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Notice of Trustee's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to the provisions of a certain contract between the Astoria & South Coast Railway Co.; the Pacific Construction Co.; and J. H. Smith, wherein the property hereinafter described, was conveyed and transferred to me in trust to hold as security for the payment of the sum of $68,749.49 due the said J. H. Smith for work in the construction of certain railroad, and to be said by me and converted into cash in case the said sum should not be paid when due; and the said sum having been due and unpaid since the 12th day of August, 1890, and being still unpaid, I will, on the 17th day of December, 1890 at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the banking house of the I. W. Case Banking Co., in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, proceed to sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all or so much of the following described property as may be sufficient to satisfy said demand and interest from said 12th day of August, 1890, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum and the costs of this proceeding, to-wit:—391 of the of the first mortgage bonds of said railway company, numbered from one to 391 inclusive, and each being in the sum of $1,000.

1,409 shares of the paid up capital stock of said railway company.

The following described lots in Railroad Addition to Ocean Grove, to-wit: lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of blk one; lots 7 and 8 of blk 2; lots 3, 8, 10, 16 and 17 of blk 3; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 of blk 4; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 of blk 5; lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 17 of blk 6; lots 5 and 9 of blk 7 and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of blk 8, in said Clatsop county, state of Oregon, also all the stock subscriptions now delinquent and unpaid and assigned to me as such trustee.

The above property was advertised to be sold Nov. 27, 1890, but by consent of the parties above named, the sale was adjourned until Dec 17, 1890

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TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

The trouble at Rio de Janeiro still continues.

A heavy snow fall is reported in the Sierras.

A $50,000 fire occurred in San Francisco.

The late king of Holland was buried at Delft to-day.

Another strike is in progress at the Anaconda mines.

Customs officers seized 220 pounds of opium at Tacoma.

The town of Brookfield, Kan., was the scene of a big fire.

"Electioneer," the famous trotting horse, died at Palo Alto.

Beris Russell & Co., of London, have failed; liabilities £230,000.

The north bound Oregon express had a narrow escape from disaster.

A singular accident to a woman is reported from Lexington, Ky.

Dr. J. H. Baxter, surgeon general of the army died at Washington.

It is reported that Mount Hood was in eruption last Wednesday night.

A match has been arranged between Cal. McCarthy and Geo. Dixon.

In congress, yesterday, several important measures were introduced.

At a fire in Pittsburg this morning several firemen were fatally injured.

C. C. Donnell has entered a contest in San Francisco asking a recount.

The onslaught on the McKinley bill has already commenced in congress.

The situation in reference to the miners strike in Alabama is unchanged.

The cruiser *Charleston* arrived in San Francisco with King Kalakana on board.

Congressman Morrow has been named as successor to Minister Mizner at Guatemala.

The report that Minister Lincoln is to resign his post at the court of St. James, is denied.

Joseph R. Abbott, a confidential clerk, stole $80,000 and committed suicide at Albany N. Y.

A bad railroad accident occurred on the Chicago and Alton road; two were killed and several injured.

The captain of the schooner *Goncola Light*, stood by his vessel when bottom up, and was drowned.

A fire in the work house at New Castle-on-Tyne, destroyed the building and caused a loss of six lives.

The first United States infantry has been sent from San Francisco to the scene of the reported Indian troubles.

Additional Telegraph on Fourth Page.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c, at J. W. Conn's drug store.

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Doings in Both Houses of Congress Yesterday.

IMPORT NT BILLS INTRODUCED.

The Election Bill Taken Up—Morrow Of California as Successor To Mizner.

Special by THE UNITED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—In the senate among the bills introduced and referred to-day was the one for a permanent tariff commission, and one by Stewart for the free and unlimited use of silver as money.

A joint resolution reported yesterday by Hawley to issue arms to North and South Dakota and to Nebraska was taken up. Hawley urged the necessity of prompt action. Voorhees quoted an interview with Governor Foster, of Ohio, ex-member of the commission, to treat with the Sioux in which Foster said the whole trouble was in the fact that the Indians were starving. "Give them enough to eat and there will be no further trouble."

After a long discussion the resolution was passed and the election bill was taken up and Pugh addressed the senate in opposition to it.

Among the unfinished business this morning in the house was a bill for the punishment of every guardian, conservator, curator, tutor or other judiciary agent for the embezzlement of the pensions of award. The previous question was ordered. Ayes, 113; Noes, 92, and the bill passed.

A Famous Horse Gone.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—"Electioneer," the world-famous trotting sire, died yesterday at Palo Alto stock farm, of rheumatism. He was 25 years old.

A Silk Importer Fails.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Petrus Mandan, a silk importer, has failed. Liabilities, $500,000.

KALENDAR KERMESSE.

Attractive and Unique Entertainment by The Ladies of Grace Church.

Liberty hall was last evening so changed by the untiring labors of the ladies of Grace church that it was hardly recognizable. In the central portion of the hall, a series of booths twelve in number, had been constructed, representing the months of the year, with the name of each neatly lettered over the front. In these booths, presided over by some of the fairest and most attractive maidens and matrons of the church, useful and ornamental articles were tastily arranged for sale.

The style of each booth was in accordance with the month it represented and so also was the dress of each lady. The name of each booth, and principal articles for sale and the names of the ladies in charge are as follows:

January—aprons—Mrs. A. G. Allen, Misses Bell and Nickerson.

February—paper and cards—Mesdames Robb and Foard, Misses Carruthers.

March—candy—Mrs. Ryrie, Mrs. P. A. Trullinger.

April—dolls—Mrs. J. C. Dement, Mrs. B. Van Dusen, Mrs. J. H. Smith.

May—fancy goods—Mesdames C. J. Trenchard, H. G. Smith and C. Anderson.

June—flowers—Mrs. F. I. Dunbar, Misses Ireland and Lelia Hughes.

July—national—Mrs. P. L. Cherry, Misses Lou Rogers, Mary Taylor and Mabel White.

August—ice cream—Mrs. Tuttle, Misses Gussie Gray, Mande Warren, Alice Wood and Myra Stevens.

September—kitchen articles—Mesdames Reed and D. M. Stuart.

October—bag booth—Mrs. Worsley, Miss E. D. Boelling and Mrs. F. L. Parker.

November—Japanese—Mrs. Wadleigh and Miss C. Wheeler.

December — children — Mesdames W. T. Chutter and C. S. Wright, Misses Heilborn and S. Crang.

Excellent meals were served in the dining room, commencing at dark and continuing until nearly 11 o'clock, and this department was presided over by Mrs. M. Trenchard, assisted by Mesdames Upshur, Perrie, Campbell, Holt, Kindred, Prael, Hawes and Foard, and Miss Boelling.

The entire affair was highly successful, the rooms being crowded all the evening, and as noticed in the local columns, it will be continued this afternoon and evening, commencing at 1 o'clock.

Great Liver Medicine.

Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills are a sure cure for sick headache, bilious complaints, dyspepsia, indigestion, costiveness, torpid liver, etc. These pills insure perfect digestion, correct the liver and stomach, regulate the bowels, purify and enrich the blood and make the skin clear. They also produce a good appetite, and invigorate and strengthen the entire system by their tonic action. Sold at 25 cents a box by J. W. Conn.

Austin Corbin owns about 21,000 acres of land in Newport, N. H. Much of it is wooded, and he is turning it into a magnificent game preserve. Moose, caribou, elk, and deer of various kinds have already been introduced, and recently a consignment of wild boars arrived from Germany for the park.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind cholic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you.

A SINGULAR CASE.

A Woman's Legs Broken by The Contraction of the Muscles.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 4.—While sitting talking at her home in Paris, Ky., about noon to-day, Mrs. Harry Brent felt the muscles of her right leg suddenly and violently contract, and as she screamed with pain, the bone of the right thigh broke just below the hip joint.

Physicians were summoned, but before they could do anything to relieve the patient, her left leg broke in the same manner. Her sufferings are intense and her death is hourly expected.

Mrs. Brent is about 40 years old, the wife of a wealthy and prominent judge and moves in the highest society. Physicians here say the case is unprecedented.

THE CRUISER "CHARLESTON."

She Arrives in 'Frisco with King Kalakaua on Board.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The cruiser *Charleston*, passed through the Golden Gate this morning. On sailing by Alcatraz island, she was greeted by a royal salute of 21 guns in honor of King Kalakaua of Hawaii, who was on board. As the warship went slowly up the harbor, many vessels dipped their flags. The cruiser was met by the government steamer *Gen. McDowell*, having on board General Gibbon commanding the department of the Pacific.

PATROLLED BY TROOPS.

The Trouble in Rio de Janeiro Still Continues.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 4.—Nothwithstanding that difficulty between the president and minister regarding the punishment of the officers, who wrecked the office of the *Tribune* has been satisfactorily arranged, the city continues to be agitated and troops are patrolling the streets to maintain order. The press demands that the government furnish guarantees for the preservation of its liberties.

MOUNT HOOD SPOUTING FIRE.

What a Portland Man Saw From The Heights of that City.

A VERY STRANGE PHENOMENA.

Special by THE UNITED PRESS.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—Manager Sturgis of the India Packing Coming, residing on Portland Heights, stated that from his residence last night he witnessed a spasmodic eruption of Oregon's great Mount Hood. The eruptions lighted the entire firmament for miles around.

The gentleman stated that he was perfectly dazzled by the sight and watched the occasional lurid outpourings of the mountain's wrath with intensest interest, anticipating an eruption, such as has made those of Vesuvius historical.

While the lower portion of the city was enveloped in a chilly penetrating fog this morning, the sun shone brightly on the heights and Mr. Sturgis added that before he left his home for his office he saw the mountain encircled with a dense black ring of smoke.

A TOWN IN FLAMES.

Brookfield, Kansas, the Scene of a Big Fire.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

SALINA, Kans., Dec. 4.—Reports from Brookfield in this county say that nearly the whole town is on fire. It started early this forenoon and the business block includmg the Central hotel is nearly consumed.

This town has about 400 inhabitants and there is no way to extinguish the fire except by a bucket brigade. A strong wind is blowing. No estimate of the loss can be obtained.

UNDER FALLING WALLS.

Four Firemen Injured at a Blaze in Pittsburg.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PITTSBURG, Dec. 5.—A fire started at 1:15 this A. M. in E. Maginus' fireworks and cracker factory and at 2:15 o'clock is still burning. Four firemen were caught under falling walls and seriously injured and it is thought several others may be still under the debris. A searching party is now looking for the other unfortunates. The loss will not fall short of $100,000.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial Bottles Free at J. W. Conn's Drugstore.

Ten years ago China had almost a monopoly of the English tea market, but now India and Ceylon furnish fifty per cent of the quantity consumed. The India and Ceylon teas are said to be stronger than the Chinese. Coffee is rapidly being superseded by tea as a beverage in England.

A Most Valuable Agent.

H. ARMGARDT, M. D., 95 JACKSON ST., BROOKLYN, N. Y., writes: "Being familiar with the stimulating, healing and anodyne properties of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS, I commend them as a most valuable agent in the class of diseases for which they are intended. The stimulating action when worn over the gastric region materially aids in restoring strength and energy to digestion, and the consequent building up of tissue and restoring tone to the general system."

A FURNACE OF DEATH.

Fifteen Men Killed by an Explosion In Illinois.

A DEFAULTER SEEKS DEATH.

A Captain Stays by His Ship Too Long —California Troops Are Sent To the Sioux Country.

Special by the UNITED PRESS.]

JOLIET, Ills., Dec. 4.—A blast furnace exploded this afternoon burying fifteen men in the debris. Eight bodies have been taken out so far. The horrible accident occurred at the blast in the furnace department of the Illinois Iron & Steel Co. The blast furnace had been blown out. Eleven men were at work in the inside at the bottom and six on the top when it collapsed. Twelve were killed outright and three fatally injured.

Workmen are digging among the ruins, and several have been taken out, but those that remain are certainly dead at present.

Only a few of the names are known and the number killed can only be conjectured as the laborers around the boilers and blow pipes may have lost their lives.

TROOPS TO THE FRONT.

Companies Sent Forward From San Francisco.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—A special train of two first-class coaches and eleven second-class coaches preceded the regular 7:30 train east-bound this morning. It conveyed the First United States Infantry on its way to Cheyenne, Wyo., where the future movements of troops will be determined by orders from General Miles.

The division headquarters here is in receipt of no news from the seat of disturbance, and the corps that is there does not expect any news. The troubles among the Indians are not spreading into this division and the officers at headquarters say they speak with unconcealed contempt of "Big Fish" and the Indians of the department of the Columbia, on account of their refusal to take stock in the Messiah craze.

AN HEROIC SKIPPER.

He Stands by His Ship and Is Drowned.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

BOOTH BAY-HARBOR, Me., Dec. 4.—The schooner *Louisa Hastings*, Kent master, from Bangor for New York, which arrived here to-day with the loss of its centre-board and other damages, reports having picked up this morning J. J. Cass, late master, Nickerson the cook, and three sailors of the British schooner *Goncola Light*, from Boston, bound for the Rivers, N. S., which ran upon the rocks inside the Seguin at 4 o'clock this morning. The vessel rolled over and Captain R. Martin when last seen was standing on her bottom. He refused to leave her, when the five other men took a boat and when the vessel had rolled over they were unable to get him. Captain Martin was a resident of East Boston, where he leaves a wife and three children. The vessel and cargo will be a total loss.

GLOVE CONTEST.

A Match Arranged between McCarthy and Dixon.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Cal. McCarthy of Jersey City, the feather-weight champion of America, and Geo. Dixon, the colored boxer of Boston, who won the title of champion of England by defeating Nunce Wallace in London, to-day signed articles to fight twenty-five rounds with four-ounce gloves before the Puritan Athletic club of Long Island City on Feb. 5, for a purse of $4,000, of which the looser will receive but $200.

Tom O'Rourke for Dixon and Joe Earle for McCarthy, made a bet of $2,000 on the outside. The contest will practically settle the question of the superiority in glove fighting. The referee will have the power to order more rounds if necessary.

STOLE EIGHTY THOUSAND.

A Confidential Clerk Prefers Death to Jail.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Joseph B. Abbott, confidential clerk for Sage & Co., lumber dealers, committed suicide to-day by taking laudanum. He was a defaulter in the sum of $80,000. He leaves a widow and five children.

At Death's Door.

I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism and Kidney and Liver trouble. My lungs were also seriously affected. Doctors said I could not possibly live. Seven bottles of Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup with the Plasters entirely cured me. Hundreds of persons in Creston, can vouch for the fact that this medicine saved my life.

WM. HARSHAW,
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For sale by J. W. Conn.

The population of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, is on the increase, the recent census showing that the state now numbers 537,000, or 89,000 more than it did twelve years ago.

Important Notice.

Now is the time to test the best Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma and Rheumatic Cure in the City of Astoria. Fifty packages of Leboy's West India Catarrh Cure, the regular price of which is $5.00, can be had from J. W. Conn, the druggist, at $1.00 per package, thereby saving $4.00. This is a preparation warranted to cure. Calf and get a package, as they go fast.

Remember the place—Conn's, opposite the Occident Hotel. S. Brown & Co., Proprietors. Los Angeles, Cal. P. O. Box 892. Blumauer-Frank Drug Co., Portland.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents

MINISTER LINCOLN.

He Denies That He is to Resign His Post In England.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Reports have been current for several days that Minister Lincoln intended to resign his post at the court of St. James, and that William Waldorf Astor was to be tendered the appointment. Some of Mr. Astor's society friends were quoted as authority for the story, and they seemed to be quite positive that the matter was settled.

The story created a great deal of talk on Wall street, where another version of it was to the effect that William Walter Phelps, at present United States minister to Germany, was to be transferred to London.

Minister Lincoln, who is now on a leave of absence in this country, is in Chicago, where he stated to-day there was no truth in the rumor.

STRIKE AT THE ANACONDA.

More Trouble at the Great Copper Mines.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 4.—All work on the mammoth smoke stacks in course of construction on the foot hills near the smelters at Anaconda closed last night, on account of a strike among the brick layers. The men have been receiving $6 per day, but yesterday half a dozen men refused to work at the old rates demanding $7 per day. This, the contractors said, they could not afford to pay, and the men were soon joined by forty-five others of their fellow craftsmen, necessitating the laying off of all stone cutters, masons and helpers, employed on the construction of the work, numbering several hundred men.

MIZNER'S SUCCESSOR.

Morrow of California Named for the Place.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—A special from Washington says the president and Secretary Blaine are seriously considering the appointment of Congressman Morrow of California as minister to Guatemala in place of Lansing B. Mizner recalled.

THE MCKINLEY TARIFF BILL.

Tobacco Men and Others are After Its Scalp.

WHAT SOME MEMBERS SAY.

Special by THE UNITED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—A delegation of tobacco men, who had a conference with McKinley yesterday, have been informed by the members of the ways and means committee that there will be no necessity for any hearing on the bill to amend the tariff law by inserting: "Omitting the tobacco rate."

The ways and means committee will meet to-morrow and agree to report the bill amending the law.

It is not probable that democratic members of the commission will antagonize the amendment.

Mr. Mills said that it was but just and that the law should be amended to conform to the intention of its framers.

Still the republican members of the ways and means committee fear that when the bill is brought in the democrats will attempt to attach to it other propositions to amend the tariff law, and that it may be loaded down so heavily that it cannot pass.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

The Oregon Express Just Misses Another Disaster.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

MARYSVILLE, Cala., Dec. 4.—As the northbound Oregon Express was pulling out at 2:45 o'clock this morning it ran into a misplaced switch, ditching the engine but doing no other damage. No one was hurt. Had the train been running but a little faster the engine would have rolled down an embankment, which is about fourteen feet high at this point.

The Child of an Evil Parent.

Malvolio says in Shakespeare's Comedy of Twelfth Night, "Some are born great, some achieve greatness and others have greatness thrust upon them." So it is with nervousness. Some are born nervous, some achieve nervousness by their own imprudence and neglect, and some have nervousness thrust upon them by disease. The basic starting point of this ailment, which grows rapidly and assumes alarming proportions when it reaches the stage of hypochondria and chronic sleeplessness, is weakness, the child of indigestion, parent of many evils. For the incapacity of the stomach to digest food, and of the system to assimilate it after digestion, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has ever proved a sovereign remedy. Sleep becomes tranquil, appetite improves, abnormal sensitiveness of the nerves is succeeded by steadiness and vigor, in those delicate tissues, bodily substance increases when that signal restorative of digestion is systematically used. Conquer also with it malaria, rheumatism, kidney inactivity, liver complaint and constipation.

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