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REACHED AGREEMENT.

The war between Russia and Japan is now reported to be a thing of the past—a mere matter of history. The plenipotentiary's from both countries reached an agreement satisfactory to both governments at Portsmouth, N. H., last Tuesday.

Beyond doubt it is right that the war should end; it is humane to consider the sacrifice of life that a war entails; another thing to consider is property that is lost and country devastated; many families resident in the war belt are caught as by the tail of a cyclone and hurled to destruction or direct poverty.

Japan is thought by many to have got worsted in including the terms. If Japan is satisfied the matter is settled—she is the judge. The general theory advanced is that Japan was out-generalled in the peace negotiations because she failed to secure an indemnity. Not so. It may be possible that the Mikado never expected nor hoped for an indemnity, but knowing well the temper of the Russians, stuck for what was almost on the face of it an impossible thing.

By such an act Japan may have reasoned she would be enabled to finally conclude peace terms on a basis acceptable to herself. If such were in truth the case then the Japanese, not the Russians, are the shrewd diplomats.

As for the Sahalin island, it matters little. Japan will undoubtedly do with it about as she pleases henceforth. It is too near Japan's base for her to worry over what Russia may or may not do on the island in the future. Japan has trounced Russia as she never was before and possibly, probably, never will be again.

There are many reasons for Japan's splendid victory. First of all, Russia made a woeful underestimate of her adversary's fighting ability—this really was the secret of it all. Another thing which conspired to Russia's defeat was the disaffection of her own subjects. That she was fighting too far from her base of supplies, both of men and the materials of war, is another factor in her defeat.

Russia will not (should not) soon forget the lesson she has been taught. May she profit by it. On the other hand it is to be hoped that Japan will continue to merit the confidence and esteem of mankind.

FIRST SHOT FIRED.

Linn to Make Test of Local Option Law.

Since local option went into effect January 1st, last, many have watched its workings with interest. Clubs were organized and maintained at several points in Oregon under the state law. One of these existed in Lebanon and, as stated in the last issue of the Gazette, the place was raided recently by Linn county authorities.

The prosecutions under the local option law have commenced. Yesterday afternoon Gale S. Hill, deputy district attorney for Linn county, filed a complaint in Justice of the Peace W. S. Risley's court, charging Andrew Jennings, of Lebanon, with a violation of the local option law by selling a glass of beer to George Ray in the club rooms in Lebanon. Last evening Mr. Jennings came to this city and was nominally placed under arrest, and he will appear in court today and plead to the charge.

Jennings, with his brother, was formerly in the saloon business in Lebanon, and when the precinct in which the saloon was located went dry at the local option election, and the city council of Lebanon declined to grant a license in the precinct in which local option did not carry, for the reason that it was the residence district of the town, the firm was temporarily out of business. Some time ago Jennings was charged with selling liquor in violation of the local option law, and to this he at that time pleaded guilty and was fined. Since that time the Lebanon Social and Athletic Club was organized, and the headquarters of the organization are in the building formerly occupied by the Jennings Brothers for a saloon. This was the place raided last Saturday night by the sheriff under a proceeding brought for the purpose of securing evidence of the violation of the law, and the case brought in the justice court yesterday afternoon is the result.

The purpose is to test the local option law and the legality of clubs, such as Lebanon had, to operate in and supply its members with intoxicants, it being held that the club organized in Lebanon was but a subterfuge to evade the local option law passed by the people last fall.

Speaking of the matter last evening Mr. Hill stated that this was but one of a series of cases that would be brought as the result of the raid on the Lebanon club and that violators of the local option law, if they could be proved to be violators, would be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A club similar to the one in Lebanon is running in Corvallis, and it is stated that the authorities in Benton county are eagerly watching the outcome of the case in Linn county, for if it is found that the courts will uphold the officers in their attempts to suppress such clubs, steps will be taken immediately to put a stop to the operations of the Corvallis club.

Photographer's Meet.

The annual convention of the Photographer's Association of the Pacific Northwest will meet in Portland next week from the 4th to the 8th inclusive. Our local photographers, W. S. Gardner and W. G. Emery are members of the association and the latter will attend the convention taking a few samples of his best work. Whether Mr. Gardner has arranged to attend is not known.

Corvallis work has received splendid recognition at past conventions and we may expect to hear of new honors for our local artists. Some of the features of the convention are the evening sessions at which time a paper,

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is read on a suggested topic and the paper is then made the subject for a general discussion.

Photographer Emery's name appears on the official program as one of the few men selected to read papers. Mr. Emery's subject will be, "The Country Photographer." The other speakers are J. Savannal, of Victoria, B. C., subject "Art Principles as Applied to Photography;" A. T. Muir, of Seattle, subject, "Gum Bichromate Printing;" S. E. Goodall, of San Francisco, subject, "Cleanliness of studios in general." These are all live subjects.

Married.

Wedding bells rang at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kyle in Jobs Addition, this city, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. At this time Miss Ethel Kyle became the wife of A. S. Hall, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Independence, who came up especially for this purpose.

The young people are both well known in this city, where they possess many warm friends. Both are graduates of OAC. The bride was one of the teachers in the public schools of this city and could have held her position indefinitely had she so elected. The groom after taking his degree at OAC went to Schenectady, N. Y., where he secured a scholarship in a large school of electrical engineering. He is but recently back to this coast.

The young couple took the train for Portland, Wednesday afternoon. They go to Cleone, not far from Portland. This place is the home of Mr. Hall's father and here they may remain, as the elder Mr. Hall is well advanced in years and desires Albert to remain at home.

The ceremony on this occasion was performed only in the midst of immediate relatives and one or two close friends. Miss Hazel Kyle accompanied the couple to Portland for a visit at the metropolis.

No. 4301.

Report of The Condition of the First National Bank of Corvallis, at Corvallis, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, August 25, 1905.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, Capital stock paid in, and various deposits.

State of Oregon, County of Benton ss: I, Geo. E. Lilly, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1905. BERT YATES, Notary Public. CORRECT—ATTEST: E. H. WILES, M. S. WOODCOCK, WALTER T. WILES, Directors.

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and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only Sold at Allen & Vander's drug store.

THE STORK BRINGS JOY

To the household but how about the mother? Has she been joyful during the weeks and



months preceding the advent? Too many mothers find it a time of fearful anxiety because of the knowledge that they are "not in good health."

They have allowed weaknesses, pains and drains to accumulate till the health is completely undermined and they are "more than discouraged," and all because they have been misadvised by well-meaning friends or maltreated by an inefficient doctor.

To all such here is the news that there is a remedy that will heal and not hurt. It was discovered forty years ago by Dr. Pierce who searched Nature's laboratory—the earth, for the remedial agents so liberally provided therein. He took Lady's Slipper root, Black Cohosh root, Unicorn root, Blue Cohosh root, Golden Seal root, and by extracting, combining and preserving, without the use of alcohol, the glyceric extracts of these natural remedies he has given to the world Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which has to its credit the enviable and unparalleled record of more than a half-million of cures in the last forty years.

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Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Portland, Oregon, July 7, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an 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," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

EUGENE BOGERT, of Monmouth, county of Polk, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 654, for the purchase of the E. of S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of Section No. 18 in Township No. 12 South, Range No. 6 West, 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 Register and Receiver at Portland, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1905.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of September, 1905.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

A Cold Settled in His Kidneys.

A. J. Jenness, 9201, Butler St., Chicago, writes: "I am a switchman. I am out in all kinds of weather. I took a cold which settled in my kidneys and I was in a bad shape. I tried several advertised remedies with no benefit, until I was recommended to try Foley's Kidney cure. Two-thirds of a bottle cured me. Sold by Graham & Wortham."

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Individual Tickets. RATE..... One and one-third fare for the round trip. SALE DATES... Daily from May 29th to Oct. 15th, 1905. LIMIT..... Thirty ds. but not later than Oct. 31, 1905. \$3.50

Parties of Ten or More. For parties of ten or more from one point, (must travel together on one ticket both ways), party tickets will be sold as follows: RATE..... One fare for the round trip. SALE DATES... Daily from May 29th to Oct. 15th, 1905. LIMIT..... Ten days. \$2.60

Organized Parties of 100 or More. For organized parties of one hundred or more moving on one day from one place, individual tickets will be sold as follows: RATE..... One fare for the round trip. SALE DATES... Daily from May 29th to Oct. 15th, 1905. LIMIT..... Ten Days. \$2.60

Stopovers. No stopovers will be allowed on any of the above tickets; they must be used for continuous passage in each direction. For further information call on J. E. FARMER, Agent, Corvallis.

W. E. COMAN, Gen'l Pas. Agt., Portland.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

Table with columns for MAIL ARRIVES and MAIL DEPARTS. Lists times and routes for various mail services.

Try for Health

222 South Peoria St., CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 7, 1902. Eight months ago I was so ill that I was compelled to lie or sit down nearly all the time. My stomach was so weak and upset that I vomited frequently. I could not urinate without great pain and I coughed so much that my throat and lungs were raw and sore. The doctors pronounced it Bright's disease and others said it was consumption. It mattered little to me what they called it and I had no desire to live. A sister visited me from St. Louis and asked me if I had ever tried Wine of Cardui. I told her I had not and she bought a bottle. I believe that it saved my life. I believe many women could save much suffering if they but knew of its value.

Do Not be Imposed Upon. Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for the children and delicate persons. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

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