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Bright the eyes that saw the glory. Kind the hearts that felt the glow.

Waft me, oh! ye music-waters, To that dim and distant time.

And again, with my Loretta, "Watch the dying of the day"

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Willie I listen to your music "Tis another voice that sings

For me—ah! never more. Sing for me—ah! never more.

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THE UTAH CONTENT.

The House committee on judiciary gave a hearing on the 8th inst., to Cannon of Utah, who is contesting the seat which was given to Campbell upon the certificate of the governor of Utah.

The House sub-committee on Territories favors the admission of Washington as a State.

The Tribune denounces the effort to make a State out of New Mexico as a disreputable job.

The Porto has conferred the grand order of the imperial order of Osmannic upon Count Von Moltke.

Sir William Palliser, inventor of Palliser's projectiles, and a scientist of note, died at London on Monday.

Lieut. Harbor Master Schellize, of the navy, left for Europe on the search for De Long's party.

The extension of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad to Chicago is among the probabilities of the coming summer.

Gen. Abel Buford, of Kentucky, a well known sporting man, has retired from the army and joined a Louisville Church.

The trouble between the rival governments at Jalisco, Mexico, has been quietly terminated by the abdication of Riestra, one of the governors.

Charles McLane, Greenback member of the Massachusetts legislature, was sentenced to imprisonment for three months at Boston last Saturday for being a common drunkard.

The Secretary of the Interior has modified the ruling of Secretary Schurz by which any useful timber heretofore excluded can now be planted under the timber culture act.

Miss Fannie Cavalry, of Atlanta, Ill., was allowed \$20,000 damages last week in her suit against Dr. James A. Campbell for seduction while under the influence of either in his office.

The wholesale drygoods house of Evans & McDonald, of Fort Wayne, Ind., was attacked by creditors on the 4th inst. A blanket mortgage is held on the stock by a relative in California.

The county officers of Grant county, Dakota, attempted to remove the county seat from Big Stone to Mill Bank last week, when 300 of the citizens of the former place threatened to kill the first man that attempted to move the seat. The county seat is still at Big Stone.

General Ignatieff, in receiving Jewish delegates, and he hoped before many months the western frontier would be opened to Jews. The murder of Jews near Novorod was committed by peasants without the smallest provocation.

The inscription in Yemen, Arabia, is ground. A number of Arabs have deserted the Turkish standard. Insurgents are in possession of the principal interior towns and occupy them, from which they can only be dislodged by a large force.

A daughter of John Hill, living near Lincoln, Neb., aged 14, while playing with a loaded shotgun discharged the weapon, and the entire load took effect in the body of her little brother, aged 6, from the effects of which the child soon died.

John Chelish, John Mezha and Joe Pachia were pushing a car load of coal on a trestlework at Locust Point Maryland, on the 5th, when the trestlework gave way and the men were killed.

The Irish parliamentary party re-elected Parnell chairman and resolved to raise the entire question of administration in Ireland, particularly the suppression of the tenants' organization, in address in reply to a speech from the throne.

A letter addressed to Foster, containing a damp substance, violently explosive when dry, reached Dublin Castle a few days after Foster left for London. The police are inquiring into the circumstances.

Notice of H. Hirschberg. Any one wishing to pay any money due me, during my absence, will pay the same to Mr. L. W. Robertson or Mr. W. P. Conaway, who will receipt for the same. H. HIRSCHBERG. INDEPENDENCE, JAN. 28, 1882. 2w

Administrator's Notice. Whereas I, W. P. Conaway, was on the 31 day of January, 1882, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Birch, deceased, by the Hon. the County Court of Polk county, Oregon, therefore, as such administrator, I hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the said estate shall present them, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to me at L. W. Robertson's drug store, in Independence, Polk county, Oregon.

W. P. CONAWAY. Administrator. Jan. 7th, 1882. BELT & PAPER. Attorneys for Administrator.

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