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FRIDAY, - - - - DEC. 27 1901.

The change in the Cabinet, which the President announced after the Tuesday Cabinet meeting is a source of much speculation. It is not surprising that Postmaster General Smith, after having served both Mr. McKinley and Mr. Roosevelt long enough to win the respect and gratitude of both, should wish to return to the more active and remunerative field of journalism, but what led Mr. Roosevelt to select Mr. Henry C. Payne for the vacated portfolio? That is the question that is puzzling many people in Washington. Was it merely the fact that Mr. Payne was vice-chairman of the republican national committee? Is it with an eye to the next national convention that an astute western politician was called to the presidential council table? These are the questions which everybody is asking.

The decision of the Schley Court has left the question of the Admiral's vindication still a matter to be sought after and it seems probable that Congress will pass a resolution thanking Admiral Schley for the services he rendered to the country at Santiago and providing that he shall receive full pay instead of that of a retired admiral. Admiral Schley has written to Secretary Long asking that he be given time in which to prepare a protest against the ratification of the finding of the Court and Secretary Long has granted his request. It is not likely, however, that the Secretary will do otherwise than approve the finding of the Court, as he is known to be so permeated with the views of Crowninshield and the other members of the Bureau of Navigation that the regards the decision as just and that Admiral Dewey's minority report is merely a bid for popular approval.

The Chinese seem determined to evade the exclusion law, according to information received at Port Townsend by members of the local Chinese colony. The information is to the effect that a large number of stock companies are being organized in the southern provinces with capital stocks of \$1,000,000 and upwards, and stock to the amount of \$500 will be issued to Chinese coming to America so they can show up on being examined by the customs officials at a port of entry that they belong to the exempt class, or merchants.

This action is said to be the result of the agitation for a more stringent exclusion law at the expiration of the present law next May. The Chinese immigration brokers in the southern provinces believe that the new law will exclude all except merchants or members of mercantile firms who have heretofore been admitted upon showing that they are interested in firms to the amount of \$500, and that large numbers will soon start from the Orient armed with stock in the new companies.

The Senate has ratified the Hay-Pauncefote treaty by a vote of 72 to 6. With the treaty out of the way the bills providing for the construction of a canal will be the next consideration. In the Senate, the bill proposed by Senator Morgan has been favorably reported by the committee on Inter-oceanic Canals, of which he is the chairman. In the House the Hepburn bill will probably be taken up soon after Congress reassembles and there is every reason to believe that it will be passed.

On Tuesday evening the bells in the steeples with their brazen lungs and vibrant lips rang out the welcome invitation to the citizens of Cottage Grove to attend the Christmas exercises at the different churches. For several weeks past the Sunday schools have been busy preparing appropriate programs for the celebration of that memorable day. These programs were rendered on Christmas eve in a very creditable manner. Old Santa Clause made his regular visit and had his usual lot of toys, candy, nuts, popcorn and oranges for the little tots. It was indeed a "Merry Christmas" for most of the little folks but there are many children who were disappointed by old Santa. He failed to have them down on his list and consequently they were overlooked in his rush to complete his trip. Now we believe old Santa should be a little more careful in making up his list and see that none of the children are slighted. There are many whose parents are not able to buy Christmas presents for them and those are just the ones that are generally forgotten. We have heard of a few cases right here in Cottage Grove and now next Christmas let the committees see that every child, whether in the Sunday School or not, has his name on old Santa Clause's list.

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Church Announcements.

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A watch meeting will be held at the Methodist church on Tuesday eve. All Christian people are invited to attend and welcome the coming of the New Year with prayer and song.

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The bride is a popular young lady and has for some time been engaged in the Grants Pass school as one of the efficient teachers. She is well and favorably known here and has a host of friends. The groom is a popular young business man of McMinville. The Leader extends congratulations.

WRIGHT-HORN.—At the home of the officiating minister, Rev C H Wallace Tuesday Dec 24, 1901. Mr John C Wright and Miss Kate A Horn were united in marriage.

The contracting parties are both residents of Walker and have many friends there who will join with the Leader in extending congratulations and wishing the happy couple bon voyage over life's tempestuous sea.

ALLEN-RHODES.—At the home of the brides parents near Cottage Grove, Wednesday, Dec 25, 1901. Mr James Allen and Miss Emma Rhodes. Rev C H Wallace officiating.

The contracting parties are well and favorably known in this vicinity and have a host of friends. The Leader congratulates.

OLIVER-ALLEN.—At the home of the brides parents east of this city, Wednesday, Dec 25, Rev Wallace officiating. Mr J M Oliver of Eugene and Miss Susan Allen were united in marriage.

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This company will appear at the Opera House in this city on the evening of Dec 31. The company comes here in the interest of our public schools. Prof Briggs is deserving of much praise in securing such a high class company.

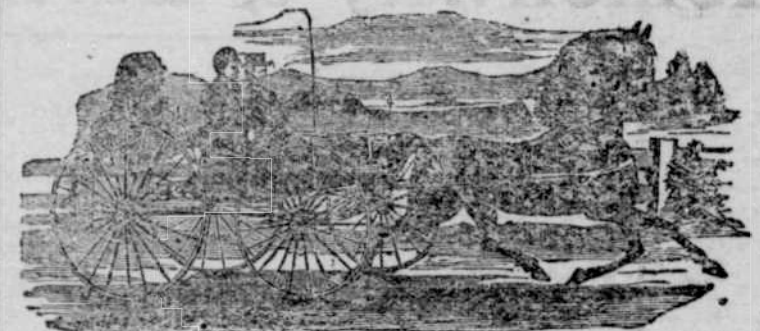
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