

Doings at the Capitol.

By Our Regular Washington Correspondent

Gov. Allen, of Porto Rico, probably under orders from Mr McKinley, has issued a general denial of the recent stories alleging suffering among the poorer natives of the island because they have no work, and charges that the stories have all been instigated by one native editor who is disgruntled because he was not given an office. It is a little odd how that one Porto Rican editor should have been able to influence a score or more of reputable American correspondents to send misrepresentations to their papers.

Although the legislature that will choose his successor will not be elected until next year, Senator "Billy" Mason is already actively at work to become his own successor. He thinks he put in some good licks this week, when a number of Illinois men were in Washington to attend the unveiling of the equestrian statue of Gen John A Logan. Last year it was generally understood that Mr Charles G Dawes was to be the McKinley candidate for Senator, but that was when Senator Mason and Mr McKinley were on the outs. Now Senator Mason sings Mr McKinley's praises everywhere and when asked whether the McKinley influence will be used against his reelection, smiles in a knowing and satisfactory way and says he guesses not. Illinois democrats who have recently been in Washington have not been disposed to do any blowing but most of them believe that is an excellent fighting chance to elect a legislature that will send a democrat to succeed Mason, and say that they are going to try hard to do it.

A Washington man who has just returned from the Philippines, where he spent a year, doesn't enthuse over the islands as a place for Americans to go. He said: "I have had all the Philippines that I want. After a twelve month's sojourn over there, I am frank to say that I do not believe it any country for a white man. It is a rare thing to find an American that does not wish to get back to the States as quickly as possible. The spirit of discontent and desire to get away find expression in the army that has been sent to subjugate the islands, and the U S soldier that is satisfied with his lot is an exception. The climate is bad in that whenever a man gets sick there is no bracing or recuperative quality in the air, and recovery to health is exceedingly slow. My belief is that the capture of Aguinaldo will not put an end to our troubles in the Philippines; there will be plenty of revolutionary leaders to keep us a desultory warfare, and the chances are that the fighting will go on for the next ten years."

Parents and young people should remember that it frequently occurs that "Music is father and mother sweetheart and fame, and sometimes bread." Mrs L D Back.

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3:00 Opening of Convension by the President.
3:30. Address of welcome; Rev C C Smoot.

Response; Rev S H Skidmore.
4:00 Report of district conventions. Appointment of committees. Announcements.

8:00. Praise service; W G Beattis. Address; Rev Ma: H Wallace.

Thursday.
9:30. Devotional service; Mrs Clara Esson.

10:00. Temperance in the S S; Mrs Nora G Thelicum.

10:30. Home department; Mrs Clara Esson.

11:00. The mission of the S S; Prof F S Dunn.

Open discussion of all subjects.
1:30. Song service.
Bible study.

2:00 The whole Bible; Mrs Mark Baily.

2:30. The History of the Bible; Miss Delia Logan.

3:00 Systematic study of the Bible; Rev E A Childs.

3:30 Business session.
Election of officers, etc.

8:00. Song service; J J Handsaker. Address, Field work of the Oregon State S S A; Rev C Dotson.

Adjournment.
Every Sunday School in Lane county is invited to join in this association. Each school should be represented by its superintendent and one delegate for every 25 members.
All are cordially invited to attend the meeting of the association.

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IT'S AN ILL OMEN,

Thinks the wife, to have the wedding ring slip from the finger. "Something is going to happen."
Something is happening. That ring could hardly be pulled from the finger when it was put there a few years ago. Now it slips off by its own weight. How thin the fingers have grown! And the fingers don't grow thin alone. How thin the face is and how thin the once plump form. Almost unconsciously the wife has been fading and wasting away. The strength given to children has never been regained. Drains which should have been stopped have been neglected.

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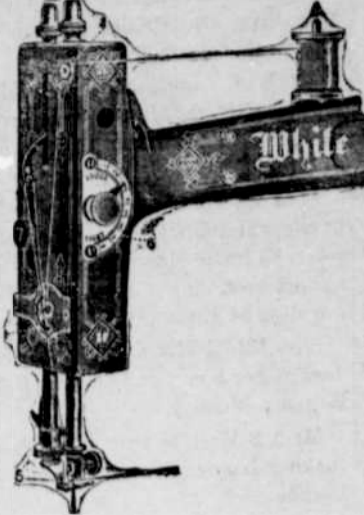
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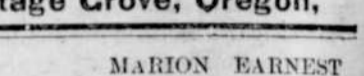
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