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### THE NEW BOOK,

Thirty Years in Washington, By  
Mrs. General John A.  
Logan.

This magnificently illustrated volume is published with the consent and aid of the United States Government, and this fact alone is evidence of its sterling merit and of the great care that has been bestowed upon it.

It is said that all roads lead to Washington just as they did to ancient Rome. Certain it is that the eyes of millions who cannot behold the marvels and glories of our National Capital in person are constantly turned towards it.

The book is a complete panorama of the countless interests of the National Capital as seen by a famous woman who, as the wife of an influential Senator, a society leader, and the close friend of every mistress of the White House from Lincoln to the present time, has been in close touch with the inner life of Washington, and enjoyed rare privileges for studying the mighty activities of the Government, such as no other person has ever before been able to command.

Many distinguished men and women have long urged Mrs. Logan to give this volume to the world. She has received letters from thousands unknown to her, expressing the hope that it would be written. In her preface she says:

"My first introduction to life in the city of Washington was in 1858, General Logan being then a member of Congress, and for more than thirty years I have lived there almost continuously, an interested observer of passing events. As the wife of a Senator, I may say that I enjoyed unusual privileges and opportunities to see and know the inner life and activities of the Capital City. I have had my share of the favor of the powers that were, and the honor of being included among the distinguished guests at both private and official entertainments; and I have known the pleasure of personal acquaintance with prominent statesmen, courtly diplomats, and beau-

tiful, winning, and gifted women, filling with grace and dignity the highest social positions that the people could bestow

"It has been my aim to show my readers, both by word and pictorial art, the wonders and the workings of the elaborate machinery of the Government in motion, by leading them through the great Departments and explaining what the army of busy men and women workers do and how they do it; to show them the works of art, the wonderful collections of relics and curiosities from every part of the world, and the architectural glories and priceless treasures of the Capital; to describe and explain its giant activities; to take them through the White House from the attic to the cellar, through every forbidden room, and to portray not only its daily life, past and present, but its brilliant social and official functions as well; to tell the story of every President, and of every woman who has ever reigned in the White House; to visit the Treasury, the Dead Letter office, and to solve the marvels and mysteries of every government industry; in short, to present every interesting phase of life and scenes in Washington."

Its illustrations are a triumph of American art. It is worth the price of the book just to look at these 50 magnificent full-page plates, from photographs taken with government consent and aid exclusively for this volume. They portray wonderfully interesting scenes. The government generously waived all "rules and regulations" in order that this book by a woman of Mrs. Logan's standing and influence should be as perfect and complete as possible. One can linger a long time over these beautiful plates, and though he turns from each with regret he is pretty sure to find the next one of still more absorbing interest.

We do not know when 740 pages have been given us more genuine pleasure. If we speak warmly of the book, it is because it richly deserves it. It is sold only by agents, and who introduce such a work ought to be welcomed. Put it into your homes. To own it is to prize it; to read it is to obtain liberal education. We believe that the best way to keep our books is by introducing good ones, and a better one than this has never been brought to our notice.

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### LITTLE LUCKIAMUTE.

Hen. M. Scrafford is again able to be around after a severe attack of rheumatism.

F. M. Skinner and wife, of Independence, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hiltbrand last Sunday.

O. J. Bagley will move on the George Steele farm near Suver. Suver will gain a good citizen at the loss of our community.

Fred Stump has purchased a new self dump reaper and is using it to harvest his vetch crop.

The S. P. R. Co. has a large force of men putting in a new trestle at the south end of the bridge on Jas. Hiltbrand's place.

F. N. Smith sold several tons of baled hay to Fall City parties at \$7.25 per ton in the field. There is a great demand for hay in these parts.

Jimmie and Eddie Tedrow are shocking for three binders. Hands are very scarce and our threshing machine men are having some trouble to get hands enough to run their machines.

The Luckiamute flouring mill is again in operation. After having a new renstock put in and many other needed repairs, the mill is in better shape than ever before.

The writer has noticed many articles in the ENTERPRISE from different localities praising up their places. We do not claim so much for our section alone, but take Polk over it ranks foremost of any county in the state. Look at our great industries, such as farming, stock raising, dairying, hop growing, lumbering, prune raising and many others that could be mentioned. We have some of the best blood stock in the state, and our other products are seldom equaled and never excelled and all of our laboring men have plenty of work. Whenever the laborer

### Baby Costs Too Much

When the price paid is the mother's health and happiness. The father doesn't realize as he romps with the child what years of wifely suffering must be set against the baby's laughter.

Chronic invalidism is a high price to pay for the painful joy of maternity, yet it is at such a cost that many a woman becomes a mother. Such a price is too much because



it is more than nature asks. By the use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription maternity is made practically painless, and a quick convalescence is assured in almost every case.

"I am pleased to give my testimony and wish I could find words strong enough to induce other sufferers to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription."

writes Mrs. Wesley Guy, of Kempsville, Ont., Box 6. "For eight years after my little boy was born I suffered with female weakness, also soreness in ovaries, especially on my right side, and pain in back. Was so miserable sometimes did not know what I was going to do. Tried several doctors but derived no benefit until I began using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Had only used four bottles, also some of Dr. Pierce's Antiseptic and Healing Suppositories, when I felt like another person. I recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to all my friends. If anyone wishes to write me I will gladly answer."

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate the bowels.

is always busy times are good, and such is the case in Polk county today. Any one who has a house in our county should consider that they have reached the top round of the ladder.

### BUENA VISTA.

Mrs. Sarah Baldwin is the guest this week of her son, S. H. Baldwin, near Independence.

Ed Wilson one of Benton county's most attractive bachelors came to Buena Monday, for a week's stay.

T. P. Oglesby was summoned by telephone to Scio Saturday evening.

ening to be at the bedside of his father, who is quite ill.

A hay baler is operating in Andy Torgeson's field this week. There are 100 acres of cheat in the field.

### ANTIOCH.

William Herren is shocking grain for John Sumpter.

A. J. Shipley returned from Corvallis last week.

Mr. Buster, of Alsea, former druggist of Independence, was in this vicinity Monday shaking hands with old acquaintances.

Weldon Black, of near Monmouth, will run Sullivan's separator with his portable engine.

John Stump has purchased a new Osborne binder of J. H. Moran, the agent.

William Herren is hauling lumber from Independence to repair his barn.

Mrs. Scott and son Fred have gone to Corvallis on special business.

Mr. Marks' new dwelling house is nearly completed.

Hay is selling in the field at \$5.50 a ton and scarce at that price.

H. B. Fishback is working in the grain field for Mrs. A. B. Ohms.

Farmers are paying \$1.50 a day for hands to shock their grain.

### Excursion to Newport.

On Sunday, August 9th, a Southern Pacific train will run an excursion to Yaquina Bay and Newport. Following is the schedule on the west side:

Leaves Dallas at 4:55 a. m.; Perrydale, 5:16; McMinnville, 5:55; Whiteson, 6:02; Amity, 6:07; McCoy, 6:17; Derry, 6:33; Independence, 6:43; Corvallis, 7:20.

## TENTH Correspondents' Contest

On April 1st, we commenced our Tenth Correspondents' Contest and on Friday, July 31, 1903, at 6:00 P. M. we will close it. We offer as premiums the following articles, selected by the Correspondents' themselves:

FIRST PRIZE..... A handsome, well-upholstered, velvet Couch  
SECOND PRIZE..... A lovely Picture  
THIRD PRIZE..... A fine Students' Lamp  
FOURTH PRIZE..... A good set of Ping Pong  
FIFTH PRIZE..... A Copyrighted Book  
SIXTH PRIZE..... Ladies Home Journal  
SEVENTH PRIZE..... INDEPENDENCE ENTERPRISE to any address for one year

### CONDITIONS.

We want all the news that happens in Polk county and we want the ENTERPRISE to visit every family in the county. We want to help you and we want you to help us. Our interests are mutual. We will give points as follows:

One point for every item of news worthy of publication. 25 points for every article worthy of a separate head. If an article be specially meritorious or startling in the sight of the manager of this department an extra 15 points will be given. For every new yearly subscription 85 points. For every yearly renewal 75 points. For a subscription three months 25 points; six months and less than a year 35 points. For every dollar's worth Advertisement or Job Work we give 50 points, and we will gladly furnish you prices on any kind of Ad or Job. We are going to make a campaign for some new correspondents, and we will announce at times the places in this column. Watch for them, as we will make it to your interest to secure representatives in the sections we want represented. Other features will be announced along.

### HOW YOU STAND.

Each week we will announce in this column your points. No article is credited until after it appears in the paper, although subscriptions and points secured in other ways will be announced as they come in. We want to keep everything fair and straight and if you think an error has occurred in your points write us within the week following and we will make thorough investigation.

Buena Vista, H.....	5400
Parker.....	5445
Monmouth, H.....	1093
Airlie, S.....	1021
Suver.....	651
Antioch.....	335
Monmouth, B.....	425
Rickreall, C.....	181
Lewisville.....	159
Highlands, D.....	92
Monmouth, A.....	97
Falls City.....	72
Sunny Slope.....	55
Ballston.....	39