

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 1884. DORSEY'S SCHEME OF REVENGE.

STEPHEN W. DORSEY, late purveyor of soap and Star route contractor, is somewhat sore over the fact that he was accused of plundering the government by means of expedited contracts, which proved to be chiefly useful in expediting money into his pockets and the pockets of his comrades. He was acquitted, it is true, but people will persist in believing him guilty for all that. This state of facts has so irritated the sensitive soul of the great soap manipulator that he is determined to have revenge out of somebody. He darkly hints that men in high and honorable positions, to which they could not have been elected but for the judicious application of soap on his part, have gone back on him, and he will get even if it takes a century or two to accomplish his revenge.

Dorsey's scheme of revenge, however, appears to be complicated and depend on a good many contingencies. He won't open his mouth to reveal the damnable secrets that are to blast a whole bundle of reputations while he occupies the humble position of a New Mexican cattle rancher. Not he. He will wait in silence till New Mexico becomes a sovereign state and a New Mexican legislature elects him to represent its new-born dignity in the United States senate. Then he will arise in his soapy might and smite with a destructive hand the whitened sepulchres that encased in trousers parade the official halls of the nation.

It Dorsey intends to play the role of Macbeth he had better adopt Macbeth's maxim, "If it were done when 'tis done, then 'twere well it were done quickly." New Mexico isn't a state yet and may not be for a good while to come. When it becomes a state it may happen to possess two citizens with more savory reputations than Mr. Dorsey, or men who are more than a match for him in the use of soap. In either case Mr. Dorsey's senatorial aspirations might come to naught very easily and his opportunity for revenge never come. If Mr. Dorsey really wants revenge and possesses the means of revenge he had better enjoy its sweetness at once. The public will believe just as much of his story as he can prove by good testimony, if he tells it as a private citizen. It will believe no more of it when uttered from a senatorial chair, if he should by any mischance ever disgrace such a seat again. And if he knows any secrets about aspiring public men the public is entitled to know them before they are entrusted with further honors. Let Mr. Dorsey take his revenge at once, if he can.

It is now given out that the Democratic leaders in the house have determined upon an adjournment by July 1, regardless of what business may not be reached by that time. That a great many bills, including a number of important ones, must go undetermined, or even unconsidered, in case of an adjournment at the date proposed is manifestly certain. Every committee has in its hands some measure of more than usual importance which ought to be acted upon, but which certainly will not be within such a period. But perhaps the country can afford to let them fail in consideration of the general relief that will be afforded by the adjournment.

WHATEVER else may be said of Mr. Conkling, it can not fairly be asserted that he permits himself to be outdone in courtesy. Having had a handsome compliment paid him in Mr. Blaine's book, not to speak of the insertion of his picture, he takes occasion to remark of "that person," as he used to call the accomplished gentleman from Maine, that he is "a man of great talents and great abilities; has rendered the party distinguished service, and is justly entitled to credit." It is pleasant to see two long alienated statesmen swapping carameles in such a gracious and generous way.

ACCORDING to the Democratic papers of Louisiana, the vote for governor in the recent election in that state was shamefully tainted with fraud; and more than this, it seems that a constitutional amendment, against which there was a clear majority of 28,000, has been declared carried by the state canvassers of the returns. The ring which now has control of the official machinery of Louisiana is probably the most corrupt ever known in the south, and the carpet-baggers are not in power there either.

It turns out that after all the racket about reducing the surplus, Mr. Randall is the only man who has done anything practical in that direction. He made the motion to authorize the printing of undelivered speeches on the Morrison bill, and that has resulted in the absorption of about \$10,000 of that troublesome balance in the treasury.

The Standard worries over the purchase of votes by those naughty Republicans. Nothing is said about the pure and incorruptible patriots who took the money.

TOUCHING the proposed European conference on the Egyptian question some London papers seem to be dreadfully afraid that Gladstone may be ready to admit a European control perhaps sooner than a dual control for the future. And there is a great deal of talk about the consequent loss of the advantages England has already gained in Egypt. In truth it would be difficult to enumerate these advantages, other than the Egyptian mortgages held by John Bull, and these would be valid under a dual or a European control. The advantages arising out of the bombardment of Alexandria, the capture of Arabi and the loss of Hicks Pasha's army are very questionable. All Europe will have to take a hand in civilizing Africa, and the responsibility of ruling it may as well be divided. Of course there will be lots of contentions, but they will come any way. The empress cannot get all the snuff without the inconvenience of a little sneezing.

ANOTHER paying-teller of a New York bank has gone wrong to the tune of \$90,000. It is the old, old story; he gambled with other people's money and lost, and losing exposed him as a thief. His name is Charles A. Hinkley and the West Side bank is the victim. That sort of theft will stop only when such men as Ward, Eno and Hinkley are treated as common thieves and sent to the penitentiary. If a messenger of any banking house stole twenty, fifty or a hundred dollars, he would be tumbled in the dock without ceremony and sent to prison, and it is high time that the law should teach that thieves who steal hundreds of thousands are just as much greater criminals than those who steal a few hundreds.

THE country can probably rely upon Mr. Holman to be in his place in congress two years longer and to come forward with his accustomed "I object." A number of competitors have long been of opinion that Mr. Holman had been quite long enough in the house. Naturally they were anxious to go to Washington, where the successful man's only possible claim to attention would have been that he could be pointed out as the successor of the Great Objector. With the fundamental faults of a small man the Indiana representative nevertheless does a good and necessary work. If he is satisfied with his position the country has certainly no right to complain.

RECENTLY an Oregon man advertised for a wife in an eastern paper. Out of numerous answers he selected one, and photographs having been exchanged the young lady started for Oregon to marry him. On the Northern Pacific railroad a gentleman going from San Francisco to Portland made her acquaintance, and they were so favorably impressed with each other that the young woman relinquished her mission and married him. They have since discovered that they are the parties of the photographic exchange, though their photos did not divulge it.

THE Oregonian thinks that it will take just as much hard work to carry the state for the Republicans in November as it did last Tuesday.

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Notice of Application. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will, at the next regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon, apply to said Council for a license to retail wine, malt and spirituous liquors in less quantities than one quart, for the period of one year, in the building fronting on Main street and situated near the south-west corner of Concomly and Main streets, in that part of said city laid out by John McClure.

Picked up. ON THE NIGHT OF THE 30TH INST., two sails, four oars, one water keg, one fish-hook, one rudder and one mast. The owner can have the same by calling at the U. S. L. S. CAUTION, proving property and paying expenses.

Picked Up. ON THE 17TH NEAR DESDEMONA sands, about 50 fathoms 45-mesh net; 20 fathoms of Scotch 15-ply 48-mesh net Scotch 48-mesh, all in old lines. Finder will please communicate with F. E. Wright at C. Timmins & Co. Upper Astoria.

Net Lost. ON THE NIGHT OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH OF MAY, off Scarborough Hill, about 240 fathoms 48-mesh net Scotch 48-mesh, all in old lines. Finder will please communicate with F. E. Wright at C. Timmins & Co. Upper Astoria.

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CHAS. HEILBORN, Treasurer Clatsop Co. d w May 20th, 1884.

Notice To Contractors. UNTIL JUNE THIRTIETH, AT 6 P. M., THE undersigned will receive sealed bids for a dwelling house to be erected for Mr. J. H. Mansell. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office. C. W. LEICK, Architect.

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