

EASTERN.

News of the Week from Beyond the Rockies.

A REPRESENTATIVE DIES.

Seth C. Moffatt From the Eleventh Michigan District. WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Representative Seth C. Moffatt, of Michigan, died at 7 o'clock this morning at Providence hospital.

Mr. Moffatt's residence was in Traverse City, Michigan. He was elected to the Fiftieth (this) congress as a republican. He was a native of Michigan, born at Battle Creek in that state, August 10, 1841.

FIRE IN PITTSBURG.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 22.—Fire broke out in the millinery and furnishing store of Fleichman & Co. early this morning. The flames had gained considerable headway when discovered, and before they could be controlled the double-story structure, together with the adjoining five-story building of Yeager & Co., toy dealers, were completely gutted.

ACQUITTED.

Boulder McGarigle Evidently got Away Independent of Help. CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Dr. St. John Levi-dell and Capt. Freir, who have been on trial for aiding Warden McGarigle to escape from the jail several months ago, have been acquitted, the judge instructing the jury to bring in such verdict.

FOUND DEAD.

Mysterious Death of a Man and His Wife in New York City. NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—James Miller, a real estate dealer 70 years old, was found dead this morning on the floor of his room. Beside him lay his wife unconscious and dying.

FIRE IN WISCONSIN.

Threatened Destruction of the Town of New Richmond. MILWAUKEE, Dec. 23.—A dispatch from Hudson, Wis., says a telegram was received at that place this morning from New Richmond, Wis., asking for assistance from their fire department, as the city was being destroyed by fire.

A RUMORED STRIKE.

Said that not a Wheel Will Run on the Reading Road to-day. NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The officials of the Reading road refuse to give any information about the threatened strike. The latest trouble is at Elizabethport, where they refused to put Reading coal on Cox's Bros.' boats, because the latter are Lehigh Valley operators.

RAILWAY WRECK.

A Passenger Train Thrown from the Track and One Killed and Fourteen Hurt. PHILIP, Wis., Dec. 23.—The evening passenger train on the Wisconsin Central railroad was thrown from the track by a broken rail two miles south of Fifeled. Price county, last night. Three cars were thrown from the track down a fifteen-foot embankment. One person was killed and fourteen wounded.

FOUR MEN KILLED.

They Warm Dynamite and It Goes Off Half Cooked. HALIFAX, Dec. 23.—The explosion of dynamite at a limestone quarry near Brookfield this morning killed four men, one of them being James McDonald, proprietor. They were warming dynamite previous to blasting when it occurred.

THE DYING LEADER.

Ex-Secretary Daniel Manning's Death Hourly Expected. ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Daniel Manning is still living, and may last several hours yet, but his death is hourly expected.

MANNING DIES. Surrounded by his Family, He Quietly and Gently Ceases to Breathe.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 24.—Ex-Secretary Manning seemed to rally and brighten considerably this morning, to the surprise of his family, and at about one o'clock this afternoon his son James H., who had been up watching at his bedside almost without rest, went out for a short walk in the fresh air.

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SAFE FROM JUSTICE.

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YOUNG McNEELY admitted his identity. He sent for Consul-General Phelan, with whom he had a long private interview.

SACO, Maine, Dec. 24.—A telegram was received from Halifax last evening saying that the authorities could not lawfully hold young McNeely, who robbed the Saco bank, any longer, and had released him from custody.

ABOUT ADMISSION.

The Pioneer Press Gets the Opinions of Congressmen. ST. PAUL, Dec. 24.—The Pioneer Press recently sent printed inquiries to members of the present congress asking their views on the question of the division of Dakota and its admission as either two states or one.

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Another Accident Reported From Wisconsin—No One Killed. CLINTON JUNCTION, Wis., Dec. 24.—A passenger train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway was derailed by a misplaced switch southeast of this village this morning.

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CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR BURGESS.

The Man Who Designed the Three-Winged Yacht. NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The subscriptions to the national purse to be given to Edward Burgess, the designer of the Puritan, Mayflower, and Volunteer, each of which in turn successfully defended the American cup, has reached the sum of \$10,172.25, and a check for that amount was sent Mr. Burgess at Boston last night.

THE STRIKE.

All is Quiet Along the Coal Wharves—Special Precautions. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—All is quiet at the port of the Richmond coal wharves this morning. The superintendent of police has issued orders to the police lieutenants to keep the entire force in reserve and detail officers at the station house until further orders.

NOTABLE DEATH.

One of the Most Prominent Members of the Clan na Gael. NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Dennis Corbett, one of the most prominent and active members of the Clan na Gael, died yesterday morning at his residence in this city with cancer of the tongue.

THE KNIGHTS.

They Are Busy Circulating Petitions for a Government Telegraph. NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Knights of Labor are busy engaged circulating petitions which, when filled, will be sent to congress and will call on that body to take steps to establish a government telegraph.

LOST AT SEA.

A Tale of Suffering by Two Survivors.

TWICE SHIPWRECKED AND SAVED.

Loss of the American Clipper Ship Alfred Watts with Twenty-Men on Board. NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The story of the loss of the American clipper ship Alfred Watts has just been told by Oscar Linn and Henry Magnus, sole survivors of the crew of twenty-eight. The Watts, under the command of Captain F. H. Johnson, left Philadelphia October 8th with a full cargo of oil for Japan.

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PACIFIC COAST.

A HOLD REPLY.

Hager Scores Judge Sawyer for His Recent Letter. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—Collector of the Port Hager has written a long letter to Congressman Morrow in reply to the recent communication of Judge Sawyer in regard to official acts of the collector of customs in landing Chinese passengers under the restriction act.

TERMINAL GROUNDS. A Deed From Crocker to the O. & C. Railroad. PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 22.—Deeds transferring property to the amount of \$106,512 from Charles Crocker to the O. & C. R. R. were filed in the county clerk's office to-day.

MANNING DYING.

The Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Approaching His End. ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Manning is gradually sinking. Death may be expected at any moment.

ACCIDENT AT TURNER.

Frank Robertson Falls From the Roof of His House. TURNER, Or., Dec. 23.—Frank Robertson, while working on his dwelling house late this evening, accidentally fell from the roof, a distance of fifteen feet, striking on the back of his head, neck and shoulders, seriously if not fatally injuring him.

ALBANY NEWS.

Death of the Widow of Martin Costello At Harrisburg. ALBANY, Or., Dec. 23.—A Harrisburg special says the widow of Martin Costello, a wealthy citizen of that place, died to-day after an illness of one month.

SECTION HOUSE BURNED.

The Section Foreman Probably Fatally Burned. YUMA, Ariz., Dec. 23.—The Gila City section house was destroyed by fire early this morning. The section foreman was fearfully burned, probably fatally.

DROWNED IN THE WILLAMETTE.

A Deck Hand of the Wm. M. Hoag Goes to the River's Bottom. PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 24.—At 3 o'clock this afternoon, as the steamer Wm. M. Hoag was coming down the river, opposite Ross Island, David Harner, of Corvallis, a deck hand, was accidentally knocked overboard by a gangplank.

MALARIA.

Darby's Prophylactic Fluid is held in wide esteem as a specific and preventive. In it we have the means of rendering the air and water wholesome.

HOW CESAR GOT AHEAD.

Detroit Free Press: It was an ex-federate soldier at Sheffield who was giving some of his experience at the battle of Fort Donelson.

MACLEAY ITEMS. The fall term of school closes at this place next Friday.

EVERYBODY come to the shooting match on Wednesday, the 28th, and get a turkey.

DO NOT let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

GET RID OF THAT BAD TASTE. When you wake up in the morning with a bad taste in your mouth, with your throat and tongue dry and a yellow coating on your teeth and gums, don't imagine it was all caused by what you ate the night before.

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HOW DO WE DIG OUR GRAVES?

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of an execution, decree and order of sale duly issued out of the honorable circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Marion, and to me directed on the second day of December, 1887, wherein Irwin Snider, plaintiff, recovered judgment against Wm. Clark, W. S. Lerritt, Wm. Clark, W. S. Lerritt and S. Lerritt, defendants, said judgment being for the sum of \$125.00 in gold coin of the United States, and interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 17th day of October, 1887, and the sum of \$27.51 attorneys fees, and the costs and disbursements of said suit herein taxed at \$84.60, together with accruing costs and expenses, I will sell at public auction on Saturday, the 7th day of January, 1888,

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED has this day been appointed administrator of the estate of Leon W. Smith, deceased, by the county court of Marion county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them with proper vouchers within six months from the date of this notice to the undersigned at his residence five miles south of the town of Butteville in said county. DAVID J. FERGUSON, Administrator.

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NOTICE. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, TAKE NOTICE that the South British Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of New Zealand, Ltd. intends to cease doing business in the state of Oregon, and to withdraw its capital therefrom. The SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND. By Williams, Ach and Wood, Attorneys, Portland, Oregon, Oct. 4, 1887.

NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MY WIFE Julia A., has left my board, care and protection without any just cause or provocation. I therefore forbid all persons trusting or harboring her on my premises, and I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date. Dated at Champeau, county of Marion, state of Oregon, the 4th day of October 1887. J. LEIGOR.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the First National Bank of Salem, Oregon, for the year 1887, will be held at the banking house of the association on Tuesday, January 9th, 1888, at 4 o'clock p. m. JOHN W. MINTO, Cashier.

HOWELL, DENTIST. PERSONS DESIRING dental work should call at my office in Silvertown and be informed about my new process of fitting rubber plates. All work done by me for the past five years by the new process has given general satisfaction. Teeth extracted and filling done without pain. Gold filling a specialty. All work guaranteed and done for less money than ever before. 8-12

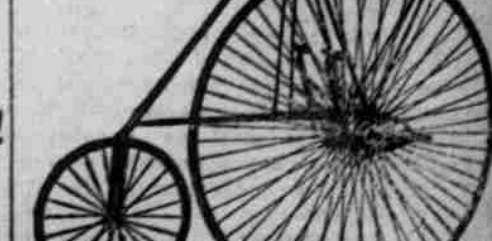
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Capital National Bank of Salem will be held at its banking house at three o'clock p. m. Tuesday, January 30th, 1888. J. H. ALBERT, Cashier.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—HAVING retired from business, all persons knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to call and settle by December 31st, 1887, after which date all unpaid accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. M. KAMINSKY, Gervais, Oregon, Nov. 23, 1887.

STRAYED.—ABOUT FOUR WEEKS AGO, a Paul Ronco's place four miles up the river from Salem, a bay mare, weight about 1100, heavy with foal; and one yearling mare with one eye out. Finder will be paid for trouble by bringing home or sending word. Address Paul Ronco, Salem, Or.

FOR SALE.—A LARGE STRAW CUTTER, to be run by power. Nearly as good as new. Will be sold and delivered for \$80. Inquire at the Daniel Clark farm, or address W. T. Clark, Salem.

FOR SALE.—ABOUT SEVENTY HEAD OF Angora goats. Enquire of J. Harlick county two miles north of Salem, in Polk county. 12-16-1m



Star bicycles, safe, practical and fast. No headers or dangerous falls. 500 miles in 24 hours. Accepted world's records on road from 150 to 200 miles. World's safety records from 1 to 20 miles on a track. First American machine to make more than 20 miles within the hour. Won all hill climbing contests, both as to speed and grade. Won all first prizes, when in competition, since 1881. Send for catalogue to Catterlin & Hicks, agents for Marion, Polk, Yamhill and Linn counties. 150 State Street, Salem, Oregon.

Don't Sleep Nights is the complaint of thousands suffering from Asthma, Consumption, Coughs, etc. Did you ever try Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all Lung Troubles, sold on a positive guarantee at 10c., 50c. Sold by Geo. E. Good, druggist.

Acker's Blood Elixir is the only Blood Remedy guaranteed. It is a positive cure for Ulcers, Erysipelas or Syphilitic Poisoning. It purifies the whole system, and banishes all Rheumatic and Neuralgic pains. We guarantee it. Sold by Geo. E. Good, druggist.

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