

The Observer.

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Word comes that a tribe of Alaska Indians tried to kill an Indiana prospector because he would not be their king. The simple natives ought to have tried an Ohio man.

The sensation of last May was Dewey's victory. Next month will bring the Czars' peace conference—which is expected to be an animated contest, but not decisive.

The total debt of the United States at present, exclusive of certificates and treasury notes, the paper currency, is \$1,425,776,234, of which sum \$585,153,873 was caused by the civil war.

China declares that it will never part with another inch of territory. It has prudently waited until the supply of European ultimatums was exhausted, as China is now "bounced on the east by all Europe."

Dr. E. Hine, a celebrated English physician recommends this treatment for small pox: "The worst case may be cured in three days simply by the use of cream of tartar dissolved in hot water and drunk at intervals when cold. It has cured thousands, never leaving a mark, never causing blindness, and avoiding tedious lincing. The drink is entirely harmless. Merely a concretus salt."

The first printing press in England was set up in 1476 by a merchant named Caxton, in a building near Westminster abbey. The first book printed in the regions of the United States was an almanac, by Stephen Daye, at Cambridge, in 1639. Daye established the first printing press in America. In 1659 a book was printed in the city of Mexico, entitled Doctrina Christiana, by Juan Cromberger.

Mr. Aspirin is boycotted in Washington by ambassadors of other nations, not because he represents Mexico, but because he happened to be 30 years ago the judge-advocate general of the Mexican army who was detailed by President Juarez to try the pretender Maximilian, the Austrian archduke who, under the protection of Louis Napoleon of France claimed the throne of Mexico. Maximilian had five distinguished lawyers to defend him but was convicted and shot at Queretaro. The Austrian government has never resumed diplomatic relations with Mexico. The two embassies at our national capital have had no communication since the death of Maximilian, for Emperor Francis Joseph cannot forgive or forget the execution of his nephew. But until now there has never been any lack of cordiality between the Belgians and the Mexicans, although Carlotta, the widow of Maximilian, who is now in an insane asylum near Brussels, is the sister of King Leopold of Belgium.

MORO CITY COUNCIL. ORDINANCES NOW IN FORCE.

[No. 1.] AN ORDINANCE to regulate and prescribe the Qualifications, Duties and Compensation of the City Recorder of the City of Moro.

SECTION 1. Before entering upon the duties of his office, the city recorder shall file with the mayor his certificate of his election or appointment, with his oath of office, as prescribed in the city charter endorsed thereon, and give a bond to the city of Moro in the sum of five hundred dollars, United States gold coin, with two or more sureties, who shall possess the qualifications of bail upon arrest as prescribed by the laws of the state of Oregon, to be approved by the mayor, conditioned that he will honestly, faithfully and impartially perform all the duties of his office as prescribed by the charter of the city, this ordinance and the orders of the city council. That he will pay promptly to the city treasurer all moneys that may come into his hands by virtue of his office, and turn over to his successor in office all books, papers and property belonging to the city of Moro that may come into his hands by virtue of his office as city recorder.

SECTION 2. The city recorder shall have jurisdiction over all violations of city ordinances, and may hold to bail fine or commitment to prison, persons found guilty thereof—it shall also be his duty when any person is found guilty of any violation of any city ordinance and adjudged to pay a fine, to further adjudge, that if such person fail or refuse to pay such fine and costs of action, such person be confined in the county jail at the rate of one day for each two dollars of such fine until said fine be paid. Provided, that such confinement in the city jail shall in no case exceed fifty days for one offense. Any money that may be paid by any person adjudged to pay a fine and costs shall be applied in the first instance to the payment of the costs of the action. Within the city limits the recorder shall have the civil and criminal jurisdiction of a justice of the peace for the county of Sherman, and in all proceedings in his court shall be governed and regulated by the general laws of the state applicable to justices of the peace and justice courts, in like or similar cases. And he shall keep the corporate seal of the city, and all of the documents belonging to the city, and shall file them in his office under appropriate heads.

SECTION 3. The recorder shall be elected by the council as provided in the charter, and hold his office for one year and until his successor is elected and qualified. He shall be ex-officio clerk of the city council, and with him must be filed all claims and accounts against the city. He shall attend all meetings of the city council and shall keep accurate minutes of all proceedings of the council in a well bound book provided for that purpose, and shall also keep a correct record of all judicial business by him transacted. He shall also record in a well bound book, to be called the Book of Ordinances, all ordinances passed by the city council, and shall keep all the original ordinances on file in his office, carefully preserved for future reference. He shall keep an account in a well bound journal and ledger, in the usual form of single entry book keeping, between the city and the recorder, between the marshal and the city, between the treasurer and the city, in which he shall charge each of said officers with whatever he receives belonging to the city, and credit him with whatever he accounts for satisfactorily to the city council.

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SECTION 14. Whereas, there is great and urgent need of this ordinance, it shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the mayor. Approved April 17th, 1899.

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It is pleasant to us to note that at last John Clark Ridpath, romancer, is receiving his just deserts at the hands of the press of America. We exposed some of his frauds more than a year ago.

NEW TO DAY

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION. Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold an examination at the public examination at Moro, commencing at 1 o'clock p.m. Wednesday May 10th, 1899.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon: April 27th, 1899. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by Section 2453, U.S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the Act of Congress approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on

FRIDAY, the 9th day of June, next at 11 o'clock a.m., at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit: The SE 1/4, NW 1/4, and lot 1 Sec. 2, Tp. 18, R. 12E, W.M. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited. JAY F. LEVINS, Register. 602-62

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"The man with the hoe" has a grip on the sentimental press now but shows less practical results than Jim Mitchell with his hoe in the garden.

Fred Krusow was a visitor in Moro a day last week. His first since he returned last July from his matrimonial trip east. His friends in Minnesota write that snow was still 18 inches deep in the timber and drifts of four feet in the roads was common on the 31st of last month.

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