

Lebanon Express.

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It cost England \$80,000,000 to punish the king of Abyssinia for imprisoning eight Englishmen who visited Abyssinia regardless of the express orders of the British government.

In one day Mr. Pingree issued two proclamations, one as governor of Michigan and one as Mayor of Detroit. He holds both offices. There are no potato bugs on Mr. Pingree.—Ex.

The infant sugar trust, which had a profit of thirty million of dollars last year under the present law, is one of the great industries which is to be further protected under the proposed tariff so that it may be able to double that amount each year hereafter.

Gov. Budd, of California, has signed the bill appropriating \$35,000 to the state printing office. It will be remembered that he vetoed a former bill appropriating twice that amount for the same purpose. Many other states should have their appropriations for state printing reduced in like proportion.

President McKinley has turned the federal offices over to the delegations in congress and the senators from the various states, and the office seeker who has not their favor need not apply. If there are any differences among the delegation, he gives them notice that they must settle them among themselves before they come to him.

This from the Portland Telegram is not bad: "One of Oregon's railroad commissioners rises to remark that he proposes to pursue his official task whether he is paid for it or not. As the chief feature of his official task has heretofore consisted of drawing his salary, it is difficult to see how he can pursue it when he has no salary to draw."

When President McKinley was a soldier he promised a colored man named James T. Cheney, in a joking way, to give him an office should he ever become president. The president has notified Cheney that the position of doorkeeper of the White House, worth \$1,000 salary and \$2,000 in tips will be given him. And Cheney's smile is so broadly generous it is plainly visible on the back of his neck.

Never in the history of the country have so many trusts been formed and combinations of capital been made as since the election of McKinley. The prospective tariff law will be framed at their direction, and is expected to give them the desired opportunity to plunder the people. They run little risk of success in the lower house of congress, and expect to influence enough senators to win.—Jacksonville Times.

The Portland Welcome says: "The sentiment among business men is almost unanimously in favor of the retention in office of Collector of Customs T. J. Black. He has given general satisfaction in the administration of the affairs of his office, and it would be considered very proper should President McKinley allow him to remain where he is. Mr. Black is a sound money Democrat and has always upheld the gold standard. Consequently he is in full sympathy with the present administration."

Evidently Mayor Penoyer sees by the points of the straws which way the wind is blowing politically in Oregon, and is shaping himself to get back in touch with the democratic party. A few days ago he published a letter in the Oregonian raking the populist members of the legislature for holding out against organization, and now he has appointed the old democratic war horse John Myers, chief of police. Well there are many democrats in the state who will welcome the ex-governor back into the fold.—Mountainview.

President McKinley is the youngest member of his official family, being 53 years old. John Sherman, secretary of state, is 74; Lyman J. Gage, secretary of the treasury, is 64; Russell A. Alger, secretary of war, is 61; John D. Long, secretary of the navy, is 59; Joseph McKenna, attorney general, is 54; James A. Gary, postmaster general, is 63; Cornelius N. Bliss, secretary of the interior, is 60; James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, is 62.

The fact that "Fortune is a fickle goddess," was never more aptly illustrated than in the career of ex-Senator H. A. Tabor, of Colorado, says the Chicago Times-Herald. A farmer, a stonemason, a small grocery-keeper, a great mine-owner, a multi-millionaire and proprietor of great blocks of buildings in Denver, the possessor and builder of one of the finest opera houses in the world, lieutenant-governor of Colorado, United States senator, and now a poor man once more, delving in the dirt for another fortune among the golden hills of Cripple Creek—this, in a paragraph, is the history of a man who has received more flattery and more criticism, more favors and flouts of fortune than fall to the lot of most men. The other day a brief telegram from Denver was published to the effect that the last piece of property owned by ex-Senator Tabor had been sold under the hammer for \$800,000, thus closing one of the pages in a strange eventful history. Unfortunate speculations in real estate and mines caused his financial downfall. Tabor was famous at one time as the owner of nightshirts that cost \$1000 apiece.

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United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon,
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Notice is hereby given that the approved plats of survey of Township 13 South, Range 5 East, and 13 South, Range 6 East, the fractional parts of survey of Townships 12 South, Range 4 East, Range 5 East, Range 6 East, and 7 East; and also fractional survey of Township 13 South, Range 7 East, have been received from the Surveyor General of Oregon, and on
MARCH 25, 1897,
at 10 o'clock a. m. of said date, said plats will be filed in this office, and the land therein embraced will be subject to entry on and after said date.
ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.
WM. GALLOWAY, Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office at Oregon City, Or.,
March 17, 1897.
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 the county clerk of Linn county, at Albany, Oreg., on May 8, 1897, viz:
WILLIAM T. ALLPHIN;
H. E. 8860 for the Lot 1, N. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 24, T. 12 S., R. 1 West.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ross W. Upham, Grant Bellinger, L. M. Taylor, John Simons, all of Waterloo, Ogn.
ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

A MONKEY ROARING DRUNK.

He Had the Regulation Fun, Including Arrest and a Swelled Head.

Two policemen conducting a drunken monkey to jail was one of the unusual sights seen Sunday. The monkey is a member of Dod Backer's circus, but has been occupying winter quarters as a side attraction at Elston's saloon on East Water street, and was left chained during the temporary absence of the proprietor. He managed, however, to free himself and walked over behind the bar. He glanced in the big looking glass back of the row of colored bottles, and seeing another fellow of his own size picked up a decanter and let it go with his right, and Mr. Elston's \$200 glass was a wreck. His opponent having been got rid of, the monkey proceeded to test the various liquid refreshments on hand. He turned on the beer and took a long, deep draft. Then he sampled the whisky, gin, wine and various kinds of bitters. It wasn't long until he was roaring drunk. Then he tackled the cigar case and demolished that, throwing the cigars about the room in handfuls.

The monkey's screams and the noise of shattered glass attracted a crowd about the front of the saloon, but the door was locked, and there was no way to get in. Finally two policemen came and boosted a bold young fellow through the transom. After a lively tussle he managed to get a rope around the drunken monkey, and he was hoisted through the window and escorted by the two policemen, one on each side, to jail, and lodged in a cell. The next morning the prisoner was very sick and held his head between his paws. Although it was his second offense, the recorder suspended sentence, and he was led back to the saloon and chained up. The next time he gets drunk the owner will send him to the Keeley cure at Binghamton.—Elmira Despatch.

THE REFORMER'S ROCKY ROAD.

A Temperance Agitator in Austria Has to Fight the Liquor Men and Governor.

American temperance agitators would not enjoy themselves in Austria. A native of a small village after a long cataplectic trance a year ago declared that he had been to heaven and had been commissioned by the Almighty to return and teach the peasants the wickedness of drinking spirits. Soon the entire village took an oath of total abstinence. The district governor committed the man to the madhouse, where the doctors kept him for six months and then declared him sane. He resumed his agitation, and in a short time seven villages had taken vows of abstinence.

The result was that a number of liquor dealers to whom the government had granted licenses refused to keep their contracts. The district judge gave orders that the dangerous agitator be arrested if caught preaching abstinence. The man has not left his house for weeks. Deputations come to him from far and wide to hear his words and to repeat them when they return home. The authorities are consulting the dealers by declaring that the peasants must soon drink again.—Vienna Letter.

Heirs Apparent and Matrimony.

There are few ladies whom an heir apparent can marry. At present the heirs to the thrones of Austria, Russia and Italy, not to speak of the heir to the throne of Belgium, the king of Serbia, and the crown prince of Montenegro, are all of a marriageable age, but have not yet made their choice. Without a change of creed on the part of a princess the choice of the Russian crown prince, outside the Romanoff family, is limited to Princess Marie of Greece and one of the daughters of the Prince of Montenegro. Similarly the young Serbian King Alexander has only the Russian and Montenegrin princesses to choose from. Only 28 Roman Catholic princesses, born not later than 1877, are now open to engagements. Five of these belong to the royal and ducal houses of Bavaria, three to Belgium, three to the Spanish Bourbons, two to the Bourbons of the two Sicilies, four to the house of Parma, one to the house of Orleans and one to the line of Chabres, making altogether 11 belonging to the Bourbons.—San Francisco Argonaut.

A Reminiscence of Napoleon.

A series of unpublished letters of the first Napoleon appeared in Paris week before last. In one characteristic epistle the emperor tells the minister of police to arrest Mr. Kuhn, the American consul at Genoa, as a wearer of the cross of Malta given by an agent of the British government. The emperor adds: "This individual, having received a foreign decoration, is no longer an American. I am sorry, moreover, that you communicated with the United States embassy. My police must not recognize embassies. I am master chez moi, and when I suspect a man I cause him to be arrested. I would even cause the ambassador of Austria to be arrested if he plotted against the state."

The Overworked Lords.

At yesterday's meeting of the house of lords there were seven peers present, of whom one, Lord Kensington, occupied the woolsack. In the upper house three peers make a quorum. The only business was the first reading of the local government bill, a formality that occupied barely half a minute. Lord Ripon then briefly announced that the house would meet again on Friday, and that he would then be prepared to mention to the second reading.—St. James Gazette.

Make the Punishment Fit the Crime.

A Swabian living at Rottweil, in Germany, has just committed an offense against the law. The crime with which the man has been charged is conveyed in the title appearing in the German law-books as "Häusliche werbebetriebsausdehnungsbegünstigung" (Article 1 of the Law of May 23, 1890).—London News.

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(Edited by the Lebanon W. C. T. U.)

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The W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting with Mrs. Pugh, as announced. A very interesting meeting was held and new and aggressive plans of work were discussed. Before long we hope to show signs of advancement along several lines.

THE SAME OLD STORY.

"Extra! All about McCarthia hanged at 12 o'clock!" That was what the newboys were crying yesterday afternoon. It told of the last act in a tragedy which has become common in Chicago and all other cities. McCarthia got drunk one day. He became a mad beast. He hunt-d-up his young wife and murdered her. Arrest followed. When the wretch became sober the terrible experience seemed like a nightmare to him. He couldn't believe he had committed the foul crime. The day of the trial arrived. McCarthia plead guilty. He was sentenced to death. On yesterday noon he was legally strangled. This is the story in a paragraph. This Christian community authorized the sale of the damnable poison which converted McCarthia into a madman. He killed his wife. Then we killed him. That is all there is to it.—Chicago paper.

WANTS MINISTERS SILENCED.

We have every respect for a minister of the gospel who attends to his own business. Many of these we believe are sincere in their belief. It is their duty to preach, and so long as they preach salvation we don't care; but whenever they go howling about the liquor traffic and about saloons being the curse of the country, it's time for a halt to be called on them.—Liberty Bell (organ of the liquor trade).

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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been duly appointed, by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, and is now, the duly appointed, qualified and acting administrator of the estate of Martha E. Powers, deceased. All parties having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned, at Seasideville, Linn county, Oregon, or to Sam'l M. Garland, at Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon, with proper vouchers, within six months from the 18th day of March, 1897, the same being the date of the first publication of this notice.
Dated at Lebanon, Or., this 18th day of March, 1897.

A. P. FLOYD,
Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been duly appointed, by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, and is now, the duly appointed, qualified and acting administrator of the estate of J. J. Rozelle, deceased. All parties having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned, at Seasideville, Linn county, Oregon, or to Sam'l M. Garland, at Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon, with proper vouchers, within six months from the 18th day of March, 1897, the same being the date of the first publication of this notice.
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