seventy million dollars worth of our own products.

The Extraordinary Census.

HE COULD NOT BE SURE.

Census enumerator (to individual with luxuriant whiskers)—"What is your sex?"

Individual (indignantly)—"You'd take me for a man, wouldn't you?"

"Answer the question. You might be the bearded woman from the dime museum for all I know."

WANTED EXACTNESS.

Census enumerator (to Miss Elder)—"What is your age?"

Miss Elder—"I was born in '70."

Census enumerator—"1770 or 1870?"

IT'S ON THE LIST.

Census enumerator—Name, please."

The questioned—"John Henry Perkins."

"Of how many children are you the mother?"

"What?"

MORTUARY.

Census enumerator (to Philadelphia man)—"Your age, please."

Mr. Chestnut—"Forty-five."

Census enumerator—"Did you die during the past year or before that time?"

SOCIAL.

Census enumerator (to Chicago woman)—"Married, mum?"

Chicago woman—"Yes"

Census enumerator—"How many times have you been divorced since June, 1889?"—New York Sun.

HIS FIRST CLIENT.

A Judge's Practical Joke Brings a Young Lawyer a Brief.

"Did I ever tell you how I gained my first client?" Senator C. K. Davis of Minnesota asked a New York Star reporter the other evening. "No! Well, it's too good a story to keep, so here you are. Away back in eighteen hundred and ever so few—yes, that's definite enough—I was trying to practice law in a little town in Northern New York. It was long before the day of corporations and their natural sequence, corporation lawyers, and young men had to hustle for themselves, and a mean, inactive kind of hustling it was. Well, my shingle had been out for about six months and I had been the busiest man doing nothing—you can imagine. I began to be discouraged. One day—it was the 3d of May—a man did appear in my office and informed me that he was a stranger, and, needing legal advice had applied to the local judge, who had told him to come to me, as it was a well-known fact that I had never lost a suit. I was staggered for a moment, but came to time like a little man and admitted he had heard truly. I had never lost a suit—nor had I, being my first client. I suppose I should add that the Judge's practical joke made my fortune, but truth compels me to admit that it didn't. It took a great many years of very hard work to do that."

Santiam Roads.

County Judge Shaw and commissioner Grim and Cornelius have been up in the Santiam country the past few days looking after county highways. Last year a contract was let to Mr. Heath to open up a road along the Little North fork from Marion Taylor's, two miles above Mehama to Elk prairie, and the principal business of the court was to view this work. They found it done according to contract and accepted it. In relation to the Minto trail, they found that the O. P. railroad company had men at work making a good and sufficient trail wherever their road had destroyed it, and yesterday morning Don A. Smith, appointed by the county court for that purpose, started out with a pack train and a force of men to clear and open up the trail where it has not been touched by the railroad. So when this point is completed the trail will be in the best shape it has ever been. There is a wagon road as far east as Stewart's, about two and a half miles beyond Gatesville, but the rest of the way it is simply a trail. —Salem Journal.

House slippers at E. C. Searls'.

MINERS ENTOMBED.

Another Horror in the Pennsylvania Coal Mines.

OVER THIRTY MEET DEATH

An Explosion of Fire Damp Envelops Them in a Sea of Deadly Flame—Scenes at the Disaster.

DUNBAR, Pa., June 16.—This morning at 11:40 a sullen roar shook the miners dwellings on "Hill Farm," in Fayette county, near this place and a hundred a[illegible] sound too well and who feared another mine horror, soon found their apprehensions well grounded.

In a moment the fearful news had spread that the Hill Farm mine had exploded. The hill shook from mouth to pit. A rush was made to the mouth of the pit, but ingress was impossible as smoke in dense volumes was issuing forth.

Fifty two men had gone to work this morning and were in the slope when the explosion occurred. Of these fifty two, eighteen were in the left heading and thirty-four in the right heading. Those in the left heading got out all right. The others were cut off and not one escaped.

Their names are: Jos. Brigner, Richard Brigner, Milt Farney, Barney Maust, E. Maust, Pat Courtney, J. W. Mitchell, Jos. Bigley, Pete Eagan, Rob McGill, Martin Cavene, John Cope, Andrew Cope, Pat Devine, Jos. Delaney, John Joy, John Devaney, Dave Davis, Thos. Davis, Pat Cahill, Wm. Cahill, Pat Courtney, Jack Mitchell, Dan Smith, Dan Shearer, Wm. Hayes, Jas. McCleary and Elmer Denney. Of these 21 were married and had families.

The mine had been troubled with water and an air shaft had been drilled from the surface to the junction of the right and left shafts. The moment this was broken into a flood of water gushed out and James Kerwin and a man named Landy standing by yelled out for some one to save the men in the right shaft, as the water poured down the hill in a stream and he feared they would drown. Young Davis Hayes, who had seen the affair, leaped forward at the call and turned down the left side to warn the men below. Just as he passed the air shaft that had been broken into, the rush of waters changed to an ugly roar, which blanched the cheeks of the men. The flow of water had changed to a deadly volume of fire damp and as Young Hayes swung by the shaft a flash of blazing light slid through the shaft from end to end.

It seemed the daring young man had carried an open burning miner's lamp in his hand, and he had hardly taken a step beyond the roaring shaft when a spark set off the deadly fire damp, and he sank a corpse not ten feet toward the men who he had hoped to save, and whom he had certainly doomed. In an instant an unquenchable fire sprang up in the nine-foot vein just between the main entrance and an eight foot drift, forever shutting off the thirty-four men imprisoned there.

David Hayes, father of the mistaken hero, was driven mad by the fate of his son. He dashed into the sulphurous smoke and strangling fire damp, only to fall by the side of his son and to be drawn out an hour later with James Shearan. Both were recognized only by their wives. The fire fanned by the air from the main drift and from the fated shaft itself soon sprang into an awful conflagration.

SALE OF STOCK.

The Prices Go Way Up in the Thousands.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The third annual sale of yearlings of J. B. Higgin's ranch at Del Paso, California, comprising one hundred head began this forenoon. Twenty-two head were disposed of at a total of $35,770. Prices ranged from seven hundred to six thousand dollars per head.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

The Pacific Coast Gains It Once More.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The secretary of the navy to-day directed the award of the contract for the building of the 5500 ton cruiser Nob to the Union Iron Works at San Francisco.

The secretary of the navy to-day directed the award of the contract for an 8150 ton armored cruiser to Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia, at a bid of $2,985,000.

Train Accident.

PADUCAH, Ky., June 16.—A freight train on the N. N. & M. V. R. R. was derailed at Kerville, Tennessee, this morning. The engine and ten cars were wrecked badly. Engineer Glynn Perkins and an unknown negro tramp was crushed to death. Rush Marshall, the fireman, was fatally hurt.

National Election Bill.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The national election bill as framed by the house republican caucus committee has been printed. The chief supervisors of elections in judicial districts are charged with the execution of the law, which is to apply to federal elections in cities of 20,000 inhabitants or upwards, and in the entire congressional districts, exclusive of such cities, upon the application to the supervisor of 100 voters; or in counties forming a part of a congressional district on application of 50 voters.

WICKED CALIFORNIANS.

Governor Waterman's Appeal to Suppress Prize Fighting.

SACRAMENTO, June 16.—Governor Waterman to-day addressed a letter to Attorney General Johnson on the subject of prize fighting, in which he says: "I desire most sincerely to direct your attention to the fact that the state has been thoroughly and completely disgraced by the maintenance of an organization given up to the degrading and disgusting exhibitions of brute force, and the so-called scientific contests between the so-called scientific athletes, which are nothing more nor less than prize fights, in opposition to decency and the good order of society, against which a law made and provided in such cases should be operative in those localities of the state where these practices take place. They should no longer be permitted to defame and degrade our state. Will you do me a favor in the absolute interest of the state of inquiring into the matter, and if the local officers of the law are not able to cope with the subject, I invoke your aid as the chief law officer of the state and ask you to proceed immediately and take such decisive action and measures as will in future preserve from so foul a blot the escutcheon of the state of California."

THE CHINESE HORDES.

On Trial for Open Violation of the Exclusion Act.

TUCSON, Ariz., June 16.—The trial of the 24 Chinamen, charged with the violation of the exclusion law, was commenced before United States Commissioner Hughes today. The evidence appeared conclusive that the Chinese came direct from Hong Kong to San Francisco. They were denied admission there and transferred to the steamer Newbern and landed by her at Guaymas. They made their way across Sonora into Arizona.

H. H. Schell, United States Inspector, arrested two Chinamen to-day charged with violating the exclusion law. They crossed the Mexican line into the United States near La Ora. They will be tried to-morrow.

Fishing Depredations.

HALIFAX, June 16.—A correspondent at Litel Lorraine, N. B. writes on the 6th inst. that three American fishing vessels came into the harbor unceremoniously and cut away the nets and buoys of local fishermen, taking 600 barrels of mackerel.

Cholera in Spain.

MADRID, June 16.—The government announced in the senate today that it had been proved that the disease now prevailing in Puebla Rugat is Asiatic cholera and there is no cause for alarm. It is further stated that the board of health had sent a deputation to Valencia and had taken sanitary measures to prevent the spread of the disease.

The Unhappy Czar.

LONDON, June 16.—The News' Berlin correspondent says: The St. Petersburg police have discovered a widespread conspiracy against the czar's life. The imperial palace had been undermined. Guards at all the place are doubled, and several arrests have been made.

Dock Laborer's Strike.

LONDON, June 16.—Thirteen thousand dock laborers at Swansea struck for higher wages to-day. The shipping business of the [illegible] is at a standstill.

Striking Plumbers.

DENVER, June 15.—Plumbers to the number of 300 quit work this morning and joined the striking carpenters and mill men. Several gangs of brick layers, lathers and hod carriers also quit.

White House Economy.

Imagination pictures the presidential family as living on the pinnacle of splendor and luxury. Any other house in town almost offers more real comfort to its occupants, and there are a hundred houses where more art and luxury are found in the finish and fittings.

The family have no living-room and sitting-room that is private and their own, save the end of the draughty corridor upstairs. The offices have absorbed so much of the house that only one bed-chamber can be set apart for the guests whom they may wish to entertain. Much of the table service is plated ware, the carpets are often turned and the curtains patched. Mrs. Harrison says anxiously: "If we can afford new curtains this year," quite as if she were a housekeeper with a husband on a salary instead of the mistress of the White House.

While we run largely to specialties our stock is always full of choice goods in our line. Spencer & Blackburn.

STATE AND COAST.

Republicans Carry the City Election in Portland.

THE RAILROAD ELECTIONS

A Destructive Grain Field Fire in California—The San Francisco Chronicle's New Building.

PORTLAND, June 16.—Very little interest was taken to-day in the city election for three city councilmen and a city treasurer. The total vote cast was 3835. The republicans elected the entire ticket. Frank Hackney for treasurer and C. M. Forbes councilman for the second ward, had no opposition. C. Castendick was elected from the first ward by 367 majority, and W. Fleisner from the third district by 763.

RAILROAD CO.'S ELECTION.

The Old Board was Principally Elected.

PORTLAND, June 16.—The annual meeting of the Oregon Transcontinental Co. was held here to-day. The old board of directors were elected with the exception of Messrs. Bartlett, Hall and Charlton. In their places Rufus Mallory, C. A. Dolph and T. H. Tindale, of Portland, were elected.

The Oregon Railway & Navigation Co. held its annual meeting to-day and elected the following directors: Edmund Smith, C. F. Adams, W. B. Fosdick, H. R. Reed, G. M. Lake, D. P. Thompson, C. J. Smith, W. M. McIntosh, W. W. Cotton, A. L. Mills, L. Lloyd Brooks, H. C. Campbell.

The Northern Pacific Terminal Co. elected the following directors to-day: Henry Failing, H. W. Corbett, C. J. Smith, C. P. Huntington, J. B. Williams, R. Koehler, P. Schulze, C. A. Dolph and G. M. Lane.

The Portland & Puget Sound Railroad Company elected directors to day as follows: C. J. Smith, W. W. Cotton, D. P. Thompson, E. Cookingham, C. F. Holcomb, W. H. Holcomb, C. F. Ames, G. M. Lane.

The following board of directors were elected by the Oregon Improvement Co.: Elijah Smith, C. A. Dolph, Jas. H. Benedict, S. H. Thayer, Prosper W. Smith, Henry Failing, C. H. Lewis, C. J. Smith, Wm. Ladd, Jonathan [illegible].

The Willamette Transportation & Locks Co. to-day elected the following officers and directors for the ensuing year: C. J. Eastham, president; Thos. C. Charman, vice-president; J. C. Moreland, secretary; Chas. H. Caufield, treasurer; E. L. Eastham, C. J. Moreland, G. H. Harding, C. O. T. Williams and Thomas C. Harman directors.

GRAIN FIELDS BURNED.

A Disastrous Fire in the California Wheat District.

MERCED, June 16.—This afternoon C. C. Smith's house, five miles south of this city, caught fire from a defective flue and was totally destroyed. A high wind was blowing and the fire first spread to the barn, and from that to the grain field. It raged for five hours, burning grain stacks and fields until a strip 13 miles in length had been laid in ashes. The wind died away at sunset and the fire were brought under control. [illegible] loss will be about $20,000. [illegible]nce small.

A Steamship Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The British ship Drumeltan arrived in port to-day from Cardiff. On April 15th, the Drumeltan passed the German bark Adamant, of Hamburg, abandoned and all her masts gone. No signs of life were visible.

"Boss" Buckley Married.

BOSTON, June 16.—The marriage of Miss Annie Hurley, of this city, and Cristopher A. Buckley, a wealthy capitalist of California, took place at the Catholic church of the Holy Cross to day.

On the Retired List.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Brigadier-General Holabird, quartermaster-general of the army, was to-day placed on the retired list of the army, having reached his 64th year.

The Prize Ring.

BUFFALO, June 16.—Ed. Smith, of Denver, defeated Jim Daly, of Philadelphia, in a seven-round fight here to-night before the Arlington club for a purse of $1500.

Citizens Meeting.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Jesse Seligman, Bishop Potter, Father Ducey, R. Heber Newton, Gustav Schwab and many other prominent citizens have issued a call for a meeting to organize a citizens movement for purification of municipal affairs by non-partisan nominations at the coming election.