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A TALE OF LIFE IN THE
BOER REPUBLIC.

Here a stream of cold pickle water,
heavy with ribs and shoulders, de-
scending on his head, abruptly ter-
minated his speech. Half-blinded, Bon-
parte looked up through the drops that
hung from his eyelids and saw the red
face that looked down at him. With
one wild cry he fled. As he passed
out at the front door a shoulder of
utton, well directed, struck the black
coat on the small of the back.
"Bring the ladder! Bring the ladder!
I will go after him!" cried the Boer
woman as Bonaparte fled wildly out
into the fields.

Late in the evening of the same day
Waldo knelt on the floor of his cabin.
He lashed the foot of his dog which
had been pierced by a thorn. The
bruises on his own back had had five
days to heal in, and, except a little
stiffness in his movements, there was
nothing remarkable about the boy.
The troubles of the young are soon
over. They leave no external mark.
If you would the tree in its youth,
the bark will quickly cover the gash; but
when the tree is very old, peeling the
bark off and looking carefully, you will
see the scars there still. All that is
buried is not dead.

Waldo poured the warm milk over
the little swollen foot. Doss lay very
quiet, with tears in his eyes. Then
there was a tap at the door. In an in-
stant Doss looked wide awake and
winked the tears out from between his
little lids.
"Come in," said Waldo, intent on his
work, and slowly and cautiously the
door opened.

"Good evening, Waldo, my boy," said
Bonaparte. "Bonaparte in a mild voice,
not venturing more than his nose with-
in the door. "How are you this evening?"

Doss growled and showed his little
teeth and tried to rise, but his paw
hurt him so he whined.

"I'm very tired, Waldo, my boy,"
said Bonaparte, plaintively.

Doss showed his little white teeth
again. His master went on with his
work without looking round. There
are some people at whose hands it is
best not to look. At last he said:
"Come in."

Bonaparte stepped cautiously a little
way into the room and left the door
open behind him. He looked at the
boy's supper on the table.

"I've had nothing to eat all
day, I'm very hungry," he said.

"Eat," said Waldo after a moment,
bending lower over his dog.

"You won't go and tell her that I am
here, will you, Waldo?" said Bonaparte,
most unsteady. "You've heard how
she used me, Waldo? I've been badly
treated. You'll know yourself
what it is some day when you can't
carry on a little conversation with a
lady without having salt meat and pick-
les water thrown at you. Waldo, look
at me. Do I look at a gentleman?"

But the boy neither looked up nor an-
swered, and Bonaparte grew more
uneasy.

"You wouldn't go and tell her that I
am here, would you?" said Bonaparte
whiningly. "There's no knowing what
she would do to me. I've such trust in
you, Waldo. I've always trusted in
you such a promising lad, though you
mayn't have known it, Waldo."

"Eat," said the boy. "I shall say
nothing."

Bonaparte, who knew the truth
when the other spoke it, closed the door,
carefully putting on the button. Then
he looked to see that the curtain of the
window was closely pulled down and
sent himself at the table. He was
soon munching the cold meat and
bread. Waldo knelt on the floor, bath-
ing the foot with hands which the dog
licked lovingly. Once only he glanced
at the table and turned away quickly.

"Ah, yes! I don't wonder that you
can't look at me, Waldo," said Bonaparte,
plaintively. "My condition would touch
any heart. You see, the water was fatty,
and that has made all the sand stick to
me. And my hair," said Bonaparte,
tenderly touching the little fringe at
the back of his head, "is all caked over
like a little plank. You wouldn't think
it was hair at all," said Bonaparte
plaintively. "I had to creep all along
the stone walls for fear she'd see me
and with nothing on my head but a red
handkerchief tied under my chin. Wal-
do, and to hide in a 'sack' the whole
day, with not a mouthful of food, Wal-
do. And she gave me such a blow just
here," said Bonaparte.

He had cleared the plate of the last
morsel when Waldo rose and waited to
the door.

"Oh, my Waldo, my dear boy, you
are not going to call her," said Bonaparte,
rising anxiously.

"I am going to sleep in the wagon,"
said the boy, opening the door.

"Oh, we can both sleep in this bed.
There's plenty of room. Do stay, my
dear plume!"

But Waldo stepped out.

"It was such a little whip, Waldo,"
said Bonaparte, following him deprecatingly. "I didn't think it would hurt
you so much. It was such a little whip,
I'm sure you didn't take the penches.
You aren't going to call her, Waldo,
are you?"

But the boy walked off.

Bonaparte waited till his figure had
passed round the front of the wagon
house and then slipped out. He hid
himself round the corner, but kept
peeping out to see who was coming. He
felt sure the boy was gone to call Tant
Sannie. His teeth chattered with in-
ward cold as he looked round into the
darkness and thought of the snakes
that might bite him, and the dreadful
things that might attack him and the
dead that might arise out of their graves
if he slept out in the field all night. But
more than an hour passed, and no foot-
step approached.

Now the pictures become continuous
and connected. Material things still
rule, but the spiritual and intellectual
take their place.

In the dark night when we are afraid
we pray and shut our eyes. We press
our fingers very hard upon the lids and
see dark spots moving round and
round, and we know they are heads
and wings of angels sent to take care
of us.

So looks the first year.

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CRANBERRY INDUSTRY TO BE IN- VESTIGATED.

Mr. L. G. Powers, the Chief Statistician in charge of the agricultural investigations of the twelfth census, is making an especial effort to insure the adequate and complete representation of all branches of agricultural industry by the statistics which will be collected under his direction. At the same time he has not considered it advisable to place upon the general agricultural schedule which will be placed in the hands of the enumerators, very detailed inquiries concerning crops, the production of which is strictly localized. Such products will be provided for in special schedules, which will be distributed in the localities only in which the crops to which they relate are grown.

Among the industries to receive treatment of this character, cranberry culture is one of the most important. The special schedule to be used in this investigation has been prepared, and will be distributed soon after the first of January, 1900, at which time it is believed that nearly the entire production for the year 1899 will have been marketed.

The main dependence in this investigation will be upon schedules to be transmitted and returned by mail, and therefore its success will depend very largely upon the interest manifested by cranberry growers. If they co-operate cordially with the census office, the importance and extent of their industry will be fully represented in the report on agriculture, and its rank among the special agricultural industries will receive suitable public recognition. If they fail to do so, however, their industry cannot but appear unfavorably, as compared with those which are more fully represented in the census statistics.

The inquiries to be made will include questions concerning the ownership of each plantation or bog, as well as of course desirable to show what proportion of the total acreage is cultivated by those who own the land, and what proportion by tenants. An attempt will be made to segregate the area in natural vines from that in planted vines, and an inquiry concerning the number of vines planted during the last three years has been framed in order to ascertain the number of young vines and thus indicate in some degree the probable future progress of the industry.

There will also be two inquiries concerning the quantity produced during 1899, so as to show separately the production from natural and from planted vines.

The net value of his cranberry crop of 1899 will be asked of each producer, and care will be taken to exclude from this value the cost of picking and marketing. It is desired also to ascertain the amount paid for labor and for fertilizers during the crop year, and in accordance with the desire of many of those engaged in the industry, estimates will be requested of the extent of any reduction in the crop, below what may be regarded as the normal production which may have occurred during 1899 on account of blight, early frosts or other causes.

Probably everyone understands at this time that the work of the census office is in no way connected with taxation or the various agencies for assessing taxes, and no one will now hesitate on account of an erroneous impression to the contrary, to furnish the information asked. The census office also emphasizes the fact that there will be no disclosure of the private business of any individual; that aggregates only will be shown in its reports, and that all information received in the schedules will, so far as individual reports are concerned, be regarded as strictly confidential.

The census office has had extensive correspondence with the officers of the various cranberry growers' associations, with individual producers, and with others who have manifested an interest in this branch of agricultural industry, and has made every effort to frame its schedules in accordance with their desires. It is to be hoped that these efforts will be appreciated by those who may be directly benefited by them, and that they in turn will do all in their power to assist the census office in conducting its inquiries.

As it is essential, if the industry is to be completely represented, that the census office should have a complete list of those engaged in it, there will be enclosed with each schedule a list of those known to the census office as being engaged in cranberry within the locality to which the inquiry is sent, and the recipient will be requested to furnish to the office the names of any persons not on the list, who are cranberry growers. In

GEN. LAWTON'S MURDERERS.

Nothing more memorable has been uttered regarding the condition of affairs in the Philippines than was uttered by the brave General Lawton, whose dead body is now on the high seas en route to burial in the National Cemetery at Arlington. This is what General Lawton has said. Let the people of America remember the words:
"If I am shot by a Filipino bullet it might as well come from one of my own men, because I know from observations confirmed by captured prisoners that the continuance of fighting is chiefly due to reports that are sent out from America."
Let those who have been firing in the rear upon our brave men at the front for many months past, read and reflect upon these words. They are not the mere idle expressions of an editor at his desk, but they come to us from a brave and loyal soldier of the republic who was, first of all, a soldier and never a politician. They come from a soldier who was, for many months, in the heat of the conflict, giving up at the last his life, as he himself had said, because of the "reports that are sent out from America." The blood of the brave Lawton is upon the heads of those indolent, ill-advised and unprincipled people in our own country who have been encouraging the Filipinos in rebellion. This is a position from which they cannot escape. It is a blasted shame that an American should have to know such things of his countrymen.—Los Angeles Times.

England is gallant England still. Her nobles and yeomen have responded to the summons of their sovereign just as they did in the days of the good Queen Bess. We do not hear that Earls, Marquises or Dukes, without experience in the field, are appointed to lead men into battle because of their social positions. The noble and the country gentleman stand shoulder to shoulder in the ranks. Without quibble as to the justice of the war that is thrust upon them they are off to South Africa. At Magersfontein, Lord Winchester, the premier Marquis of England, met his death just as he might have taken an accident on the hunting field or led the dance at his ancient country seat. And so have died others of high as well as low degree on the ramparts of the veldt. The Englishman may have his faults, but his loyalty to country enables him in the eyes of mankind. Cowardice is not an attribute of his nature when the Empire is endangered. He has on previous occasions underrated his foe, as in the struggle with the American colonies. This fatal mistake induced him to follow an unwise leader into the fiercest war without adequate preparation. Unlike the Spaniard, the Englishman has the frank courage to admit defeat. No body can mistake the import of the last call for militia, yeomanry and volunteers. It is a confession of deadly peril! The summons will yield full 70,000 troops. They comprise the second, third and fourth lines of England's defense. This indicates how sorely the country is pressed for men. But the response has been prompt and glorious. No matter for the technicalities of international neutrality. No matter for the ravings of political demagogues and the machinations of England's enemies who find a harbor on this continent. The heart of every true American will throb in unison with the heart of true Englishmen on the outcome of the grand climax now approaching in South Africa.—Astorian.

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The cigarette has been responsible for the death of a great many young persons, but the youngest victim on record is an 8-month-old child named Homer Leslie, of Akron, O. The little fellow found a half smoked "stump" in the back yard and put it in his mouth. The cigarette did the rest.

Canvasback ducks are reported plentiful on the head of Isthmus slough, Coos county, and in good condition.

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED DURING THE WEEK

Items of General Interest from all parts of the state

LARGE SHIPMENT OF HOGS

But report Denies Large Figures in Weight—Athletic Club Insolvent

Wood is \$9 per cord at Kent, in Sherman county.

The Milton Eagle has just completed its 13th year.

The St. Helen's jail has not had an inmate for several months.

Two young men in Eugene's high school are seeking to enlist in the Boer army.

J. H. Beckley has received eight blood-hounds at Eugene, to be taken to his stock ranch near Lorane.

At Marshfield on the 8th inst., a 5-mile school tax was unanimously voted. It insures a nine months school.

The Noonday Mining Company, of Bohemia has just disbursed \$8,000 in cash at Cottage Grove to its employees.

Rev. Joe Waldrop has been invited to come from California and accept the "pastorage" of a church at Prineville.

H. McDonald arrived at Elgin last Tuesday with 45 horses, purchased in Wallowa county for cavalry purposes.

A debate between the universities of Oregon and California is said by the Eugene Guard to be among the probabilities.

Hon. R. N. Donnelly's son set a trap for coyotes last week and caught an eagle that measured seven feet from tip to tip.

The Astoria Football and Athletic club is insolvent, and its assets have been transferred to a trustee for the benefit of creditors.

A boy in a Woodburn school was given corporal punishment for cutting a loaded Krag-Jorgensen shell until the cap exploded.

During 1899, from Reedsyde there were shipped 69 carloads of wheat, 52 of hay, 16 of oats, 7 of hops, 2 of potatoes and 305 of wood.

Aurora has a paper, the Borealis, which made its appearance Saturday. It presents considerable local news. H. A. Snyder is its manager.

The Cove Ledger says that mangle is getting among the horses of that locality and that two horses afflicted with it were killed last week.

A national bank with \$75,000 capital is soon to be opened in Canyon City. It will be allied with the First National bank of Hepper.

A prisoner in Sherman county's new \$10,000 courthouse dug through the wall and escaped. He was recaptured and returned through the hole.

The Roseburg postoffice location is declared by the Review to be satisfactory, and the close proximity of an all-night saloon is said to afford it immunity from robbery.

The amount of money orders sold at the Tillamook postoffice last month was a record-breaker. Postmaster Severance reported that he received \$4,500 for 250 orders issued.

The Albany Democrat denies the report of a shipment of very heavy hogs from that town recently, saying they averaged only 300 pounds, and the heaviest one weighed 610.

Judge Bradshaw instructed the clerk of Wheeler county not to draw a jury for the January term of court there not being sufficient business to justify it. This has saved the county at least \$1,000.

W. M. Stoker killed a large cougar on Catherine creek, Union county, Thursday. The beast, after being shot, made for the hunter, but expired at his feet. It was 10 feet long and weighed 150 pounds.

Mice are reported by the North Yamhill Record to be destroying growing wheat in its neighborhood to an alarming extent. Farmers assert that while doing their fall plowing the number of mice they would sometimes reach the thousands.

Four boys are serving a sentence in jail for despoiling a woman's home at Brownsville with mud. The Times says that "the appearance of the house their fusillade would have put to shame the gun-panish

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