

Our Washington Man Says.

The subsidy bill seems doomed to defeat for this session at least.

The Nicaragua canal is to be an American in the fullest sense of the word.

The republican press is making a great admiration over Secretary Hay's concession in agreeing to submit the amended treaty to Great Britain without a word of disparagement.

The Boers have won again, and the British are hurrying further reinforcements to South Africa.

For the first time since 1814, when the British burned the capitol, the British flag was draped inside the House of Representatives and hung on the front of the capitol on Wednesday last at the Centennial celebration of the founding of Washington.

After March 4th, any story of an attempt to assassinate President McKinley should be taken with a grain of salt.

The northern papers are still discussing means to suppress lynchings.

Poor Foraker! He has been hick-spitting at the heels of Hanna for a year, or two now hoping that he will be retained in office when his term expires next year and now if he is announced that he will probably not even be endorsed for the post by the republican convention.

Why should fifty cent dollars be such awful things at home but all right when it comes to imposing them on the innocent Filipinos, as is now proposed by Secretary Gage?

Oh, yes, constant reader, Great Britain feared to guarantee the neutrality of the canal against all other nations.

We suppose that it is all right to pension Representative Bouteville but we cannot help suggest that there are others who need the money just as badly.

The war is still on. Pay! Pay! Pay! Queen Victoria's speech to Parliament.

We hope that Tod Sloan won't have to walk or take the street car next year.

Governor Roosevelt has gone to Colorado to hunt. Victor people will take warning and remain indoors until he leaves the state.

O., of course, our consular salaries are so miserable that no one can afford to take them.

Probably it won't be a very long now until we have a "pedestrian show," where that almost extinct biped will be exhibited.

The election being over, there can be no real objection to the Neely and Rathbone cases being brought up for trial.

The Countess of Castellane is reported sick with worry over her debts.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Large Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.

Bushels of Money. Brown away by women annually in the purchase of cosmetics, lotions and powders.

The Excitement Not Over. The rush at the drug store still continues and scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs.

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Ladies silk dress and skirt patterns, dress goods in all the novelties of the season.

Ladies suits and skirts, mackintoshes, fur scarfs, culottes and capes.

Ladies, misses and childrens jackets and capes.

Chateaufeu bags, cut glass, pillow and pillow tops.

Hair ornaments, sterling silver mounted ebony combs and brushes, etc.

India baskets, leather boxes, dressing sacks.

Portiers, lace curtains, carpets, rugs, art squares.

Albany Woolen Mill blankets, white and colored.

Comforters and pillows, carpet sweepers, trunks, valises and telescopes.

Table covers, pillow shams, art goods, bureau scarfs.

Ice wood fasciators, sheet and pillow case sets.

Toilet sets, napkins and table linen table cloths and napkins to match.

Mens neck wear, newest four-in-hand and bows.

Mens kit gloves, new fine Merino gloves.

Initial handkerchiefs, linen and silk handkerchiefs, mufflers, fine suspenders.

Umbrellas and canes, fancy hosiery, hats, shoes.

Fancy slippers for ladies and gentlemen.

S. E. YOUNG & SON.

Albany Market

Wheat 50 cents.

Oats 35

Eggs 23 cents.

Butter 15 to 17 cents.

Potatoes 50 cents.

Hams 15 cents.

Sides 10 cents.

Shoulders 8 cents.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons interested that the undersigned administrator of the estate of John G. Olson, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate with the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, and that the county court of said county has set Saturday, the 12th day of January, 1901, at the hour of One o'clock p. m., of said day as the time for hearing and settling all objections to said account, therefore, all persons interested are hereby notified to file any objections they may have to said final account on or before said above mentioned date.

Dated at Albany, Oregon, this 14th day of December, 1900.

E. W. BURMAN, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of T. J. Black, deceased, will, on Saturday, the 12th day of January, 1901, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., of said day, pursuant to an order of the county court of Multnomah county, Oregon, duly made on the 28th day of November, 1900, sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the premises hereinafter described in Halsey, Linn county, Oregon, all of the following described real property belonging to the estate of said deceased, to-wit:

Lots three (3) four (4) five (5) and six (6) a block nine (9) and lot one (1) in block "10" all in Halsey, Linn county, Oregon. Terms of sale—Cash in hand at the time of sale.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1900.

JAMES C. BLACK, Administrator of the estate of T. J. Black, deceased.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Creamery Association will be held at their office in the creamery building on Thursday, 10th January, 1901, at One o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing five directors to serve the association for one year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Albany, Or., Dec. 7, 1900. STROUDER FURMAN, Pres. Attest: E. J. SKELLY, Sec.

MISFITS

Thesun rose this morning at 7:27 and will set at 4:32. Tomorrow will be over a minute longer.

The infamous bounty law, passed by the last graft legislature has already cost \$100,000. Linn county washes its hands clean of the entire grab.

A Christmas tree joke in Albany was a big hinge to take the place of the one on the tongue of the recipient when the present one is worn out.

The report from Washington is that there is no hope for the Indian war pension bill at this session. The money is all needed to meet the election demands of the trusts.

After being visited by Col. Holt, Corvallis, Salem and Albany have all come to the conclusion that they are not the worst towns on the coast. There are several worse, Roseburg and Eugene for instance.

By a desperate effort Siurlaw harbor, which was first struck from the river and harbor bill, has been put back in the bill, and \$1,000 has been secured by Congressman Turpin for Long Tom. There is no evidence of any hustling for Yaquina.

A big American golfer recently was made to eat in a workshop of a big English golf club house, being decidedly snubbed. It has caused a wave of indignation to sweep over the American links. Now, we do hope the Boers will whip the stuffing out of the English if it takes a century.

An old gentleman was in Albany last week with \$100 of pension money. He spent nearly all of it in the saloons, when a friend from the country discovered him, took him into a store and made him expend all the rest except enough with which to get home, on his family, which was all he had to show for his money except a very confused mind and staggering steps.

A Free Trip to Paris!

Reliable persons of a mechanical or inventive mind desiring a trip to the Paris Exposition, with good food and comfortable accommodations, write THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md.

APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Elliott, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers, to me, at my residence, in Coburg, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated December 7, 1900.

JASPER WILKINS, administrator of the estate of John Elliott, deceased.

HARVEY & SOX, Attorneys for administrator.

THE HOME MARKET.—At Conn & Huston's store, will be kept each Saturday by the ladies of the Christian church. Your patronage is solicited.

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The pale, weary looking girl, who was slowly recovering from severe illness, opened the bundle and held up a large bottle of clear, rich medicine.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla!" she exclaimed. "I have been reading about it today and wished I had a bottle."

On New Year's day Jennie was able to be out on the street; and to her friends who remarked how well she was looking she simply said, "Hood's Sarsaparilla," and every one of them knew it was this great medicine that had given back her health.

PAY UP.

The books and accounts of the Albany Dressed Beef Co. contracted prior to Oct 37, 1900 have been placed in my hands for collection. All parties indebted to the firm are notified to call at my office and settle the same without delay.

T. J. STITES.

A Few Pointers.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may be prevented by an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c and 5c. For sale by all druggists.

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TELEGRAPHIC

A Desperate Indian

MURKOGEE, I. T., D. C. 25.—The Tiger, a full blooded Indian, a ferryman on the Arkansas River two miles from Eufaula, went to Eufaula with his wife and a term and while intoxicated met L. B. Roper and threatened to kill him. Roper immediately struck Tiger with a board, no words passing between them. Tiger went to his buggy, got a Winchester and came back to kill Roper but failed to find him on his return. Enraged he proceeded to shoot every one he saw, shooting Jesse Beck through the hips and killing him; shooting and killing Dave Porter a nephew of Chief Porter and a "mover" named Johnson on his way to Missouri in a covered wagon with his family. Bud Taylor, aged 18, was shot through the shoulder and is not expected to live. Tiger was captured.

Will Be Punished.

LONDON, Dec. 25.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing Dec. 24 says:

The government has arrested Prince Tuan and Prince Chung on the borders of the Shan Si and Shen Si provinces. Yu Heien has been ordered to return to Sian Fu to be executed if it is supposed.

It is inferred from these reports that the imperial authorities are preparing to concede the demands of the joint note for the punishment of the instigators of the trouble in China.

The Invasion.

LONDON, Dec. 25.—The position of Cape Colony is hanging in the balance. According to the Morning Post's correspondent, everything depends upon the quantity of ammunition in possession of the disloyal Dutch residents 100 of whom have joined the Boers in the Phillipstown district alone. Energetic measures have been taken to stem the invasion.

Two Killed

WALLACE Idaho, Dec. 25.—Pete Schimmel and Charles Bonne were killed in the Tiger Pouch mine yesterday. They drilled into a coal hole, when the blast exploded, maiming both bodies. Bonne was buried and Schimmel's body was shipped to Humboldt. Both were unmarried and were engaged here.

Marine Disasters

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 25.—Each tugboat arriving from Cape Flattery brings fresh news of marine disasters along the coast and when the full returns are in, the damage by the recent succession of gales will be the largest in the history of shipping along the Pacific coast.

A Washington Tragedy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Frank H. Morris of Ohio, auditor of this war department, was shot and instantly killed about 2:10 o'clock this afternoon by Samuel MacDonald of Ohio, recently a disbursing clerk of the treasury, in the former's office at the Winder building on Seventeenth street. Auditor Morris was closeted alone with MacDonald when the shooting occurred. In trying to make his escape MacDonald also assaulted the watchman, Thomas Conick, with the butt of his revolver. He was arrested while leaving the building.

Roosevelt Did It.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Gov. Roosevelt announced tonight that he had removed from office Asa Bird Gardner, district attorney of New York county, on charges preferred by Deputy Attorney General H. H. Hammond. At the same time the governor made it known that he had appointed Eugene A. Philbin of the New York city, commissioner on the state board of charities, and a democrat, to fill the vacancy.

More Troops Needed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—At the last meeting of the state committee on military affairs, the proceedings of which have just been made public, Secretary Root made a strong presentation of the necessity for immediate legislation for the relief of the army. He stated that if Congress did not induce the Army bill, in substantial accordance with the recommendations of the war department the United States would be obliged to abandon a large part of the Philippine islands where government is established.

Boers Stopped.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The war office has received the following from Lord Kitchener dated Pretoria Dec. 22: As far as it is possible for me to form an opinion from reports of officers on the spot I think the Boer movement into Cape Colony has been checked. Of the two forces that entered the colony, the eastern is still north of the Zoupanberg Range where the one that entered there appears to have been turned in the direction of Bristown and Prieska.

Big Strike.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 23.—Every one of the 300 car and barn employees of the Scranton Railway Company obeyed the strike order, which went into effect at 5 this morning and as a result only two cars were run in all of the Lackawanna valley today. These two were manned by Superintendent Pater and a dispatcher foreman and clerks.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 13th day of December, 1900, by order of the county court of Linn county, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Margaret Bodine, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby notified to present their claims duly verified to the undersigned at his residence in Linn county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated Dec. 15 h, 1900.

L. H. BODINE,

HARVEY & SOX, Attorneys for administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, administrator of the estate of J. C. Powell, deceased, has this day filed his final account in the matter of said estate with the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, and the county court of said Linn county, Oregon, has appointed Monday, January 7th, 1901, at One o'clock p. m., of said day, as the time for hearing objections to such final account if their be any, and for the settlement of said estate.

Nov. 23, 1900.

T. J. STITES, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the state of Oregon for Linn county, administrator of the estate of Eliza E. Washburn, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me properly verified as by law required, at my home near Seio, Oregon, or at the office of T. J. Wilton in Seio, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

J. S. WARWICK,

Administrator of the estate of Eliza E. Washburn deceased, T. J. WILSON, Attorney for Administrator.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY THAT THE undersigned has this day been appointed administratrix of the estate of Stephen Stutz deceased by the County Judge of Linn county, Oregon, and all persons having claim against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly verified to the undersigned at the office of L. H. Montanye, in Albany, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

L. H. MONTANYE, Administratrix.

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Public sale.

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SHERIFFS' SALE

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Linn county to me directed, delivered and dated the 11th day of November, 1900, in a certain suit wherein Charles L. Adams was plaintiff and Catherine McNary, Sarah A. Smith, Ira S. South her husband, Anna L. McNary, Lillian McNary, Angelo P. McNary and Nellie McNary his wife, Hugh P. McNary and Rita L. McNary his wife, Lawrence A. McNary, Wilson D. McNary, H. P. McNary, as receiver of Williams & England Banking Company, a corporation, the Whitman Barnes Manufacturing Company, a corporation, was defendant in which said suits the said plaintiff recovered a judgment against the defendants Catherine McNary, Sarah A. Smith, Ira S. South, Anna L. McNary, Lillian McNary, Angelo P. McNary, Nellie McNary, Hugh P. McNary, Rita L. McNary, Lawrence A. McNary and Wilson D. McNary, on the 13th day of November 1900, for the sum of four thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of