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AN OLD ENEMY, SPAIN.

An American ship fired on by a Spanish cruiser for not displaying her colors quickly enough to please the Dons is a late development in Cuban news. At this time too the Spanish diplomats are clamoring because President McKinley has had an interview with representatives of the Cuban junta, and give as a precedent for their objections the protest of Great Britain against the friendly reception of Dr. Benjamin Franklin by the French government. Now is just the time to recall that aid which our country received in its hour of need but its effect will be to stimulate our government to prove itself not ungrateful for that and by showing equal favor to the distressed Cuban patriots. Spain's recognition of the rebellious Southern states is another event that should not be forgotten.

These instances all argue for American interference and are backed up by the findings of the president's special commissioner who has just returned from the unhappy island to corroborate the tales of butchery, rapine and inhumanity ascribed to Spanish cruelty and to deny General Weyler's bulletins of "victories and triumphs." So far from being subdued the patriots have a well armed force of respectable proportions in the field, possess territory peacefully where they exercise due functions of government undisturbed while the other parts of the island up to the very gate of Havana are not safe from their incursions and the Spaniards tremble behind their fortifications fearful not less than of the enemy of their soldiers, mutinous for their long arrears of pay which the bankrupt government cannot meet.

The commissioner however has not allowed his sympathies to outrun his judgment and advises that under no circumstances should these people of foreign habits, tongue and disposition be thought of as possible American citizens, annexation to his mind being undesirable.

South Carolina justice is sure even if it is slow. The supreme court of that state has just decided a suit brought years ago by a woman now dead. By this decision her 71-year old son, falls heir to \$4,000,000. This orphan so unexpectedly comforted was a bed ridden pauper living in Montana who as soon as he heard the good news proposed to a pretty girl of 16 that had been kind to him and was again fortunate, that is to say, she accepted him. Thus again is the old saying, that lightning never strikes twice in the same place, proved false.

One hundred and twenty years ago next Monday the stars and stripes was adopted as the banner of a new republic. Its red was the blood of heroes shed to defend it, its blue the heavens to whom the new nation appealed for the justice of its cause, and the white was that of a new constellation of sister states destined under Providence to be as eternal as the stars.

A Chicago man proposes to celebrate Victoria's long and gracious reign with a chorus of Scotch, English and Irish singing a medley of "The Campbells are coming," "Boyne Water" and "Wearin' of the Green." A jubilee outing which is to be a cross between a Highland picnic, the Olympic games and Donnybrook Fair will be another feature of this notable event.

The HATCHET is again under its original management, with an increased staff in business and news branches. During the coming month additions will be made to the mechanical department which will greatly increase its efficiency for rapid production of the paper and add much to the appearance of its work.

The regents of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor have appropriated for its support during the coming year \$418,545.

Married.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reynolds of this city on June 8, 1897. The contracting parties being their daughter Miss Mary A. and Bernard F. Johnson, of Dayton, Rev. E. Smith, of Hillsboro, officiating. At high noon the bridal party entered the parlor and took their places under the beautiful decorations of white roses, ferns etc. which had been prepared for the occasion. The bride was attended by Miss Nellie Williams and Mr. James Burke acted as best man. The bride was attired in a beautiful robe of very light tan trimmed in cream lace and ribbon. She carried a large bouquet of bridal roses. The bridegroom is one of Dayton's most enterprising young men and at one time a resident of Forest Grove and a student of Pacific University. Immediately after the ceremony the guests retired to the dining room where a bountiful lunch was served. The young couple were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left on the evening train mid a shower of rice for their home in Dayton. This office acknowledges the good cake sent in and wishes the young couple a long and happy life together.

Court House News.

Probate.—In re estate of Erastus Savage dec'd. Semi-Annual account filed and approved showing amount paid out \$3400 claims allowed \$1214.93.

In re estate of Chas. E. Dixon dec'd. Bond filed, approved and letters ordered to issue. Edward Catching, A. C. Brown and W. W. Parker appointed appraisers.

In re estate of John D. Rowell dec'd. Final account filed and set for hearing on Monday July 12, 1897.

In re estate of John McConkey dec'd. Citation ordered to issue to Lodema McConkey widow of dec'd., returnable June 21, 1897. Also ordered that J. M. Wall be appointed guardian ad litem for minor heirs.

In re estate of Laurets K. Larsen dec'd. Final account allowed and estates closed of record.

In re estate of Harvey Skeels dec'd. Final account approved and estate ordered closed of record.

In re estate of Sarah J. Mull dec'd. Executor authorized to expend not to exceed \$200.00 for monument for deceased.

In re guardianship of Elsie and Belle McClaran, minor heirs of Henry L. McClaran dec'd. Clerk ordered to correct record as per petition of guardian herein filed.

Marriages.—James Clayton Clark and Susan R. Danforth. Andrew Richardson and Nettie Thomas. Barnard T. Johnson and Mary A. Reynolds. Clarence E. Mays and Alice Rice.

Report of school in district No. 16 for the month ending May 28. No. of days taught 20. No. of pupils enrolled 39. Average daily attendance 35. No. of visitors 10. Those neither absent nor tardy were; Lottie Lain, Verna and Eugene Wahl, Florence and Myrtle Dennis, Sanford Wilcox, Roy Dennis, Dolly Butt, Sarah Hammack, Edward and Emma Martin, May Warner, Mabelle Matteson, Paul and Grace Temple.—Alice Porter, teacher.

Cheese.

J. S. Clark is making cheese and is prepared to do a large amount of work. Cheese made from the same amount of milk used in making butter will bring about one forth more money. The charge for making is only two cents per pound. Mr. Clark will sell the cheese or the farmers can have the cheese and sell or use it.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cynge, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by J. C. Clark druggist.

Additional Locals.

Hon. H. S. Hudson and family were visiting at his father's Saturday evening.

Mr. I. S. Singleton has been appointed station agent for the S. P. Ry. here in place of Mr. Glaze who has resigned because of a Kootenay gold bee he found in his bonnet. Mr. Singleton will move his family into the Christian house in a few days.

Supervisor Knox is doing some good work on the road east of town. He is putting it in the right shape for permanent drainage and graveling it thoroughly. He must believe that "what is worth doing at all is worth doing well."

Master Herald and Miss Helen Bates came up from Portland Saturday morning and remained with their father until Monday. Both ride their wheels very nicely and enjoyed calling upon their friends. They reported little Margaret as well and growing nicely. All their friends were very glad to see them.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are today its warmest friends. For sale by J. C. Clark, druggist.

The city marshal has had a rate card printed and every one who uses water should get a rate card and study it. We have a good pressure and our water system is all right but if the tank should be emptied in the night it might be a calamity in case of a fire.

Frank Waters, the feed mill man, is having much mental trouble over the prospective death of some bicycle rider. Several times he has pushed the heavily loaded truck out on the platform in front of their store and been startled by seeing a bicycle rider coming at full speed only a few feet away. As yet no one has been hurt but that is a dangerous place and riders should be careful.

G. O. James, the harness maker, has ordered his HATCHET to Walla Walla where he has located. The paper will follow him and not only tell him of his old friends but try to lead him to prosperity.

A. H. Patter with C. E. Atkins & Co., Ind., write; "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by J. C. Clark, druggist.

Mr. Abe Kohn, the enterprising merchant of Tillamook, spent Saturday night in the city and took the stage for home Sunday morning. Saturday evening he visited his friends.

Miss Anna Smith, who resides on the John Harrison farm, near Mountaineale, was here Tuesday to try the new preparation administered by Dr. C. L. Large for the extraction of teeth. Expert tooth extractor Dr. Hiatt and his student Putler did the work and she was highly pleased.

On Sunday afternoon a company of Odd Fellows visited the cemeteries and fittingly decorated the graves of their deceased brothers. In the Naylor cemetery the graves of J. B. Matthews, William Majempsey, H. O. Hyde and J. P. Vaughn were decorated and after brief religious exercises by the chaplain of Washington lodge a pilgrimage was made to Union cemetery and the grave of Dr. Wilson Bowlby was visited. This service was quite informal but tenderly brought to mind the associations of the past and deepened the lessons of our mortality with solemn thoughts of the relation which the living sustain to the great future.

Dehorning.—Many of our farmers have learned that cattle without horns are more gentle to manage, and live much more peaceably in the herd than those which are conscious of the power in their horns enforced by a strong body.

Dehorning seems to accomplish what is desirable but it has a degree of cruelty in it which is not pleasant. We ought to be willing to learn from any source and here comes a good lesson in this line which may be of value to some of our readers as well as a kindness to the stock. The Wyndham New Zealand Herald says that Mr. T. Rabbidge, of South Wyndham, has rendered nine calves hornless by the application of caustic soda. First cutting away the hair surrounding the buttons, and then taking a piece of soda in a cloth, and moistening it, he rubbed the place where the horns should appear until the surface showed signs of redness. The whole operation was then complete, and its effectiveness has been proved by the fact that there is not the semblance of a horn on the heads of these calves as yearlings. They were treated when about a week old—about the best age.

According to the newspapers, an Ohio husband became the happy father of seven children not long ago. Of the seven all lived but one. It is to be hoped he laid in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, the only sure cure for croup, whooping cough, colds and coughs, and so insured his children against these diseases. For sale by J. C. Clark, druggist.

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No one in ordinary health need become bald or gray, if he will follow sensible treatment. We advise cleanliness of the scalp and the use of Hall's Hair Renewer.

The following officers to serve for the coming quarter were elected Saturday night by Delphos lodge, No. 39, Knights of Pythias: C. C., C. C. Caples; V. C., D. H. Thomas; M. of W., J. W. Brown; prelate, E. W. Haines; M. of E., George L. Smith; M. of P., A. R. Leabo; K. of R. and S., Harry Westcott; M. of A., Charlie LaChapelle; inside guard, Dr. R. H. Hovey; outside guard, Frank Kane.

Notice of Bridge Building.

There will be let on Friday, June 11, 1897, at 2 o'clock, p. m., to the lowest responsible bidder at the county court room in the court house at Hillsboro, Washington Co., Oregon, contracts for the building of a new bridge across the Schainberg farm, and also for the repairing of the iron bridge across said river at or near Tualatin all of bridge to be steel. Specifications may be seen on said day at the clerks office. The county court reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Hillsboro this May 27, 1897.
B. C. CORNELIUS,
County Judge.

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Administratrix's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Charles E. Dixon, deceased, by the Hon. County Court of Washington County, Oregon, and that she has duly qualified as such administratrix. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me with proper vouchers attached, at Forest Grove, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated at Forest Grove this 3rd day of June, 1897.

ANNA E. DIXON,
Administratrix of the estate of Charles E. Dixon, deceased. 11-15

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that William Porter, of Washington County, Oregon, has made an assignment of all of his property, real and personal, to the undersigned, for the benefit of all of his creditors in proportion to the amount of their respective claims, and that said assignment has been filed in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, and that the undersigned has duly qualified and entered into the discharge of his duties as such assignee.

Now, therefore, all persons having claims against William Porter or the estate of William Porter, are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned assignee, at the office of Edward L. Naylor, at Forest Grove, Oregon, together with the proper vouchers therefor, within three months from this date.

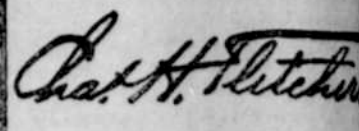
Dated at Forest Grove on this 8th day of June, 1897.
GEO. F. NAYLOR,
Assignee of the Estate of William Porter, Insolvent Debtor. 11-16

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Washington, P. L. Willis, agent, plaintiff, vs. Portland Pressed Brick Company, J. H. Smith, E. T. Johnson and John Robertson, defendants. By virtue of an execution and order of sale, to me directed, issued on the 17th day of May, 1897, out of the above named court, in the above entitled cause, upon a decree rendered by said court on the 24th day of November, 1896, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants for the sum of \$13,203.82 besides interest, attorney's fees, costs and disbursements, and for enforcing a mortgage lien on the land hereinafter described, I have duly levied upon the following described land, lying in the county of Washington in the State of Oregon, bounded by beginning at a point 24.80 chains south of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 27 T 2 S R 1 W of Willamette meridian, said point being the northeast corner of the land owned by said Portland Pressed Brick Company on May 2, 1892, and running thence south about 15.20 chains to the southeast corner of said quarter section; thence west 17.75 chains to the southwest corner of the said land owned by the said Portland Pressed Brick Company on May 2, 1892; thence north 1.50 chains; thence north 68 degrees west 2.50 chains; thence northwesterly on a direct line toward the southeast corner of block No. 3, of the town of Smockville, as the same appears on the plat of said town, as recorded in the records of deeds of said Washington county, to the limit of the railway passing through said quarter section; thence along said railway, north 42 degrees 45 minutes east to a point which is north 42 degrees 15 minutes west from the place of beginning; thence south 42 degrees 15 minutes east to the place of beginning; being all of the land belonging to said Portland Pressed Brick Company, in said Washington county, on May 2, 1892. Now, in pursuance of said decree, execution and order of sale, I will, on the 25th day of June, 1897, at the hour of eleven o'clock, a. m., at the county court house door, in said county of Washington, sell the above described land at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, to apply in or toward the payment of said decree, interest, attorney's fees, costs and disbursements and the accruing expenses on said execution and order of sale.

W. D. BRADFORD,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. 9-13

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