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THE COLUMBIA TREATY

"I took the Panama canal and left Congress to debate the issue."—Roosevelt.

The above sentence made Roosevelt both an ex-president and a great prophet, for congress has been debating the issue ever since.

To right the wrong that Roosevelt did to a helpless sister republic, the Columbia treaty was drafted by the American department of state and signed by the diplomatic representatives of both nations.

It proposed to re-imburse Columbia in the sum of \$25,000,000 for the territory which we took from her unlawfully. It proposed thus to heal the diplomatic sore which Roosevelt created with little Columbia, and also to convince the South American republics that right—not might—is the corner stone of American diplomacy. It is therefore urged that the Columbia treaty should be passed both because of its justice and because its passage would be expedient.

American business men are spending millions of dollars annually in an effort to promote closer trade relations with South America. Most of this money is being used to convince the people of those nations that the United States has no aims or ambitions which might conflict with their sovereign rights. They are trying to lay a foundation for closer business intercourse by first removing from the minds of the people, suspicions of American diplomacy which have been carefully fostered and cultivated by our trade rivals in that section of the world.

The republican members of the United States Senate who prevented the ratification of this treaty during the last session of Congress knew that such suspicion could not be removed until such time as the United States had made due reparation to Columbia. They stood out against the President, against American business interests, and against ordinary justice to a little nation which is merely asking the American government to be just and fair.

DISFITS

By F. P. Nutting

In addition to many other awful events of the year there is said to be a comet rushing towards the earth at the rate of 131 miles a second, and that in July it will be within 160,000,000 miles of the earth, the most gorgeous comet yet seen, flopping its tail promiscuously thru millions of miles of ether.

It is said to have been 60,000 years since it visited us, so long ago we have forgotten how the thing looked.

Perhaps waiting for the greatest war in the history of the world, ominously adding to the fearfulness of the times.

One can do almost anything with figures. It has been said that take one hundred men of the age of 25 years, and just forty years afterwards 26 will be dead, 54 will be broke, 4 will be eking out an existence, fifteen earning a living and one a success financially.

Perhaps in the east; but in Oregon more than one in a hundred would be a success financially.

Of all the records of the year all are small affairs compared with the rev. in Russia.

Sunshine

(by C. H. Walker)

We sing of the "Call of the Wild," We bring to youth or to child; When nature unfolds her charms

In mountain or life on the farms, but better the call of the sun From morn until the day is done, Its healthful rays prolong our lives And give more strength to him who strives. Wild birds warble songs in the trees, Our cheeks are fanned by the cooling breeze; All nature acclaim a father, God;



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D4tf FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A 10 million timber claim in Douglas county for city property or good farm land. Home 1143 116tf FOR RENT OR SALE—Cheap, a small place close to the North Albany school house, a six room house and a good barn. Inquire of J. S. Morgan, 333 Jefferson St., Albany. m 19*FOR SALE—One 1915-5 passenger Dodge Touring car, just overhauled, first class shape, look this up. 2 new tires. Ralston Motor Co. f 26tf FOR SALE—Clover hay, clean, \$11 per ton on place, 3-4 mile east of Albany, Santiam and Green house road. Bell phone 1F31, S. G. Talia, Albany. FOR SALE—A good lot in west Albany at a sacrifice, 518 West 9th St., Home phone 1276. m14tf FOR SALE—Two choice lots on Calapooia Street between Seventh and Eighth. Price reasonable. Address, 734 Washington, St., Walla Walla, Wash. m 2tf FOR SALE—On easy terms, 20 small tracts of bottom land. H. Bryant. m 3-may 3* FOR SALE—Seed potatoes, Early Sunrise variety, best in the valley, V. H. Curry, 1140 W. 12 St. Albany. m 6 tf FOR SALE—Buggy, two ton of vetch hay, gasoline wood saw, bay mare, nine year old. Bell phone 7F31A. D. Shew. m 14-21* FOR SALE—Rent or exchange—102 acre dairy Ranch on main county road 1-2 mile from R.R. station and 1-1-2 miles from good town in Benton County. About 40 a. in cul., bal. hill pasture with some timber, barn for 20 cows, horse barn and other small buildings, orchard, running stream through place and several good springs in pasture, address R. Walworth, Albany or Phone 411J m16-19*BARGAIN—Small acreage close to town, good five room house at \$1000 Easy terms. Hofflich & Hornback, 334 Lyon Street. m 16-19*	FOR SALE—200 acres, newly improved, located 2 miles northwest of Plainview, all in cultivation, sold subject to one year lease, 1-3 going to be purchased. Address J. S. Nicewood, Halsey, Ore. m3 aJaw* FOR RENT FOR RENT—Four furnished house-keeping rooms on ground floor. 630 West Seventh St. FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, 423 W. 1st St. Reasonable price. Bell phone 312-R. m3Jtf WANTED—Woman wants washing to do at home. Will go away to work on Saturday. For information call Home phone 1266. m3Jtf FOR RENT—At 1015 west 8th a five room house furnished or unfurnished, electric light, water, garden. Call Bell phone 262Y or Inquire 1015 W 9th. m 13-20 FOR RENT—New 7 room bungalow with 8 lots, Hazelwood, also 7 room house 2 lots College Hill, see Fish & Hodges. m 15-21 WHEN answering Classified ads, please mention the Democrat.	WANTED. WANTED—A middle aged lady for light housekeeping. Good home and good wages for the right party. Call Bell phone 539-R. m17-20 MAN WANTS WORK—Good man who is willing to work hard at 20c an hour wants work. Call Home phone 2245. m17-20* WANTED—Second hand shoes, mens preferred, high cut. Can use tops if bottoms are worn out. Burns the Shoe Doctor, across the street from Postoffice. m10-44y-wk WANTED—Ford car. Home phone 434. D&SWF8tf GIRL WANTED—For general house work. Small family. Call Home phone 3228. Address 532 E. 6th. m16tf WORK WANTED—Will go out or take work home. Lace curtains a specialty. 25c per pair. Bell 596-J, or 323 E. 2nd. 4tf WOMAN WANTS WORK—Washing, ironing, crocheting, or any kind of work. Home phone 1263 or 281 Madison St. Jan19tf WANTS WORK—Lady wants work by day or hour. Home phone 3409. MISCELLANEOUS. HEMSTITCHING—10c a yard. Sue Breckenridge, 333 Second St. Bell 96. Home 182. BOARD AND ROOM—Tremont Hall offers board and room to young women after Jan. 1. Make arrangements now. D15tf Daily Democrat by Carrier, 84 Year. WOULD YOU LIKE TO OWN YOUR OWN HOME? I will sell you a new modern home on small cash payment, balance on monthly payments. Or will sell you lot, help you design your house, draw plans and build to suit your own ideas. I can furnish you with all the very latest improvements in the modern homes. Call at 834 West Ninth St., or phone 8F31 Bell phone. GEO. C. RICHARDS, Contractor and home builder. j10tf Notice of Impounded Dog Notice is hereby given that I have taken up and impounded a red and white male shepherd dog with white ring around the neck. If said dog is not redeemed within 5 days it will be killed according to law. Dated Albany, Oregon, March 16, 1917. JOHN CATLIN, City Marshal. m 17-22

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