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NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Or., April, 22, '89.
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 Morrow county, at Heppner, Or., on June 13, 1889, viz:

James D. Davis.

Hd. No. 2983, for the NE¼ Sec 3, Tp. 4 S of R 26 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
John T. Kirk, J. W. Baird, George Smith and C. S. Kirk, all of Heppner, Or.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
318-23 F. A. McDonald, Register

NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Or., April 18, '89.
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 clerk of Morrow county, Or., at Heppner, Or., on June 7, 1889, viz:

William Baird,

D S No. 4829, for the SE¼ NW¼ and E½ SW¼ and SW¼ SE¼ Sec 2, Tp 4 S of Range 26 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
John Hendrix, James Talbert, A. S. Gammage and Walter McAtee, all of Heppner, Oregon.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
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NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at The Dalles Or., April 13, '89.
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 Morrow county, Oregon, at Heppner, Oregon, on June 1, 1889, viz:

Benjamin F. Hevland,

Ds. No. 6458, for the SW¼ Sec 28, Tp 3 S, R 26 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz:
J. C. Kirk, James Talbot, George Smith and Chas. S. Kirk, all of Heppner, Or.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
317-22 F. A. McDonald, Register.

NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at La Grande, Or., April 26, '89.
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 Morrow county, at Heppner, Or., on June 8, 1889, viz:

George W. McHargue

D.S. No. 7749 for the S½ SE¼ NW¼ SE¼ and SW¼ NE¼ section 14, Tp 3 S, R 27 E W M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:
John Byland, Jasper Griffith, J. S. Elliott, Sam M. Teed, of Heppner Orn.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above-mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
319-24 Henry Rinehart, Register

NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Or., April 8, 1889.
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 judge of Morrow county, Or., at Heppner, Or., on May 25, 1889, viz:

Levi J. Shaner,

Hd. No. 2927, for lots 2 and 3 and SE¼ NW¼ and SW¼ NE¼ Sec 3 Tp 4 S, R 25 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz:
J. L. Hepner and D. W. Bowman, Eight Mile, Oregon; W. C. Reininger and Chas. E. Kirk, Heppner, Or.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
317-22 F. A. McDonald, Register.

NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Or., May 18, 1889.
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 Morrow county, at Heppner, Or., on July 11, 1889, viz:

James I. Webster

Ds. 5942 for the SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 35, Tp. 3 S., R. 26 E., and S½ NE¼ and Lot 1, Sec. 2, Tp. 4 S., R. 26 E. W M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:
James Tolbert, A. S. Gamage, John Hendrix, W. H Rash, all of Heppner, Or.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
322-27 F. A. McDonald, Register.

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AN OPEN QUESTION.

Is Harrison a Descendant of Pocahontas?

It is popularly believed that President Harrison is descended from Pocahontas and from the Parliamentary soldier and regicide, General Thomas Harrison, who was executed in 1660.

Pocahontas, daughter of Powhatan, manifested a friendliness for the early white settlers of Virginia when she was but a girl. The story of how she saved the life of Captain John Smith, who had been captured and condemned to death by her father—how she, on several occasions, made known to the settlers their danger when about to be attacked—is well known to all acquainted with the early history of America. Her subsequent marriage with John Rolfe, an Englishman—her removal to England where a son was born, from whom numerous wealthy families of Virginia claim descent—is the basis of the opinion that President Harrison is one of her descendants.

Whether this be true or not it is, however, well-know that President Harrison is a descendant of a noted family distinguished alike in peace and war. The name of Harrison is already indelibly written upon the pages of American history, for General Wm. Henry Harrison—the ninth President of the United States—was the grandfather of Gen. Ben. Harrison.

The election of another member of the Harrison family is but another proof of the prevailing disposition of the public to return to healthy administration of public affairs so characteristic of the earlier years of government. A similar desire has been manifested for a revival of early manners and customs in many various ways, of which mention in particular can be made of the prevailing demand for those old time preparations which were so successfully employed in the prevention and cure of the ills and ailments which frequented the early log-cabin homes.

After much inquiry and research a noted manufacturer has procured the original methods used in their preparation and again under the name of Warner's Log Cabin Remedies, the public is possessed of those well-known preparations for the cure of coughs, colds, consumption in its early stages, blood disorders, catarrh, dyspepsia, debility, and other common disorders.

Notwithstanding the large amount of time, attention and expense which the manufacturer of Warner's Safe Cure demands—its well known reputation as the only remedy for the prevention and cure of kidney diseases being world wide—the manufacturer is resolved to push the merit of Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla to the front because of its splendid blood purifying properties and great value as a household remedy and spring-time system renovator.

Pocahontos, during her life-long friendship for the white settlers of Virginia, besides her many acts of kindness, is said to have contributed much valuable information to the log cabin home concerning the successful methods employed by the Indians in the treatment of disease and it matters little whether the alleged relationship between herself and the President be true or not for the name of Pocahontas is already immortal.

STOCK BRANDS.

While you keep your subscription paid up you can keep your brand in front of these names free of charge.

Atkins, J J—Horses, J on right hip. Range in Grant and Morrow counties.

Aikins, J J—Horses, AK connected on left jaw; cattle, same on left hip.

Bleakman, Geo., Hardman—Horses, a flag on left shoulder; cattle, same on right shoulder.

Bennett, Cy—Horses, B on left shoulder.

Brown, J C—Horses, circle C with dot in each teron left hip; cattle, same.

Boyer, W G, Lena—Horses, box brand on left hip; cattle, same, with split in each ear.

Borg, F O,—Horses, F B on left shoulder; cattle, same on left hip.

Brien, T F., Lone Rock.—Horses o with bar under and over on right shoulder.

Barton, Wm—Horses, J B on right thigh; cattle, same on right hip; split in each ear.

Wm. Rudio, Monument.—Brands horses R on right shoulder. Range Grant and Morrow counties.

Ritner Gentry, Echo, Or.—Horses branded H. S. with a quarter circle over it on left stifle. Range in Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Allison, O. D.—Cattle brand, O D on left hip and horses same brand on right shoulder. Range, Eight Mile.

Cook, A. J., Lena—Horses, 90 on right shoulder; Cattle, same on right hip; ear mark square crop off left and split in right.

Corrin, R Y—Horses, 77 on left stifle.

Cunnighan & W B, Newton Ranch—Horses, with figure 2 under it on left shoulder; cattl same on left hip and thigh, left ear square cut.

Cox & English, Hardman—Cattle, C with 3 in center; horses, CE on left hip.

R. E. Cochran, Monument, Grant Co, Or.—Horses branded circle with bar beneath, on left shoulder; cattle same brand on both hips, mark under slope both ears and dewlap.

Douglass, W M—Cattle, R D on right side, swallow-fork in each ear; horses, R D on left hip.

Fleck, Jackson.—Horses, 7F connected on right shoulder; cattle same on right hip. Ear mark, hole in right and crop off left.

Lycanlen, John W.—Horses branded half-circle JL connected on left shoulder. Cattle, same on left hip. Range, near Lexington.

Florence, L A—Cattle, LF on right hip; horses, F with bar under on right shoulder.

Florence, S P—Horses, F on right shoulder cattle, F on right hip or thigh.

Armstrong, J. C., Acton—T with bar under it on left shoulder of horses; cattle same on left hip.

Gay, Henry—GAY on left shoulder.

Goble, Frank—Horses, 7 F on left stifle; cattle same on right hip.

Gannage, A. L.—Horses, 31 on right shoulder.

Hunsaker, B A—Horses, 9 on left shoulder; cattle, 9 on left hip

Humphreys, J M Hardman—Horses, H on left flank.

Hayes, J M—Horses, wineglass on left shoulder cattle, same on right hip.

Junkin, S. M.—Horses, horseshoe J on left shoulder. Cattle, the same. Range on Eight Mile.

Johnson, Felix—Horses, circle T on left stifle cattle, same on right hip, under half crop in rig and split in left ear.

Kirk, J T—Horses 69 on left shoulder; cattle 69 on left hip.

Kirk, J T—Horses, 17 on either flank; cattle on right side.

Lane, Rasmus—Horses, R L on left hip.

Lentz, J R; Lena—Horses, F with ⌒ over it on left shoulder.

Magnus, Oscar.—Cattle, M D on right hip; horses M on left shoulder.

Morgan, S N—Horses, M) on left shoulder cattle, same on left hip.

McCamber, Jas A. Atwood—Horses, M with bar over on right shoulder.

Monroe, Thos—Horses, circle T on left shoulder on left thigh; cattle, Z on right thigh.

Mitchell, Oscar, Pettyville—Horses, 77 on right hip; cattle, 77 on right side.

McClaren, D G—Horses, Figure 5 on each shoulder; cattle, 52 on hip.

Noe, Andrew, Lone Rock—Horses A N connected on left shoulder; cattle same on both hip.

Seyman, W. R.—Horses N with half circle over it on left shoulder.

Nordyke, E—Horses, circle 7 on left thigh; cattle, same on left hip.

Oler, Perry, Lone Rock—P O on left shoulder

Pearson, Olive.—Horses, circle shield on left shoulder and 24 on left hip. Cattle, circle shield on left hip. Range on Eight Mile

Pearson, Jas., Pine City.—Horses 52 on left hip low down.

Parker & Gleason, Hardman—Horses IP on left shoulder.

Piper, J. H., Acton—Horses, JE connected on left shoulder; cattle, same on left hip, under bit in each ear.

Rood, Andrew, Hardman—Horses, square cross with quarter-circle over it on left stifle.

Reininger, Chris—Horses, C R on left shoulder.

Rector, J W—Horses, JO on left shoulder. Cattle, O on right hip.

Spray, J. F.—Horses branded SF connected on right shoulder; cattle same on both hips.

Spray, J. C.—Horses branded S on right shoulder, cattle branded S on the right hip and a smooth crop off of the left ear.

Straight W. E.—Horses shaded J S on left stifle; cattle J S on left hip, swallow fork in right ear, underbit in left.

Saper, Robt—Horses, S on right shoulder; cattle same on right hip and S on right shoulder.

Swaggart, L, Alpine—Horses, S S on right shoulder.

Sapp, Thos.—Horses, S A P on left hip; cattle same on left hip.

Stone, Dr A J—Horses, DS on on left hip; cattle, same on left side, wattle on left side of neck ears cut sharp at point.

Stevenson, Mrs A J—Cattle, S on right hip swallow-fork in left ear.

Shelton & Son—Horses, S on its side over an oval left shoulder; cattle, same on left hip.

Sperry, E G—Cattle, W U on left hip, crop off right and underbit in left ear, dulap; horses, W U on left shoulder.

Swaggart, G W—Horses, 44 on left shoulder; Stewart, Geo., Hardman—Horses circle c on left shoulder.

Cattle, 44 on left hip.

Thompson, J A—Horses, T on left shoulder cattle, T on left shoulder.

Vaale, Henry.—Horses branded ace of spades on left shoulder and left hip. Cattle branded same on left side and left hip.

TELEGRAPHIC!

Fresh Facts as Told by the Wild Wires.

Solomon Hirsch, a Prominent Citizen of Portland, Receives the Appointment as Minister to Turkey.

Bismark's Policy---Washington Notes---Happenings of the Northwest, Etc., Etc.

Washington, May 16—Solomon Hirsch, of Portland, Oregon, was to-day appointed minister to Turkey.

Clark Carr, of Illinois, who was to-day appointed to be minister to Denmark, is a leading republican, about 55 years of age, living at Galesburg, where he has been postmaster. He was prominent in the last campaign, and at the commencement of the present administration was a strong candidate for the office of first assistant postmaster-general.

Henry W. Severance, of California, who was to-day made consul-general to Honolulu, has for years been identified with the Sandwich islands. His father was minister to Hawaii, and his son has been consul at San Francisco for the Hawaiian government.

John Jarrett, who goes as consul to Birmingham, is well-known from his long connection with the steel and iron industries. He is secretary of one of the largest associations of metal workers in the United States. He has been prominently before the public as an earnest worker for protection.

Thomas H. Sherman, who was selected as consul at Liverpool, came originally from Maine. He was private secretary to Mr. Blaine when the latter was speaker in 1869, and retained the same connection during Blaine's term in the senate and his former administration in the state department.

VERY HIGH WATER.

Pendleton News Notes.

Pendleton, Or. May 16.—Mrs. T. Costello, *nee* Vene Baker, a bride of but a few days, died this morning of diphtheria.

High water on Ta-Dee Willow drowned several lambs last night.

The train to Walla Walla this morning could not cross Pine creek near Weston. The bridge had been undermined by high water. The train came back and went around by Umatilla.

Sheepmen whose flocks have been removed to the mountains will suffer considerable loss.

The bridge on McKay creek, on the Pilot Rock road, was washed out this morning.

The Umatilla is higher than it has been since February of last year.

THE POLICY OF BISMARK.

Editor Ottendorfer Suggests that He May be Stealing a March on the Commission.

New York, May 15—Editor Oswald Ottendorfer, of the *Staats Zeitung*, arrived yesterday after an absence of five months in Europe.

In an interview he said: "I met our Samoan commissions in Berlin, and they seemed to be confident of carrying their points because Bismarck was so gracious. They asked for the independence of the islands, and that the people be not interfered with in their internal affairs. The news of the release of King Malleton was received at Berlin while I was there, and it created a favorable impression. I told commissioner Phelps, however, that he had better look sharp, lest the chancellor should steal a march on him. It is altogether likely that King Malleton, who was in the hands of the German marines for two years, is now the mere tool of Bismarck. Young Emperor William is suffering from the trouble in the head which has made him partially deaf, and fears are entertained that it will become serious."

AN ANXIOUS OFFICE-SEEKER.

A Romantic Incident in President Harrison's Audience Room.

Washington, May 15.—While president Harrison was receiving visitors yesterday he observed a bright-eyed young man who kept moving nervously about in the crowd and pushing himself to the front. He looked with great eagerness at the president, and was trying to catch his eye. Almost an hour elapsed before the president first discovered the young man, and the latter's nervousness and eagerness to get an audience began to wear upon the president's nerves. Finally the visitor boldly walked out from the crowd when the president was released. He presented his card and began to address himself to the chief magistrate. He said:

"Some time ago I made application for an appointment. I want it awfully bad. I don't care for it for myself, but the fact of it is, Mr President," and here the young man blushed to the tips of his ears, "I am engaged to be married. Unless I get this appointment the engagement won't stand. There you have it, and now you know why I am so anxious."

The president was taken aback, and although amused for an instant, the statement went to his heart. He at first was a little out of patience, but the evident painfulness of the situation elicited his sympathy, and the young man's card, with the name of the office he desired, was laid in a prominent position on Mr. Harrison's desk.

AFTER EIGHTEEN YEARS

A Murderer to be Apprehended After a Long Immunity from Justice.

Seattle, W. T., May 16.—Detective Russell, of Los Angles, Cal., was in the city to-day with a requisition for the person of Richard Lee, who killed William Duncan near Los Angles eighteen years ago. Lee is now in jail at Ellensburg, W. T.

Lee killed Duncan in a row over a game of cards. The two, who were farmers and neighbors near Los Angeles, were playing in a saloon one day, and when the quarrel arose Lee went to his home, a mile and a half distant, procured a shotgun and, returning to the place where he had left his neighbor, killed him. Lee that night fled on horseback, and the most vigilant search failed to find him until about two years ago, when he was discovered at Winnemucca, Nevada, where he was living with his family.

Lee fled before he was apprehended, and came to Washington. About six months since he got into a row at Ellensburg, and was arrested, tried and sentenced to jail for six months for assault. It was about this time that his whereabouts were again ascertained, but the officers sent to arrest him had to wait until his term of sentence expired. That time has now come, and detective Russell, to-night left Seattle for Ellensburg. Lee will be taken back to Los Angles, and there tried for the crime committed eighteen years ago.

Many of the witnesses of the murder are yet living, and it is said that no difficulty will be experienced in obtaining his conviction.

THE DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMANSHIP.

Considerable Opposition to Brice Among Prominent Democrats.

New York, May 16.—Many of the leader democrats do not think it wise to promote Col. Brice to the chairmanship of the national democratic committee, made vacant by the death of Barnum. The defeat of Cleveland is attributed in a large measure to the mistakes of Brice, through inexperience. It is urged that if Brice has the best interests of the party at heart he will not accept the place. He must be aware of his unfitness for the place, say his opponents, and ought to give way to some older man.

Said a democratic senator: "We should gain control of the lower house of congress two years hence, and the election in the four new Northwestern states this fall will be of the greatest importance. The democrats, with proper management, have a fair chance of carrying two of those states. In my judgment, Gorman is the man to put to the front."

VILLARD AND SMITH.

One of the Most Exciting Days in the History of Wall Street

New York, May 16.—An *Oregonian* dispatch says: The last hour of business on the New York Stock Exchange to-day was marked by the climax of one of the most exciting chapters of wall street history, and closed the fiercest fight that has ever been known on the floor of the exchange.

The prize for which this battle was fought was the control of the Oregon & Transcontinental Company, a corporation with a capital of $40,000,000, and holding control of the Oregon Railway & Navigation, the most important railway in the Pacific Northwest.

The control of the company is now held by Henry Villard, and associated with him are the magnates of the Standard company, Baron Belchlroder, Bismark's financial agent, Edward T. Abbott, John Trevor, W. L. Colby and some of the largest bankers in the city.

This aggregation of capital the enemies of Villard worked against. The opposition included all the big insiders in the Union Pacific road, Charles Francis Adams, Sidney Dillon, Fred Ames, Elijah Smith and others as prominent. Elijah Smith had charge of the campaign to oust Villard, and proposed to take his place, as he did once before, when Villard went down in the crash following the driving of the last spike on the Northern Pacific road.

For a long time both were active in quietly accumulating stock, but it was not until to-day, the last day on which to register stock to vote at the election, that the supreme effort was made in the exchange. All regular sales made are not deliverable until Monday, but sales made of cash stock had to be delivered before 2:15 P. M. Out of 50,000 shares of stock traded in to-day, 20,000 shares were cash stock, and the price moved up from $37 per share to $64 50 per share, before the exchange closed.

From 40 to 45 the stock moved up, 1 per cent. at a time. Then it jumped 5 per cent. on a single transaction, and after moving up 1 per cent. more made a jump of 9 per cent. to 60. It soon sold at 64½, the highest point reached in six years.

All the time the trading was marked by intense excitement, and the day will never be forgotten by those who took part.

After the registry books were closed, Villard met Elijah Smith and said: "I have you; I have 201,000 shares locked up in my boxes."

As the capital stock of the company is 400,000 shares, this would give the Villard party 1,000 shares majority; but Smith would not admit that he was defeated, although he did not claim a victory.

THE INJUNCTION SUIT.

Villard Agrees Not to Issue New Stock Before the Election.

New York, May 17.—Arguments on the injunction suit of Elijah Smith and Edward B. Bell, brought to restrain Henry Villard and others from issuing $10,000,000 of new stock of the Oregon & Transcontinental Company, and from pledging $12,000,000 of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company's stock as security for dividends thereon, was heard before Judge Barrett in the supreme court this afternoon. Counsel for defendants read Villard's answer on the main question. Villard's answer was very voluminous, and went into details in the matter of the antecedents of the present litigation.

After the lawyers in the case had talked informally with each other and to the court, an agreement was finally arrived at, and the order for Villard's examination was vacated, and the injunction was disposed of in the same way, upon the stipulation that Villard and his associates should not try to issue any new stock before the election.

FROM ALBANY.

Work to be Resumed at Once on the Eastward Extension of the O. P.

Albany, May 17.—Wallis Nash, of the Oregon Pacific railroad, was in the city to-day, and stated that he had just received a telegram from Wm. Hoag, at New York, that he would leave immediately for Oregon and work would begin on the eastward extension of the road at once. Engineer Eccleson and a party of surveyors have been in the field east of the summit for several days.

EARTHQUAKE IN CALIFORNIA.

The Worst Shock Felt in Years—Reports From Various Places.

San Francisco, May 19.—Telegrams to-day from many points in what is sometimes termed Middle California report earthquake shocks at about 3:15 this morning.

At Stockton the shock lasted about ten seconds, the vibrations being from north to south. A number of people rushed into the street. One man jumped from a second-story window. A number of buildings were heard to crack.

Modesto reports a second shock ten minutes after the first one.

At Napa the vibrations lasted twelve seconds, and at Calistoga even longer. The plaster in a few houses at Napa was broken.

Petaluma reports two distinct shocks, the second quite heavy.

Antioch telegraphs that the tops of many chimneys were shaken off.

San Leandro says that the shock was the heaviest felt for years.

At Collinsville, Solano county, the shock was accompanied by a rumbling sound. Chimneys were knocked over, clocks stopped and one building toppled over. The vibrations were from east to west.

AT SACRAMENTO.

Sacramento, May 19.—An earthquake shock was felt here at 3:10 this morning. The wave came from the southeast and was quite severe.

AT THE LICK OBSERVATORY.

Lick Observatory, Cal., May 19.—The earthquake was felt here at 9:10 this morning. The shock was not heavy, but the extraordinary feature of it was the great duration which is registered on the instruments—two minutes and twelve seconds. The vibrations were in a north and south direction.

SUNDAY IN THE ARMY.

President Harrison Will Soon Abolish Sunday Morning Inspections.

Washington, May 19.—It is probable that a general order abolishing Sunday morning inspections and otherwise making Sunday a day of rest in the army, will be promulgated by the president at an early date. Fully three-fourths of the army is in favor of this reform, and with a few exceptions the other fourth is indifferent in the matter.

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