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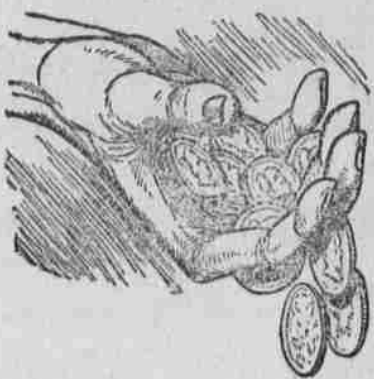
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HOW TO SAVE MONEY.

Buy your GROCERIES and PROVISIONS of us, and we will save you money. We handle the best goods and deliver free to trains or boats...

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MOUNTAINS OF WATER

Three Great Waves Sweep the Lighthouse Tender Columbine.

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Associated Press.

One of those unforeseen accidents, which are just as unaccountable as unforeseen, happened to the lighthouse tender Columbine yesterday while crossing out to sea, resulting in considerable damage to the vessel and the serious injury of the ship's steward, Robert Owens. The Columbine left port early yesterday morning and reached the heads about 9 o'clock. She was bound for Tillamook Rock with supplies for the light station. It was a beautiful morning and scarcely a ripple disturbed the surface of the bay as the pretty little steamer glided down the channel toward the open sea. From all appearances a very quiet sea awaited them outside, and white-tipped breakers off the end of the jetty only indicated the usual break at that point...

WHERE INCOME TAX FALLS.

Quay Shows that It Falls on the Small Stockholders.

Washington, Jan. 15.—In the senate today Quay submitted a statement in the stock books of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., showing the income tax would fall only on the stockholders having small amounts of stock. It gave the total number of stockholders as 3,920, while more than 70 per cent of this number had interests below \$1,000. Quay said the showing of this company was undoubtedly the same as other corporations. Allen, of Nebraska, spoke of the fact that Gorman and the senator from Iowa (Allison) were now announcing to the country their readiness to get together on a plan for raising revenue, although the parties of these two leaders are irrevocably separated on the revenue question for twenty-five years. He said a considerable element on the Democratic side of the senate were an essentially protectionists as the senators on the other side. It was merely a difference of degree in their protection. This common feeling was the reason the senate had witnessed yesterday the remarkable spectacle of Democrats and Republicans falling on each other's necks and indulging in a love feast.

THE SUGAR TAX QUESTION.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The house ways and means committee today decided to report to the house Wilson's bill to remove the one-tenth of a cent per pound differential on sugar imported from countries having an export bounty, which elicited protests from Germany, Austria, and other nations, and repeal that which was recommended by the president. No action was taken on the bill to increase the tax on beer.

PEACE NEAR AT HAND.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—The transcontinental lines have adjusted all their differences with the sole exception of the Union Pacific boycott, and there is a chance that it will be out of the way before the end of the week. The Canadian Pacific, Great Northern, and the Union Pacific have agreed on a division of the Pacific coast business, and all lines have agreed that the old round trip rates of \$14 from Chicago and \$59 from St. Paul to North Pacific coast points shall be restored.

ENGLISH MINE ACCIDENT.

London, Jan. 15.—Throughout the night relay of men worked desperately at the Dig Lake colliery, Airdley North, Staffordshire, where a large number of miners were entombed about noon yesterday by the sudden rush of water from the old workings. By 5 o'clock yesterday 150 men and boys had been rescued. It is thought twenty men in the lower workings were drowned. There are still between 50 and 120 men and boys to the mine.

THE VOTE NOT YET OPENED.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 15.—The house of representatives today adopted a Democratic resolution providing for the postponement of the opening and publishing of the votes for governor until an investigation can be made of the charges of fraud in the election. The resolution was adopted in the senate several days ago.

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AT OREGON'S CAPITOL.

Committees Appointed and Various Matters Taken Up.

THE YOUNG'S BAY BRIDGE BILL

Ex-Governor Chadwick, of Salem, Died Suddenly Yesterday—Other News.

Associated Press.

Salem, Jan. 15.—In the senate today a number of resolutions were adopted providing for investigation in different state offices and boards. The following bills were introduced: Johnson, to repeal an act providing for a state penitentiary jail mile, Maxwell, for re-districting the state into senatorial and representative districts, giving Tillamook county one representative; Dawson, repealing the act creating the state board of equalization; McCune, authorizing mayors and city marshals to bid in property sold for taxes; Carter, defining the terms "land" and "real property," deducting mortgage indebtedness from assessment, and regulating the assessment and collection of taxes on property assessed as owned on July first of each year; Caldwell, creating the office of state horticultural inspector; Alley, providing for a term of imprisonment of three to twenty years for rape; Johnson, exempting lands used for county roads from taxation; Dawson, providing for the deduction of indebtedness due within the state from assessment; King, amending the code relative to the collection of taxes, making all state county and military taxes payable in lawful money; Maxwell, providing for protective salmon in Tillamook bay; Meffin, to provide for the appointment of a bank examiner; Patterson, to amend the code providing for a mileage of five cents per mile each way for public officers traveling in the performance of their duty.

THE OLYMPIA LEGISLATURE

Olympia, Jan. 15.—The house completed organization by the election of minor officers this morning. Both the senate and house will probably hold a caucus tomorrow evening to decide whether a formal caucus shall be held on the nomination of United States senator and establish rules therefor. The governor's message will be delivered to the house this afternoon. The senate and house in joint session this afternoon received the governor's message. It is thought there will be no attempt to hold a caucus until Saturday night. A vote will be taken in the two houses separately on Monday, and jointly on Tuesday. Wilson's friends issued a call for a caucus not to be binding unless 57 names were appended, voting to be by open vote. It was signed by 26. Sergeant of Pierce, submitted another call to determine whether there should be a senatorial caucus or not. He has at present 33 names. Unbased information gives Wilson 55, although he claims 49. Allen 22, Atkins, 17; balance, uncertain. The Populists, think of going to Belknap, of Spokane, with the full strength of 23 votes.

SAN FRANCISCO RACES.

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—Seven furlongs—Brew Scott, 1:45. Five and one-half furlongs, selling—Miss Ruth, 1:38. Five and one-half furlongs—May Day, 1:30 1/4. Five and one-half furlongs—Mollie King, 1:32. Five and one-half furlongs, selling—Major Cook, 1:30 1/4.

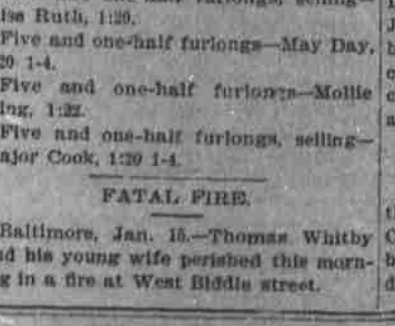
FATAL FIRE.

Baltimore, Jan. 15.—Thomas Whitby and his young wife perished this morning in a fire at West Blidin street.

DROWING AT HARDIN, ILL.

Hardin, Ill., Jan. 15.—While crossing the Mississippi river on the ice at the Calhoun Clubhouse, Miss Ida Trembling and Miss Mollie Rodgers were drowned.

HIGHTEST OF ALL IN LEAVENING POWER.—LATEST U. S. GOV'T REPORT.



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