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Cream of the Week's News.

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Washington, Feb. 14—Wheeler, Democrat, of Kentucky made a sensational speech in the House today during course of which he demanded the retirement of Secretary Hay, and the recall of Lord Pauncefoot.

He began by demanding Hay's retirement, declaring that he was the man responsible for this republic's abandonment of its isolation from the political wrangles of Europe.

Referring to the visit of Prince Henry, he deplored the fact that this government is spending thousands of dollars to see a Dutchman take charge of a little ship.

Referring to Lord Pauncefoot, he said we ought to be compelled to take the first ship home.

New York, Feb. 14—The great strain is beginning to tell on the participants in the six day walking match, and some of the pedestrians are acting like madmen.

Hegleman, one of the leaders, made a savage attack on his trainer this morning. He struck him over the head with a bottle. After some difficulty he was subdued by means of an opiate.

Gerro goes around the track slinking his fist at an imaginary enemy.

Hunt brothers were carried to their cots this morning fighting and shouting.

Washington, Feb. 14—A story is going the rounds to the effect that England may, as a retaliation against Germany on account of the publication by the latter of the now famous Pauncefoot note, bring to light official documents to show that Germany tried to bring about concerted action soon after the battle of Manila to prevent us retaining the Philippines.

There is also talk of a conspiracy on the part of the representatives of the other powers to force Pauncefoot out of the position of dean of the diplomatic corps.

Chicago, Feb. 13—A gigantic organization of all the millers in the United States under one general head has been effected.

Twenty thousand milling concerns are included in the organization, representing a capital of seven hundred million dollars. Central headquarters will be located in Chicago and Minneapolis.

Constantinople, Feb. 14—The ransom of Miss Stone and Mme Silka is reported paid and the announcement of their release is expected soon.

Washington, Feb. 13—Senator Mitchell of Oregon addressed the senate on the Philippines tariff bill.

He held that under existing conditions it is neither right, expedient nor necessary, to apply to our insular possessions the same rule that we apply to foreign countries.

Touching upon Cuba, he said that the United States is not in duty bound to enter into treaties or commercial regulations with Cuba that may in any manner effect adversely American interests.

Congressman Corliss of Michigan, author of the bill providing for laying a cable from San Francisco to Manila made the initial presentation of the case to the House today.

He bitterly opposed the laying of the cable by private concerns.

He denounced the methods of the Commercial company in attempting to get ahead of congress and to secure from the President permission which he is not authorized to grant, and because in the face of refusal they have prepared to lay and operate the cable without the consent of the government.

Washington, Feb. 13—Diplomatic circles here have not been so stirred up for many years as they are now over the complications arising out of the various declarations regarding the attitude of the different European governments toward the United States when this country was about to engage in the war with Spain.

At this time it is well to state that no official notice will be taken of the matter by the state department.

Just now it is England's turn to speak. The publication of the note addressed by Lord Pauncefoot to the diplomatic corps here is a great surprise.

Pauncefoot has declined to discuss the matter until the proper time comes.

It is expected that the records will be produced and the entire question set at rest.

A thousand native men and women have been killed by these bands under the guise of making war against the American forces.

Cincinnati, Feb. 12—Members of the book committee which has supervision of the publishing interests of the Methodist Episcopal church in the United States assembled in Cincinnati today for their annual business meeting.

Boston, Feb. 12—The historic flagship of the Manila bay fight, the Olympia, today under orders to proceed to Lambert's Point, Va. After participating in the naval reception and escort to Prince Henry, the Olympia will go South to become the flagship of Rear-Admiral Higginson, in the work of the North Atlantic squadron in West Indian and Central American waters.

Berlin, Feb. 12—According to a semi-official statement issued today the German cruisers Veneta, Falke and Gazelle are due to arrive at Laguayra, Venezuela, today.

The visit of the cruisers is in connection with the recent misunderstanding between Germany and Venezuela arising out of a conflict several months ago between German tars and the populace of Puerto Cabello. An ultimatum on the matter is expected shortly.

Groton, Feb. 12—Young Roosevelt passed a good night and felt better this morning. The condition of the boy improved some towards noon.

The attending physicians informed the President that if the patient continued to show the same improvement for 48 hours he could be considered practically out of danger.

Washington, Feb. 12—The House passed the oleomargarine bill today with an amendment providing for the inspecting and stamping of renovated butter.

New York, Feb. 12—The imperial yacht Hohenzollern was sighted off the Sandy Hook lightship just before noon today. At the quarantine station she passed the cruiser Illinois, the officers exchanging the customary salutes. Hohenzollern proceeded direct to the North German Lloyd pier in Hoboken.

Groton, Mass., Feb. 10—Young Roosevelt is nearing the critical stage of his disease, he has grown weaker during the last twenty-four hours and any complications now would be highly dangerous. The boy is unconscious the greater part of the time.

There is no immediate danger but the attending physicians have noticed with alarm that the symptoms are almost exactly like those of another student who died a few days ago.

Nobody, not even the President knows when he will return to Washington. The President certainly will not leave until the critical stage of the disease has passed, which will last several days more, at least.

The boy is said to be holding his own. The crisis will be reached within the next thirty-six hours.

The President realizes that the fate of boy hangs in the balance but is bravely bearing up today.

The disease is diagnosed as bilateral pneumonia. There is no change in the patient's condition this afternoon. He is holding out bravely.

Washington, Feb. 10—Business at the White House is practically at a standstill. The only callers are those who drop in to inquire for the latest news from Groton. The telephone and telegraph wires are busy with messages of inquiry for information regarding the condition of the President's son.

Washington, Feb. 10—The Senate today resumed consideration of the Philippines tariff bill. Turner of Washington is continuing his speech which was begun Friday.

Washington, Feb. 10—Secretary Long in an interview declares that he will not resign as long as he is under fire, but would be glad to be relieved.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY EXTENSIVELY OBSERVED

All the Great Cities Pay Honor to the Great Emancipator

Springfield, Feb. 12—The anniversary of Lincoln's birth was appropriately observed here today, offices in the state house were closed at noon. This evening the Sons of Veterans and other patriotic organizations held special services.

New York, Feb. 12—Five hundred covers will be laid in the banquet room of the Waldorf-Astoria tonight on the occasion of the annual Lincoln dinner of the Republican club. James Willis Gleed of Kansas, delivers an oration on Lincoln.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12—The memory of Abraham Lincoln was honored today in this city with appropriate ceremonies. School children, college students, civic, social and political organizations paid tribute to the American commoner in recognition of the ninety-third anniversary of his birth. All the big business houses and many private residences throughout the city were appropriately decorated.

Chicago, Feb. 12—Banks, the board of trade, the stock exchange, the courts and other public institutions were closed here today in honor of Lincoln's ninety-third birthday. Commemorative meetings were held in various parts of the city and special exercises were held also in the public schools.

Los Angeles, Feb. 12—The Illinois society of Los Angeles has arranged for a Lincoln day program to be given this evening. Speeches will be made by former Governor J. L. Beveridge, S. A. Carlisle, E. N. Smith and others.

Newburgh, Feb. 12—Governor Odell is to be the guest of honor this evening at the fifth annual dinner of the Lincoln Association of Newburgh.

LAKE ITEMS

Mr. Coleman and Geo. Schroeder brought a beef and some butter that will be shipped to Coos Bay markets. Guy Andrus made a trip to the home of Earnest Sanford on Haynes slough last week.

We have the promise of a very thrilling bear story in the near future related by one who was an actual participant in the affair.

H. W. Wilkins, of North Lake passed through here on his way home from North Slough where he had been in quest of a sail boat and at the same time to dispense with no sparing hand confectionery and bonbons to the damsels of that happy little valley.

The young man who during the hours of darkness the other night ran in the corner of our house and greatly disfigured his nasal organ will please remember that we do not want the building damaged but we are so try for his misfortune.

The new store at Lake is fast nearing completion by the work of O. Landrich and L. O. Kinyon, Chief of Police whybarck and Mayor Quick is busily engaged painting.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schetter, while playing was struck on the forehead by the swing board and quite severely hurt. The latest report she was much improved.

For sale or to let, a good mowing machine of ancient order in splendid condition, with the exception of a fire box and ash pan, will probably need a few new flues and a smoke stack. Apply to Petroleum V. Nasby, P. M.

Sunday was a stormy blustering day, the lakes were rough, the white caps lashed the shore, but, some of our boys never failed to cross the stormy waters on their way to North slough where awaited them.

The maidens fair
With golden hair
Eyes of blue
Hearts so true.

Bandon Items

The quarantine has so far quieted affairs hereabouts that it would be difficult to suggest a fact worth printing. Even the "Baroda," which was ever a subject has sailed us. I may say, however, in parting with this craft, that she is ballasted for the winter and spring. The only evidence of business life are afforded by the woolen mill, which is running night and day, and the broomhandle mill, which also is running on full time.

By the way, I neglected to inform you that we have a match actory, too. That is, we do everything except put on the brimstone. Dyer & Shoemaker are the enterprising people who are working up our raw material in this way. They have a contract to furnish the Standard Oil Co. with two-can cases and the matches are packed in these for shipment.

The steamer Argo is still with us, as is the gasoline schooner Monterey, and from the appearance of the bar, these crafts are likely to remain several days.

The Mandalay is expected this week.

North Bend Items

L. J. Simpson is again able to attend to business after his long confinement to the bed and house.

A. P. Cook is giving the interior of the store a fresh coat of white paint.

Sig Hanson, the popular clerk and bride were the lucky ones mentioned in my last letter. They are now occupying the new cottage on the hill.

Almost every one is "on the move" here now-a-days it seems.

E. A. Nygren has purchased the house and lots formerly owned by J. Messerle at Yarrow and will move as soon as the weather permits.

Otto Wiik is occupying the house where Victor Nylund and family lived.

Mr. Nylund has left Oakland, Cal. for Arizona. His many friends and relatives here hope the new climate will do for him what the doctor's cannot, and that he will return in better health.

Emil Nelson moved into the house vacated by Otto Wiik.

W. Lindstrom and family have moved to their ranch on Catching slough, and Victor Wittick took their house here.

The house vacated by Mr. Wittick is now occupied by John Lindgren.

Mrs. Lindgren arrived from Michigan on the Arcata.

F. W. Saltus who has been a clerk in the store for almost two years expects to leave on the Alliance for the North.

"Old Joe" the big horse used in the shipyard has been on the sick list. As Joe is everybody's pet as well as a very valuable animal here, we are glad he is again able to be in harness.

Victor Anderson's family have been having a siege with the measles. All are able to be around now except Miss Ida, who, however, is now on the improve.

Miss Alma Stora is convalescing from quite a sick spell.

Mrs. O'Connell and Miss Stella were here calling and shopping Tuesday.

Miss Hongard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lockwood.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1876, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, February 10, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1876, entitled "An act for the sale of timberlands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

CHARLES R. BRADBURY, of town of Marshfield, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2021, for the purchase of the Lots 2, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, W 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. No. 4, Township 27 South, of Range 12, West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Saturday, the 25th day of April, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Thomas Cobe, Otto Schetter, Harry Noble, of Marshfield, Oregon, Will Hunter, of Roseburg, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 25th day of April, 1902.

J. T. BARDGES, Register.

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