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PRICE, FIVE CENTS.

AN HONEST JUDGE.



Always listens to all the evidence. In this case the public is the Judge and we've proven to the Court's Satisfaction that we can undersell (or sell a higher class of goods) than anyone in the city in Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Valises, etc

which we buy direct of the manufacturer and sell to the consumers at prices from 16% to 33% per cent less than elsewhere.

The OSGOOD MERCANTILE CO.

The One Price Clothiers, Hatters And Furnishers.
506 and 508 3rd St., Next to Griffin & Reed's Book Store, Astoria.

THEY SAY there isn't a slower city on the coast than Astoria. They'll say directly our clocks are slow. Then next, we suppose, they'll be saying that there isn't a slower store on Third Street than 502—our citizens book store.

We must be awfully slow. We don't know how to buy our blank books from manufacturers who use scraps in covers or have ill-paid binding. Our manufacturers don't know how to make the common cheap sorts and have us sell them for first class. They're afraid to—that's a fact. We don't want to know how.

But we're wide awake enough to buy the best, and slow Astoria is wide awake enough to buy it from us.

Griffin & Reed.

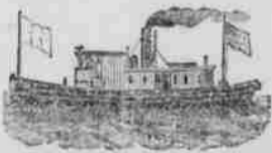
CALIFORNIA WINE HOUSE.

Fine Wines and Liquors.

I have made arrangements for supplying any brand of wines in quantities to suit at the lowest cash figures. The trade and families supplied. All orders delivered free in Astoria.

A. W. UTZINGER, Main Street, Astoria, Oregon.

Str. R. P. ELMORE



Will leave for Tillamook Every Four Days as Near as the weather will permit.

The steamer R. P. Elmore connects with Union Pacific steamers for Portland and through tickets are issued from Portland to Tillamook Bay points by the Union Pacific Company. Ship freight by Union Pacific Steamers.

ELMORE, SANBORN & CO., Agents, Astoria.
UNION PACIFIC R. R. CO., Agents, Portland.

\$2 FOR AN \$80 LOT!

BY BECOMING A MEMBER OF HILL'S LOT CLUBS YOU CAN GET A FIRST CLASS LOT IN HILL'S FIRST ADDITION TO ASTORIA. LOTS WILL BE DELIVERED WEEKLY. NOW IS THE TIME TO PROCURE A

Lot to Build a Home, for \$2

The Packers of Choice

Columbia River Salmon

Their Brands and Locations.

NAME.	LOCATION.	BRAND.	AGENTS.	AT
Astoria Pk'g Co.	Astoria	Astoria Pk'g Co. (Klinter & John A. Devlin)	M. J. Kinsey	Astoria
Booth A. Pk'g Co.	Astoria	Black Diamond (Caval)	A. Booth & Sons	Chicago
Columbia River Pk'g Co.	Astoria	Cocktail	Cutting Pkg Co.	San Francisco
Elmore Samuel	Astoria	Vagnolia (White Star)	Elmore, Sanborn & Co.	Astoria
George & Barker	Astoria	Edouard Palm (Devilmon)	George & Barker	Astoria
J. O. Hawthorn & Co.	Astoria	J. O. Hawthorn & Co.	J. O. Hawthorn	Astoria
J. G. Megler & Co.	Brookfield	Tag, St. George	J. G. Megler	Brookfield Wn
Fishermen's Pkg Co.	Astoria	Fishermen's (Scandinavian Fishermen's)	Fishermen's Pkg Co.	Astoria

CLASHING WITH CRISP

Wordy Battle Precipitated in the House by Reed

ROUSING RECEPTION TO CRISP

Bland Gives Notice That on Tuesday He Will Move to Pass His Bill Over the Veto

Associated Press.

Washington, March 30.—When Speaker Crisp ascended the rostrum today he was given a rousing reception from the members of both sides of the house, the demonstration lasting fully a minute. The battle of yesterday afternoon was promptly renewed by Mr. Reed on a challenge of the correctness of the journal in failing to show Payne's point of order on the question of but one teller acting. On a rising vote, the journal was approved, and on a call of yeas and nays the previous question was ordered and debate limited to 15 minutes on either side. After a speech by Reed regarding the speaker's ruling yesterday, Reed's motion to amend the journal was voted down. Reed's motion to adjourn was decided out of order, and the speaker declined to entertain an appeal and again refused to state the ground of refusal, holding that no member has a right to inquire the grounds of a decision any more than a lawyer has to demand the same thing of a judge.

"That too, very much like tyranny," remarked Reed, sarcastically.

The next episode was the overruling of Boutelle's point of order that the president's message vetoing the seigniorage bill could not be read, the house having made the contested election cases the special order. Again the speaker refused to entertain an appeal. The veto message was then read. Bland gave notice that next Tuesday he would move to pass the bill over the president's veto. During roll call on Burrows' motion to reconsider the vote by which the house had declared Joy not entitled to a seat, Reed, standing near the clerk's desk, said he would like to be permitted to see the roll call taken. This was resented by the speaker, who sharply ordered Reed to his seat and directed the sergeant-at-arms to enforce the order, as Reed did not move far enough to suit.

"This is entirely unnecessary," replied Reed, looking the speaker in the eye.

"It is not," replied the speaker, "instead of taking your seat you respond every time."

"Certainly I do, because the chair has attacked me," said Reed, now thoroughly aroused. There seemed to be an element of personal hostility in the clash between the two house leaders.

Later on the speaker protested that he had not understood Mr. Reed to proffer a request for permission to stand by the clerk's desk, and with this semi-apology in explanation, the incident closed. Roll call now disclosing the lack of a quorum, the house recessed until 2 o'clock.

WAITE'S LATEST MOVE

Denver, March 30.—News leaked out here tonight which leaves no doubt that Gov. Waite is preparing to call out the troops again to enforce his order removing Police Commissioners Orr and Martin. The following special dispatch, received by the Republican, tells the story:

"Lake City, Col., March 30, 1894. "W. H. Whitney, Captain Company 'A,' C. N. G.—Received telegraph orders at 4 o'clock this evening to place ten men under one officer at the armory to prevent seizure. Later evening orders were received by Capt. Whitney to recruit his company to 84 men for three months' service. The orders both came from Col. Meoy, of Pueblo."

GIVEN A HOLIDAY.

Judge Caldwell Orders That President Clark Take a Vacation.

Omaha, March 30.—In the Union Pacific wage hearing today Judge Caldwell said he would rather the government should lose every dollar it had invested than that the men should suffer. He would see that the employees of the company were properly compensated, and that their wages would not be cut to admit of the payment of dividends.

President Clark, of the Union Pacific, followed. He was not sworn, Judge Caldwell saying it was unnecessary. He was on the stand but a few moments, his health being so feeble that he could not stand the strain. In conclusion, the court peremptorily ordered that Mr. Clark to take a vacation of several months. "You shall not commit suicide in the service of the company," said Judge Caldwell. "We need you and the country needs you. For six months we will manage the line without you."

THE CONDITION OF TRADE.

Evidence of An Increase in Volume at Eastern Cities.

New York, March 30.—Bradstreet's review of trade will say: Features in the business of the week include evidence of increased volumes of trade at eastern cities, which are offset by checks to the movement of staple merchandise at other centers owing to storms and cold weather, and much damage to crops caused by unusually low temperature, northwest and south. Portland, Ore., reports business improving very slowly, while at San Francisco the movement of staples is sluggish. Wheat is less active for export.

R. G. Dun's Weekly Review of Trade says: The more active tone in business this week is in part due to a belief that no disturbance of the currency will be permitted, but other causes helped the forward improvement. Slowly, but yet quite perceptibly, the force of work increases. Except in speculative markets, prices do not recover, and in some instances have gone lower, but the absence of sensational records inspires the hope that the bottom may have been reached. Business, though dull, is exceptionally cautious and safe, and its slow gain is more encouraging than the heavy expansion. Failures for the week number 230 in the United States, against 160 last year, and 30 in Canada, against 28 last year.

New York, March 30.—Bradstreet's financial review tomorrow will say: The revival of interest and activity in the American department of the London market is taken as one of the most hopeful indications that has yet appeared.

THE SECOND CHAPTER.

Breckenridge Occupies the Attention of Court During the Day.

Washington, March 30.—Chapter two of the story of the Breckenridge case was told today. It consumed the whole session of court, and still the narrative remains incomplete. From the second meeting at the Lexington house of assignment kept by Sarah Guess, in 1884, down to the late spring of 1893, the recital wound its way along a path stormy with pistols, illegitimate children, clandestine interviews and secret marriage, more of intrigue than one would suppose could be contained in the life of such a mild-looking, elderly gentleman as the one who leaned over the witness box and told it all in a matter-of-fact way, occasionally dropping in a jest. Before him sat the woman who is willing to emulate Samson by dragging herself down with the temple, and who was the only disturbing factor in this scene. She persisted in growing agitated, and once she made an outcry, demanding to know why the defendant could not tell the truth, but Judge Bradley warned her firmly and kindly that she must exercise control over herself or leave the room. There is a wealth of detail in the defendant's story; he binds it about him with many extraneous matters and throws in an atmosphere of high life over it, weaving in with his meeting with Miss Follard allusions to many political events in which he has taken part; schools he has attended; banquets to which he has been called as an honored guest; ladies he had taken to call on Mrs. Cleveland, even a dinner of the Reform club in New York, at which Mr. Butterworth observed "Speaker Crisp did not speak."

GRAND RONDE VALLEY FLOODED

Portland, Ore., March 30.—Word has been received from La Grande that all the Grande Ronde valley is a lake. La Grande and Island City are flooded. The Oredell dam and both dams near Perry are broken, and the railroad track is being cut away and cribs undermined.

SENSE SENTENCED.

New Whatcom, March 30.—PHILIP M. ISENSEE, ex-city treasurer, convicted of embezzling \$60,000 of public money, was today sentenced to four years' imprisonment at hard labor in the penitentiary. Notice of appeal was given and bonds in the sum of \$20,000 were furnished.

TROUBLE IN SAMOA.

Auckland, March 30.—It is reported there is an uprising in Samoa. In a fight between Malietoa and the rebels 20 were killed and 50 wounded. The foreign population is greatly alarmed.

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Quincy, Ill., March 30.—The fire which began at 3 this morning destroyed over 50 buildings, at Barry, Pike county. Loss \$280,000.

A BIG SNOW SLIDE

Several Persons Buried in the Debris.

MINING PROPERTY DESTROYED

The Work of Extricating the Bodies is going on with Vigor.

Associated Press.

Wallace, Ida., March 30.—Between Gem and Burke, in the heart of the Cour D'Alene mining district, yesterday a series of snow slides rushed down into Canyon Creek, tearing everything before them. As far as known, five persons were killed and three injured. The dead are: Stefans Derro, aged 29; his wife, aged 25; their daughter Victoria, aged 5; Martina Michele, aged 24, and Mrs. Nellie Rowe. The bodies of Mrs. Derro and daughter and Mrs. Rowe have been recovered. It is reported that two more men were killed, but it cannot be confirmed. Arthur Swayne was badly injured, and may not recover. At 9:30 in the morning the slide started, 2,000 feet above the creek, at the head of a draw, in which the Black Bear mine is situated. Four shanties were smashed to pieces and buried under 40 feet of snow. In one of these cabins the Derro family and Michele lived. The entire shifts of the Gem, Frisco and Standard mines, about 200 men, were set to work searching for the missing. The water has risen, which greatly interferes with the work of the searching party. The Frisco mine lost about 1,500 feet of flume, and the damage is otherwise very heavy. The slide one mile from the Gem covered both the Union and Northern Pacific tracks to the top of the telegraph poles for several hundred feet. In other places the track is covered. This will cut off communication with the town of Burke and the Standard, Tiger and Poorman mines for several weeks. These three mines, employing about 500 men, have closed down. The disaster is a serious blow to all the mining camps involved.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT OF IT.

Wallace, Ida., March 30.—It is now known that five persons were caught in a snowslide at the Blackbear mine, in Canyon Creek. There were three men, one woman and one child, whose names are unknown. Two of the men are badly hurt, but will recover. The other man, the woman and the child were dead when found under the mass of snow. The search is being continued for three or four more persons, supposed to have perished. The Union Pacific track for a distance of 600 or 800 feet is covered with 25 or 30 feet of snow. The Northern Pacific, on the opposite side of the canyon is covered at a less depth for a considerable distance. A number of other slides in the vicinity are reported, but no further loss of life.

SNOWSLIDES ON THE UNION.

Portland, Ore., March 30.—Advices to the Union Pacific from Idaho say six snow slides occurred yesterday between Burke and Black Bear, each from 1,000 to 2,000 feet in length and 100 to 200 in depth. It is believed nine lives were lost altogether. Canyon Creek is completely dammed and a flood is imminent. Three bodies have been recovered.

THE CHINESE TREATY.

Washington, March 30.—The senate will take up the Chinese treaty next week. Senator Morgan believes it will be ratified.

THE ARMY IN TEXAS.

Austin, Tex., March 30.—A detachment of Coxe's army, 470 strong, arrived here on a special train from Sierra Blanca, Tex., via San Antonio, under command of Col. Aubrey and Lieut.-Col. Payne, with Gen. Lewis Fry as chief of brigade. Fry wanted to march the

men to Gov. Hogg's mansion to thank him for getting them out of Sierra Blanca, but the police prevented them. The Texas Pacific will take them on to its junction with the Iron Mountain, which is expected to transport them to St. Louis.

CREW OF THE ARCHER.

Safe in San Francisco. After Many Hardships.

San Francisco, March 30.—The ship John C. Potter, from Nainaimo, arrived in port this evening, with the captain and crew of the bark Archer, which was abandoned off Vancouver Island. Capt. Dawson and crew of 13 tell a story of almost incredible hardship and of thrilling escape from capsizing the bark, after great difficulty. The bark left Victoria March 17. After leaving the straits, March 18, a very heavy snow storm was encountered. The main topsail was carried away. While the men were aloft an unusually violent squall struck the ship, when the ballast shifted and the ship listed. The men managed to reach the deck, just as the vessel was overwhelmed by a tremendous sea, turning her clean over on her broadside. Andrew Anderson, carpenter, and A. B. Evans, seaman, were carried away and drowned. The crew managed to cut away the weather lanyards, and all the masts went over the sides. The men succeeded in climbing outside and clinging to the poop. To add to their terrors, fire broke out in the cabin, but it was soon quenched. After much difficulty a life-boat was launched, and the men were one by one hauled aboard the boat. Fortunately, the ship John C. Potter hove in sight, about a half hour after the escape from the vessel, and responding to their signals of distress, took the men aboard and kindly cared for them.

INCREASING COMPLICATIONS.

Denver, March 30.—The situation was further complicated in the municipal muddle today by the action of Judge Glynn, who quashed the injunction issued by Judge Allen, against Barnes and Mullins, of the new police board, making a conflict of authority, as Glynn and Allen are co-ordinate judges. This was followed by a counter of the old board, by obtaining a writ of prohibition from the supreme court restraining Glynn from acting in the matter at all.

COLORADO'S GOLD MINES.

Denver, March 30.—The enormous increase in the development of the gold fields of this state is shown by the report of the United States mint at this place for March. The total value of the gold bullion received at the mint for the month was \$320,187, an increase of \$208,655 over the corresponding month of last year. The receipts since January 1 are \$730,928, an increase over the same period of last year of \$448,966.

CHINAMAN ROBBED.

Tacoma, March 30.—Late last night Chinaman from Walla Walla, who was bound for China, was snatched and robbed of \$700. He was on his way to the home of a friend, when four men set upon him. When found by the police he was removed to the hospital in an unconscious condition. There is no clue to the assailants.

BURSTING OF A WATER PIPE.

Peoria, March 30.—While workmen were repairing a large stand-pipe at the Peoria Water Company, it burst. A number of school children were playing near, and Frank Hogan, aged 14, and two workmen were killed and two more are missing, while a dozen or more are injured.

CRISP WILL DECLINE.

Washington, March 30.—It is believed Speaker Crisp will refuse the senatorship.

Atlanta, Ga., March 30.—Gov. Northen has received a telegram from Speaker Crisp declining the appointment to the senate on the ground that party considerations force him to remain in his present position.

RACING IN MEXICO.

St. Louis, March 30.—An echo of the failure of American racing in Mexico came today in the sale, under a deed of trust, of the Bob Pate stock farm and homestead, with 60 acres of well kept land and all the improvements, bringing \$47,900.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE