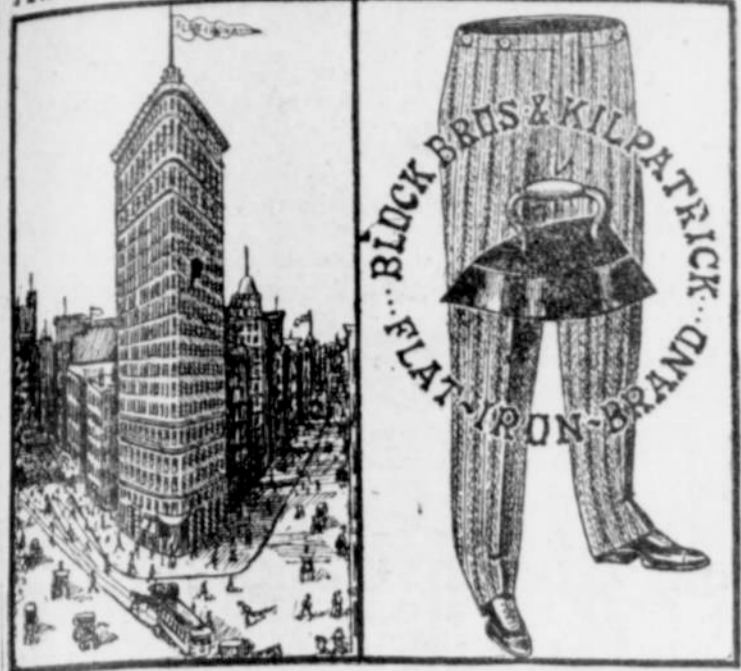


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New York, March 6.—A dredger deepening the channel between Long Beach and Hempstead, Long Island, brought up a gold crested snuffbox, flintlock pistol, diamond ring and brooch. This gave rise to reports that Captain Kidd's treasure had been located and the beach was crowded with people searching for relics. With difficulty they were induced to leave the pipe which discharges the sand into barges.

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160.80 acres in Sec. 2, tp. 17, s. 11 w. R. L. Thompson et ux to J. C. Parker, W. D., Lot 4 in block 4 in Kelly's add to Eugene \$125. B. F. Moore et ux to S. M. Day, et ux, W. D., 80 acres in Sec. 14, Tp. 18, s. 4 w., \$950. U. S. to M. A. Thomas, patent, 160 acres in Secs. 29, 30, Tp. 18, s. 4 w. Charles Sherburne et ux to C. C. Warwick et ux; 21.02 acres in claim 41, tp. 17, s. 4 w., \$100. Ida E. Holman et al to George A. Honek, 3.44 acres in sec. 7, tp. 13, s. 2 w., \$1. C. C. Coffman et ux to J. W. Wilson; lot 7, block—, D. G. McFarland's 5th add to Cottage Grove, \$1,140.50. Thos. Vandoy et ux to H. F. Buckman; tract in block 6, Coburg, \$320. Andrew J. Sheridan et al to Jas. H. Goggin; lot 17 and part of lot 2, block 15, Fairmont, \$10. Levi Geer et ux to T. L. Geer; tract in sec. 30, tp. 22, s. 3 w., \$150. Mary Close et al to Percy B. McDonald; tract in Elias Stewart's add to Eugene, \$300. James W. Sawyer et al to John H. Sawyer; 2303.70 acres in secs. 1, 12 and 13, tp. 18, s. 3 w., and sec. 7, 8, 18 and 20, tp. 18, s. 2 w., \$2. E. M. Savage et ux to C. O. Stevens, W. D., small tract in sec. 18, tp. 16, s. 1 w., \$250. A. Hachey et ux to James J. Williams, Q. C. D., 100 acres in claim 19, tp. 16, s. 3 w., \$1. Martha Stanton to H. H. Schmidt et al, W. D., 1 acre in sec. 14, tp. 19, s. 3 w., \$100. P. N. Sholley et ux to A. E. Chesser; worth; 10 acres in claim 74, Tp. 18, s. 3 w., \$4000. L. Phetopine, guardian, to L. E. Hodges; lot 14, Block 1, Lot 5, Block 34, Fairmount, \$1250. O. Benson et al to O. Eakin, Lot 3, Block 1, Lots 4 and 7, Block 2, Wynn's 2nd add, \$1.00. U. S. to Wm. D. Heath, patent, 160 acres in Sec. 30, Tp. 20, s. 2 w. Alice S. Weeden et al to H. H. Callahan et ux; 3 acres in claim 52, Tp. 21, s. 3 w., \$1200. George Rein et ux to Smith L. Taylor, 157.95 acres in Sec. 5, Tp. 17, s. 10 w., \$100. H. R. Jensen et al to O. C. Cartwright, Lot 3 in block 3, City of Wright, lot 3, block 3, Eugene City, \$2000. E. D. Handy et ux to Irvin Aubrey, 2 acres in claim 57, tp. 20, s. 3 w., \$2380. J. H. Kirk et ux to M. England et al, 1-2 acre in Sec. 3, Tp. 21, s. 2 w., \$55. M. Cleurrin et al to W. C. Monroe, Lot 4 in Block 3, Lot 1 in Block 4, Currier's Tract Add'n, \$1.00. U. S. to Peter M. Johnson, 160 acres in Sec. 26, tp. 17, s. 8 w. R. F. Martin et ux to W. H. Long, tract in Cl. No. 49, for a road. R. F. Martin et ux to W. H. Long, tract in Secs 3 and 10, Tp. 21, s. 2 w., \$1.00. C. Cales et ux to G. F. Wallace, W. D., tract in Marcola, \$75. G. L. Colby et ux to Jeanette Richardson, Lot 1 in Block 8 in Kelly's add to Springfield \$1250. U. S. to Bertha M. Gibson, patent, 162.64 acres in Sec. 30, Tp. 20 s. 2 w. U. S. to Thomas J. Edwards, patent, 160 acres in Sec. 6, Tp. 23, s. 3 w. Joat D. Petrie to Harley H. Petrie, W. D., 295.08 acres in Secs 23, 24, 25, s. 4 w., \$1.00. Pat Hannah et ux to H. H. Petrie, Lot 1 in C. A. Parkin's add to Cottage Grove \$700. U. S. to Earnest A. Spicer, patent, 160 acres in Sec. 18, Tp. 16, s. 2 w. Earnest A. Spicer et ux to S. G. Spicer, 160 acres in Sec. 18, Tp. 16, s. 2 w., \$1.00. S. G. Spicer to John F. Kelly, et al, 160 acres in Sec. 18, Tp. 16, s. 2 w., \$1.00. A. C. Dixon et al to Jas. R. Foxworth, Lots 8 and 9 in block 7 in Coburg, \$10. U. S. to Isaac B. Harwood, patent, 137.45 acres in Secs. 14, 23, tp. 19, s. 12 w. C. S. Buss to Lane County, tract for road, \$1.00. F. Ferguson et ux to Lane County, tract for road, \$1.00. Charles Ross King et ux to J. S. Medley et ux, 40 acres in Sec. 34, tp. 21, s. 3 w., \$1.00. U. S. to Charles Ross King, R. R., 40 acres in Sec. 34, Tp. 21, s. 3 w. Fred Flisk, sheriff, to S. P. Nees, 170 acres in Sec. 30, tp. 16, s. 8 w., \$1,385. The Santa Fe Pacific R. R. Co., to John F. Kelly, 160 acres in Sec. 32, Tp. 16, s. 2 w., \$10.00. L. E. Flegal to A. R. Dean, 249 acres in Sec. 27, Tp. 17, s. 1 w., \$1086. C. Cole et ux to Norman J. Rowan; lots 2 and 11 in block 1, Cole's 1st add to Marcola, \$200. Samuel G. Spicer to Ernest A. Spicer; tract in claim 41, tp. 16, s. 1 w., \$50. C. Cole et ux to C. L. Winter; lot 7 and part of lots 12 and 13, Cole's add to Marcola. United States to Nick Anderson; 160 acres in sec. 28, tp. 22, s. 3 w., \$1.00. J. B. Wright et ux to J. A. Buchanan; lot 5, sec. 7, tp. 17, s. 9 w., \$1,385. Samuel Holloway to Nannie S. Holloway; 20 acres in sec. 23, tp. 18, s. 3 w., \$1. S. A. Huddleston to E. K. Wheeler; tract in Huddleston's add to Eugene, \$10. Thomas Selein et ux to J. H. Garroutte; 75 acres in sec. 25, tp. 20, s. 4 w., \$650. Leslie L. Seales et ux to J. H. Garroutte; 40 acres in sec. 13, tp. 21, s. 3 w., \$650. A. T. Cunningham et ux to Newton J. Bryant; tract in claim 43, tp. 16, s. 5 w., \$12.50. A. T. Cunningham et ux to J. A. Richardson; tract in claim 43, tp. 16, s. 5 w., \$12.50. A. C. Dixon et al to Elmer Zechary; lots 1 and 2, block 3, Coburg, \$10.

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Following are the Lenten regulations for Catholics, issued by Archbishop Christie and Bishop O'Reilly, of Baker City: Lent begins March 4. All the faithful not legitimately dispensed are obliged in conscience to observe the law of the church concerning the Lenten fast. 1. The use of flesh meats is allowed at every meal on Sundays, as well as the principal meat on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Saturdays of the ember days and holy week excepted. 2. The use of fish, milk, butter and eggs is permitted on all days of Lent at the evening collation and the principal meals on those days on which the use of flesh meats is forbidden. 3. In the morning a small piece of bread is allowed with a cup of coffee, tea, chocolate or some similar drink. When the principal meal cannot be taken before noon, the order may be inverted and collation taken in the morning and the dinner in the evening. 4. Lard or grease can be used in preparing the lawful victuals. 5. Those of the faith who are exempt from the obligation of fasting can, on the days when the use of flesh meats is permitted to all of the faithful, be allowed to eat several times a day, as on the Sundays of Lent, when the obligation is not binding. The use of both flesh meat and fish together at the same meal is strictly forbidden during the whole of Lent. 6. By virtue of the indulgent granted for 10 years by the holy see to the bishops of the United States, workmen and their families are allowed the use of fish meat on all the fast and abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception of all Fridays, Ash Wednesday, the Wednesday and Saturday of holy week and the vigil of Christmas. Those who avail themselves of this dispensation are not allowed to eat fish and meat at the same meal, and they are exhorted to perform some other acts of mortification and penance, in accord with the spirit of the holy season of Lent. A most useful and commendable custom is that of abstaining during Lent from stimulants in honor of the sacred thirst of our divine Lord. The following persons are exempt from fasting: All those who have not attained their twenty-first year or who have passed their sixtieth year; those whose weak health or condition otherwise may demand the full amount of nourishment, and all those whose occupations are of a laborious and exhausting nature. Those who are excused from fasting, on account of age or hard labor, may use flesh meat more than once on the days on which it is allowed. It is eminently in accordance with the spirit of the church that all those who use the dispensations from the fast and abstinence should supply, in part, the spirit of penance, by prayers and alms deeds; by avoiding all public shows, parties and amusements and by abstaining from all intoxicating beverages. The time for making Easter communion extends from the first Sunday in Lent to Trinity Sunday inclusive. All the faithful are hereby warned that all those who neglect to make the Easter communion violate a law of the church which binds under pain of mortal sin. The transgressors of the law are, moreover, subject to excommunication, and should they die, to privation of Christian burial. Parents have to answer to God for their children. Let them, therefore, remember that they are obliged in conscience to see that their children and others under their charge receive Easter Communion. The reverend rectors are requested to have special Lenten devotions on Wednesdays and Fridays. The exercises shall consist of the beads, instruction and benediction on Wednesdays and the way of the cross and benediction on Friday. During the month of March the authorized prayer to St. Joseph will be recited after the usual prayers for the mass. We also request the reverend clergy to read to the people, in the vernacular, the gospel for each day during Lent, and that this be done at the holy mass every morning.

DUNBAR MAY HAVE TAKEN IN \$100,000

Salem, March 3.—Secretary of State Benson, in the Dunbar fee case today, testified that the total number of articles of incorporation filed prior to the act of 1903, during Dunbar's term of office, was 2561, for each of which he is supposed to have received a fee of \$2.50, making a total of \$7400; \$593 notary certificates were issued during the eight-year period, which at \$2 each would make a total of \$11,768, and the amount received for copying the laws and journals during the eight years was \$11,684.75. This would make an aggregate of \$36,273, but does not include the fees received for registering 514 trademarks and brands. It is not known the exact amount of fees received for the latter. The fees received as ex officio insurance commissioner was the principal item of revenues to the secretary before the flat salary law went into effect, and the amount of fees he is alleged to have collected and failed to turn over to the state may reach the estimated \$100,000 mark. Court adjourned at 12 o'clock until 9 tomorrow morning. P. E. Snodgrass, L. L. Goodrich and Charles L. Scott, appraisers of the property of the estate of N. A. W. Howe, deceased, today filed their inventory with the probate court, showing property valued at \$19,765.13.