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BY THE EDITOR

The president's message to congress shows careful preparation and a strong determination to take aggressive action in the Philippine matter and the currency question. The gold standard will undoubtedly be enacted into law by this congress.

The fifty sixth congress of the United States convened on Monday of last week, and the indications are that a great deal of valuable work will be done. There is greater responsibility resting on this congress than any since the rebellion, all of which will be met fearlessly and efficiently. In the senate there is a republican majority of sixteen and in the house there are eighteen majority.

The suckers do not all live in Oregon. In New York City the Franklin Syndicate, a company pretending to invest money for subscribers at an enormous interest has cleaned up over $700,000. $931,000 was received for investment of which $138 000 of the money was paid back as the returns of the investment within a few weeks, as a bait for more suckers. The thief escaped.

Aguinaldo has been advised to surrendered and treat for mercy at the hands of this government. Aggie is considerably tardy in determining such a course, although it is a display of wisdom on his part. His junta in this country will not take kindly to such a course, but they are hopeless and helpless, having exhausted all their powers to influence the little rebel to longer hang on. It's a pretty time now to talk surrender and appeal for mercy.

International arbitration is not so new an idea as some suppose. On six different occasions between 1837 and 1858 congress has entertained petititions and memorials on the subject from peace societies and bodies of citizens in New England, New York and Virginia. Even the czar's proposal for a congress of nations in the interest of peace was anticipated by resolutions adopted by the legislature of Massachusetts, in 1844, and similar action was taken by the legislature of Vermont in 1853. Dr. Franklin's ardent wish that the nations of the earth might find "one more reasonable method of settling disputes than by cutting each other's throats" must have been cherished by many friends of humanity long before his day.

Two Pointed Questions Answered

What is the use of making a better article than your competitor if you can not get a better price for it?

Ans.—As there is no difference in the price the public will buy only the better, so that while our profits may be smaller on a single sale they will be much greater in the aggregate.

How can you get the public to know your make is the best?

If both articles are brought prominently before the public both are certain to be tried and the public will very quickly pass judgment on them and use only the better one.

This explains the large sale on Chamberlains Cough Remedy. The people have been using it for years and have found that it can always be depended upon. They may occasionally take up with some fashionable novelty put forth with exaggerated claims, but are certain to return to the one remedy that they know to be reliable, and for coughs, colds and croup there is nothing equal to Chamberlains Cough Remedy. For Sale by Peery & Peery.

The Stayton-Lyons telephone project has been given up. The line was to have been built from Stayton to Kingston and then follow the railroad to Lyons, the wire to be strung on the telegraph poles. Just why the scheme was abandoned is not given out, but its all off. A line from this city up as far as Mill City would be a paying investment, and we should not be surprised to see the extension made up that way by the Sunset Company another year.

For the last 11 months the number of patients discharged from the state insane asylum was 187, or 17 per month. The number in the institution November 30 a year ago, was 1160, or two less than on the same date this year.

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Christmas Goods:::

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Dixie Queen Smoking tobacco ..... 4c bkg
Dixie Queen Smoking tobacco ..... 35c lb
Corn Cake Smoking tobacco with pipe..... 25c lb
Battle Ax Chewing tobacco ..... 35c lb
Star Chewing tobacco ..... 45c lb
Climax Chewing tobacco ..... 45c lb
Spear Head Chewing tobacco ..... 45c lb
Jolly Dutchman tobacco jar ..... 30 cents each
The Priest tobacco jar ..... 30 cents each
The Smoking Pig tobacco jar ..... 50 cents each
The Smoking Frog tobacco jar ..... 50 cents each
The Sucker tobacco jar ..... 50 cents each
Smoker's Outfit 4 pieces ..... $1.15 per outfit
Celluloid Smokers Outfit 6 pieces ..... $1.50 per outfit

Christmas Goods...

Tree Ornaments

Christmas tree ornaments.
Wax Candles.
Candle Holders.
Glass Balls of many colors.
Gold and Silver tinsel.
Fancy Figures, Angles ect,.
Nicely trimed of many bright colors
Mixed Candy good quality 6 cts per pound
Fresh roasted Peanuts, 10 cts per pound
Filberts, 17 cts per pound.
Almonds, paper shell, 18 cts per pound
English Walnuts, 15 cts per pound.
Oranges pud Bananas,
Fancy candies, etc.

Christmas Goods

Celluloid collar and cuff boxes, 70 cts and up
Celluloid collar and cuff boxes, $1.00 and up
Leatherette collar and cuff boxes 60 cts and up
Celluloid and celluloid toilet cases, shaving sets, work boxes, etc.
Plush photo albums,
Celluloid photo albums,
Leathette photo albums,
Celluloid music photo albums,
Nice floral autograph albums,
Celluloid photo boxes,
Celluleid photo frames, 5c and up
Silver photo frames, $1 each.
Gold mirrors, French bevel plate, very nice, $3 each
Gold card receivers, $3 each.

Christmas Goods

for the BOYS and GIRLS...

Books—Old Mother Goose series, Old Mother Goose on wheels, Doings of Kris Kringle,
Little folks' speaker 20 cts each
Pilgrims Progress 40 cts each
Andersen's Fairy Tales 40c each
Wood's illustrated natural history 40 cts each
Scrap albums, dolls, doll heads and doll hats
Boy's tool chests with tools, 27, 48 and 60c each
Claronets, flrgalets, trumpets, horns, etc
Genuine rawhide drums, with sticks, 50, 75c and $1 each
Iron and tin engines and trains,
Games—checkers, dominoes, lotto, authors, derby steeple chase, the motor carriage game, only 45c; latest out...

Christmas Goods...

For the LADIES

Fancy tidy towels,
Fancy tidies of Swiss manufactor,
Bed spreads, curtains, Chenille Spreads and covers,
Fancy embroidered Demin,
Table spreads,
Fancy embroidered muslin,
Bed room sets,
Gloves, umbrellas,
Nice wool and silk mittens, just the thing to keep the hands warm,
Embroidered, hemmed and lace handkerchiefs,
A cape or a jacket, say, they would be all right.

Christmas Goods...

Bisque Figures for Ornaments

The blacksmith,
The sailor boy,
The Peasant girl—setting on the edge of her basket,
Lady and gentleman—in colonial dress
Lady and gentlemen,—the lady playing peek-a-boo
Mugs, cups and saucers,
4 piece sugar and cream set,
Fancy and plain sauce dishes,
Individual sugar and creamers,—same as the 400 use only $1 to $1.50 per set,
26 pieces floral designs dinner sets $7.25
56 pieces floral design dinner sets $8.35,
62 pieces floral design dinner sets $13.85

G. D. TROTTER ....

STAYTON, OREGON

County Court Proceedings

All smallpox bills were disllowed.

Bill of Glass & Prudhomme, $95, continued.

Disallowed, bills of Smiley for $18, Mr. and Mrs Drummond $6.02, A S McDonald freight on supplies, $2.95.

Margaret and Walter Cline permitted to redeem property sold on tax.

In the matter of the Thykger road ordered opened on payment of $80 to Mrs Brenner.

BILLS ALLOWED.

Judge Barton	$ 100 00
County Clerk Crabtree	166 65
Sheriff Munkers	166 65
Recorder Neil	150 00
B A Stafford	175 00
Supt McDonald	50 00
Treasurer Jack	83 00
R B Montague	50 00
Asa Lewelling	50 00
ACCOUNT COURT HOUSE.	
C M Westbrook	25
Albany Electric Light Co	11 00
Stewart & Sox	4 30
Welch Bros, in favor of J W Cusick & Co	500 00
David Gotlieb	4 00
H C Harkness	39 00
Stephen Stoltz	1 40
D C Smith	34 50
Hopkins Bros	7 25
ACCOUNT POOR	
I Coleman and wife	4 00
Koker minors	4 00
J A Larew	4 00
F Stewart and wife	5 00
F E Allen	15 85
J H Conrad	1 00
S Keith, aid	4 00
Robert Riggs	40 00
M Sternberg	12 00
Indigent soldiers	15 00
M Bayless	8 00
Albany Dressed Beef Co	2 00
H C Chamberlain	40 00
G D Barton	10 00
ACCOUNT POOR FARM	
T J Stites	3 50
A G and Bell Shepherd, supt	23 80
G W Burkhart	2 25
Ohling & Hulburt	3 25
Hopkins Bros	9 35
Mr and Mrs Drummond	98 75
ROADS AND BRIDGES.	
Christenson & Bannard	1 00
Harrisburg Lumber Co	75 44
P W Spinks	17 41
Bach & Buhl	10 64
E T Bogart	9 00
H Kern	1 53
J J Barnes	2 40
Crome & Davis	9 54
H D Klum	12 00
M J Cameron	36 32
R Cary et al	6 00
B Erickson	1 80
C C Kindig	16 75
Sawyer Bros	22 00
F J Miller	4 00
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Frank Crabtree stationery	69
C H Crocker & Co, stationery	33 00
S S Train, stationery	11 60
P J Smiley	12 70
People's Press, printing	5 75
Joe Tait, fulel	3 25
Wm Neely	7 65
F M Redfield, w'n's Morris case	9 20
C B Montague, " " "	10 80
A Wheeler, " " "	17 20
Preston Ireland, bounty	2 50
J W Swank, bounty	2 00
W H Davis, acct insane	5 00
A S McDonald, stationery, etc	22 90
F M Jack, stationery	5 00
E C Neal, stationery	50
Marion Barton, assessment roll	3 00
Marion Porter, rebate tax	5 00
Dr Trimble, acct insane	5 00
Lebanon E A, printing	1 50
Wm St John, acct sheriff	2 00
May Munkers, " "	38 00
H Shelton, " "	3 00
E C Hester, " "	2 00
City of Brownsville acc't ditch changing channel Calapooia	100 00
G D Montague, acct assess roll	10 00
John Catlin, janitor	20 00
A H Freerksen, reporting Linn county vs Morris	20 00
C H Burgraff, acc't C H	300 00
Watson & Swann, att'ys fees	20 00
M A Fitzgerald, acc't road and bridges	51 00
D L Curl, co. commissioner	7 40
D C Swann, " "	12 00
Ladies Aid Society, acct poor	10 00
Hopkins Bros, order Welch Bros	400 00
Welch Bros	75 00
Geo D Barton, acc't poor	7 00

Continued, bill of A S McDonald for $22.10; bill of L L Buckner for $56.00.

There is no kick coming at the work done by the Salem Steam Laundry. You can send your laundry every Monday by taking it to the express office.

A FEW FARM NOTES

Butter is selling at 28 cents in Chicago which is the highest mark reached since 1892.

Z. T. Keyes, of Fossil, Oregon has sold 2000 head of lambs to Eugene Looney, of the same place, for $3.95 per head.

Montana sheepmen have been heavy importers of pure bred bucks this fall, mostly Rambouillett, Merinos and Cotswold breeds.

Oregon can have the greatest state fair next year in the history of the state. The live stock exhibit should be made the leading feature.

The American Live Stock Association has gone out of existence, being merged into the National Live Stock Association at their last meeting in Chicago.

H. B. Miller president State Board of Horticulture, has accepted an invitation from the Department of Agriculture, Victoria, B. C., to deliver a series of lectures on horticulture this week.

L. C. Love, of Garfield, Wash, has bought two pure bred Shropshire ewes from A. O. Fox, Oregon, Wis. Mr Fox is prepared to sell and ship to small breeders, as well as large ones, and anyone wanting good sheep can do no better than by buying from this noted flock.

A bill imposing a duty of $500 on each Angora leaving Cape Colony, has passed to a second reading in the Colonial parliament and no doubt will become a law. This will put an end to further importation from there. The good start we have in Oregon should make this state the great goat breeding state of the Union.

The Farmers Short Course.

An especial effort is being put forth by the State Agricultural College to make the coming winter Short Course for farmers, which will be held from January 9th to February 2d, inclusive, stronger in every particular and more intensely educational along the line of practical husbandry than those which have proceeded it. The object of the course is for the dissemination of practical information in the various branches of farming, and for the teaching of modern methods, the outgrowth of scientific research thereby stimulating production, lessening the ardous duties of the farmer and yet increasing the revenues of the farm. This course will consist of one hundred lectures and exercises including the technical and practical features of General Agriculture, Horticulture, Dairying Yeterinary Science, Stock Feeding and Breeding, Plant Disease, Poultry raising, etc.

In addition to this several lectures will be delivered by prominent men on economic questions that are of especial interest to farmers. The last three days of the course will be devoted exclusively to the discussion of problems in fruitgrowing, at which time prominent fruitgrowers and members of the different fruitgrowers organizations throughout the state are expected to be in attendance, and we confidently anticipate that this will be one of the most notable gatherings of representative horticulturist ever witnessed in the state.

The course is free to everyone and special rates will be given by transportation companies.—Oregon Agricultural College and Experiment Bulletin.

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Magers, the Polk county murderer, who has had his case before the supreme court twice, was denied another hearing, and as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made he will be hanged. He had had every chance for his life—considerable more than he gave his victim, and he should have been strung up long ago.

THE NEWS and the Oregonian one year for $2.00.

First to arrive with the telegraphic news—The Weekly Oregonian.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Oregon City, Ore.
November 4, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Clerk of Linn County at Albany Ore., on December 16, 1899, viz

W. L. BARCLAY

by B. A. Barclay, his agent, being his deserted wife H. E. 5736 for the N. E. 1-4 of sec. 36, T. 10 S., R. 1 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: A. R. McDonald, J. N. Long, G. M. Bilyeu and G. E. Rodgers all of Scio Linn county Oregon.

n-10-d-15 CHAS. B. MOORESE, Register

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned that I have filed my final account in the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Otto Serfling, deceased, and that said Court has fixed the second day of January, 1900, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day as the time for hearing all objections to said final account; therefore all persons having any objection to said final account are hereby notified to file such objection in said court on or before said last mentioned date.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1899.

JACKSON A. BILYEU,
Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned that I have filed my final account in the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Mrs. L. A. Serfling, deceased, and that said Court has fixed the second day of January, 1900, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day as the time for hearing all objections to said final account, therefore all persons having any objection to said final account are hereby notified to file such objection in said court on or before said last mentioned date.

Dated this 30 day of November 1899.

JACKSON A. BILYEU,
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