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FRIDAY, - - - FEB. 21 1902.

When Admiral Schley returned from his recent triumphal tour of the South he found that he was the possessor of a new piano, with a receipted bill for \$1,000 in payment therefor. The persons from whom the piano was bought absolutely refuse to name the donor and efforts to find the identity of the unknown admirer have been unavailing.

The California prune trust has toppled over of its own weight. The theory was admirable but the result of the combination was disastrous. The prune market was so glutted that there was no profit to be had and when all the producers were working together and competition did not keep the production down to its rightful basis. There is a moral in this for other trusts.

Several days ago Senator Mitchell undertook to secure the passage of his bill for pensioning the Indian war veterans, but Aldrich of Rhode Island, objected. Tuesday there was a lull in the Senate business, and Mitchell saw his chance but as Aldrich had gone away, senatorial courtesy would not allow the bill to come. Mitchell however, caught the Rhode Island Senator on the telephone, got his permission to have the objection withdrawn, and the bill was passed without opposition. Heretofore Speaker Henderson has stood in the way of the passage of this bill in the house, but Senator Mitchell has confidence that the House will give it consideration this session. The speaker and the members of the committee on rules are close personal friends of Mitchell, and he hopes that time will be given for the consideration of the bill. The Oregon members are working industriously to secure a majority in the House for the consideration of the measure.

WHO WAS IN COMMAND?

Significant, indeed, is this fact, in connection with the controversy over the credit of the Santiago victory—The Spanish naval officers who were in Cervera's fleet all state possibly that in their opinion, Rear-Admiral (then commodore) Winfield Scott Schley was the one who defeated them. They have no hesitancy in ascribing to him the credit of the victory. But then, what is the use to bother longer over the matter? The American people have voted upon the question and the ballot stands something like this—75,999,985 for Schley; four for Sampson, these being Sampson, Long, Maclay, Crownshield. one vote is in doubt—President Roosevelt. How will he decide?—East Oregonian.

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AN INVITATION TO KRUGER.

Congressman Cochran of Missouri has introduced into the house the following resolution:

Resolved, by the senate and the house, that the Honorable Paul Kruger, president of the South African republic, is hereby invited to visit the United States as the country's guest at such a time as may suit his convenience. For the defrayment of the expenses incurred in his entertainment while in this country the sum of \$25,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Will congress adopt the resolution and extend the invitation? It is to be hoped that Congressman Cochran and his democratic associates will compel action upon the resolution. The republicans are willing to spend money to entertain the brother of an emperor; they are willing to spend money and send special envoys to attend the crowning of a king—will they refuse an invitation to the president of a republic?

The committee may try to ignore Mr. Cochran's resolution, but the democrats can join in a petition to the committee on rules to set a time for its report and consideration. If the republicans refuse to join in the petition they will go on record; if the committee on rules refuses to consider the petition, a majority of the house can compel its consideration. If the resolution is passed and Kruger comes Europe will find out where the sympathies of the American people are; if, on the other hand the resolution is rejected by the republicans, the American people will inquire why the republican party is so quick to show courtesy to a king, but so indifferent to a conspicuous representative of self-government.—Commoner.

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DIED.

KIRK.—At Lorane, Feb. 17, 1902
Lula Myrtle, daughter of Mr and Mrs Wm Kirk aged 3 years, 3 months and 5 days.

The remains were laid to rest in the Sears cemetery, Wednesday. Mr and Mrs Kirk have the sympathy of all who know them.

JACKSON.—At Saginaw Saturday Feb 15, 1902, Julia, the 5 months old child of Mr and Mrs Jackson

The remains were laid to rest Sunday in the cemetery at Walker Station. A large concourse of friends attended to the last sad rites the living owe to the dead. Rev Wallace conducted the services.

SEARS.—In this city Sunday evening, Delbert Wayne, son of Mr and Mrs Thomas K Sears, aged 4 months and 7 days.

The funeral services were conducted at the home. Monday afternoon by Rev Zimmerman of the M E church, and the remains laid to rest in the I O O F cemetery. Mr and Mrs Sears have the heartfelt sympathy of all who know them in this their sad hour of bereavement.

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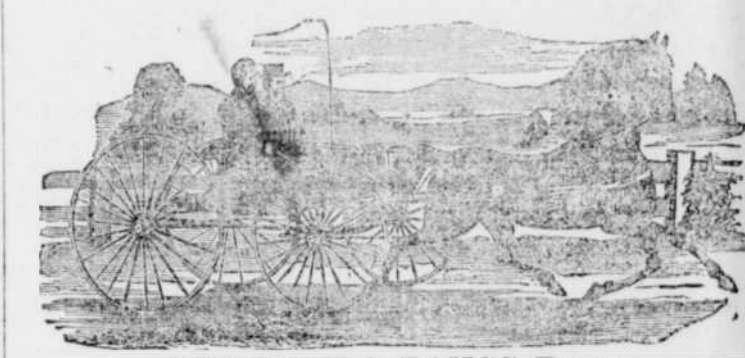
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