

RICHARD OLNEY EX-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAD

Statesman of Cleveland Regime
Passes Away at Age of 82—Won
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lan Boundary Dispute.

BOSTON, April 9.—Richard Olney, secretary of state under President Grover Cleveland, died at his home here last night.

Mr. Olney, who was 82 years old, had been ill several weeks although it was not until yesterday that his condition became serious. In an announcement issued by the family today it was stated that he died suddenly at 8:45 o'clock last night. Mrs. Olney and their daughter, Mrs. George R. Minot of this city, were with him at the end. Mr. Olney's other daughter, Mrs. C. H. Abbott is residing temporarily in Paris.

Recently while unable to leave his bed, Mr. Olney had displayed very deep interest in the international situation. It was said that he warmly commended the action of the government when members of his family informed him on Friday that President Wilson had signed a proclamation of war.

A Foremost Figure.

Richard Olney served successively as attorney general and secretary of state during the administration of President Cleveland, and although at the head of the state department for the short period of one year and nine months only, he won reputation as a statesman of commanding ability and force. His greater triumph was his successful insistence upon arbitration of the boundary dispute between Great and Venezuela.

Imperturbably disregarding the warnings that a rigid maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine might plunge the United States into war with Great Britain, President Cleveland and Secretary Olney carried out their own ideas of diplomacy. In his famous message sent through Ambassador Bayard to Lord Salisbury, British secretary of state for foreign affairs, Mr. Olney, promising the inalienable right of the United States to intervene in questions affecting the territorial integrity of South American countries, said in part:

Olney's Firmness Won.

"Great Britain both admits that there is a controversy and that arbitration should be resorted to for its adjustment. But while up to that point her attitude leaves nothing to be desired, its practical effect is completely nullified by her insistence that the submission shall cover but a part of the controversy; that as a condition of arbitrating her right to a part of the disputed territory, the remainder shall be turned over to her. Upon what principle—except her feebleness as nation—is Venezuela to be denied the right of having the claim heard and passed upon by an impartial tribunal? It is so, because I will it to be so," seems to be the only justification Great Britain offers."

Although Lord Salisbury at first refused to submit to the American demand, upon further representation he receded from his attitude and agreed to the arbitration of the entire dispute.

Mr. Olney's firmness previously had become familiar to the American public through his action in the great Chicago railroad strike and subsequent riots, when as attorney general he upheld the right and duty.

Attitude in Labor.

In refutation of charges that this attitude indicated his hostility to labor unions, Mr. Olney, in a special brief filed in a federal court in Pennsylvania in the case of a railroad trainmen's strike on the Reading railroad, only five months after the end of the Chicago strike, upheld the right of labor to organize and urged that all labor troubles should be arbitrated.

Mr. Olney was born in Oxford, Mass., in 1835. His father was a textile manufacturer and banker. In the years following his graduation from Harvard law school in 1858, Mr. Olney won high distinction in his profession and became an authority on matters of probate, trust and corporation law. His sole appearance in public office before going to Washington was in 1875, when he served one term in the Massachusetts house of representatives.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP U. S. CRUISER AT SHANGHAI

SEATTLE, Apr. 9.—E. L. McAdam of Seattle, who has just returned from a business trip in China, reports that on the night of March 16, while

RUMORS OF GERMAN SYMPATHY MAY FORCE KING ALFONSO OF SPAIN FROM HIS PALACE.



Count Romanones

The recent discontent in Spain and the threatened revolt is said to be due to rumors that German sympathy is high in the Madrid government. If the revolt is carried through, King Alfonso may be the next ruler forced to abdicate. The royal palace, here shown, is near Madrid. The king is shown in the uniform of artillery major. Count Romanones, premier of Spain, is said to have taken all precautions against an uprising and is in charge of the whole government while it is under martial law.

he was at Shanghai, an interned German craft which had been moored in the Wang Poo river, was dropped down stream by its crew and brought to anchor within a few yards of the United States cruiser Cincinnati. On that night the Chinese government decided to seize all German craft. Early on the morning of the 17th Chinese officials boarded the German vessel and were just in time to prevent her being blown up. So heavily was the ship charged with explosives that, had the act been consummated, the Cincinnati would have been completely wrecked.

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

Ashland Lodge, No. 944, of Elks, installed officers for the ensuing year last Saturday night as follows: Joseph K. Choate, exalted ruler; E. R. Grieve, esteemed leading knight; Otto Klum, esteemed loyal knight; E. C. Payne, esteemed lecturing knight; J. Edw. Thornton, secretary; P. Provost, treasurer; D. A. Applegate, trustee; Wilfred Carr, esquire; Rev. P. K. Hammond, chaplain; W. Newell Wright, tyler; Otto Winter, organist; Ray Sayles, inner guard; George W. Owen, retiring exalted ruler, is delegate to the grand lodge which meets in Boston, E. T. Staples being alternate. Following installation ceremonies there was a salmon bake spread, the royal chinooks having been imported from Puget Sound for this particular banquet occasion. The new officers are supplemented by various committees covering every phase of the lodge's activities both routine and extraordinary. The current year is ushered in under gratifying auspices. The membership is large, nearly 600, and its personnel implies loyalty and enthusiasm. The patriotic instinct especially has been rekindled upon new altars owing to prevailing emergent circumstances.

Mrs. Bergner, manager of the Vining theater, is in San Francisco for a week or ten days visit.

In connection with the good roads movement in general, S. Benson of Portland, chairman of the state highway commission, recommends the improvement of the Green Springs mountain unit of the proposed system, connecting Ashland not only with Klamath Falls but also extending the improvement to Lakeview, a measure that would link the three counties with a substantial highway in place of indifferent conditions which now prevail. The Dead Indian road will also receive attention in due season.

The local postoffice is official headquarters for all information in regard to recruiting activities whether of the army, navy or any of their auxiliary branches. In the way of enlistment the government's present expectancy is on the basis of securing one man out of each 1000 of population in the nation at large. A higher percentage is reserved for emergencies later on.

On Saturday five carloads of boxes were in local stockyards, being shipped from California points to Portland. Four carloads of stock and household goods were also handled at this terminal, the property of families on the way from Lodi, Cal., to Montana, for permanent settlement. War in miniature was precipitated at the high school last Friday when

one student thrashed another for reflections cast upon the uniform as worn by the United States soldier.

Earl Hosler, water superintendent, met with a serious accident last Friday at the pumping plant of the springs system. His left hand got caught in the gearing with the result that two fingers were crushed.

Among local teachers home for the spring holidays are Miss Florence Allen, of Drew in Douglas county; Miss Helen Dickerson and Miss Nell Peachey, of the Wellen and Antelope districts respectively.

Prof. Henry G. Gilmore, musician and litterateur, also authority on almost every topic pertaining to the realm of science and the liberal arts, celebrated his 88th birthday anniversary on Good Friday by way of receiving the congratulations of a host of warm personal friends. He is a native of Kent county, England, and is a living exponent of the best traits that are afforded by British lineage and tradition, reinforced with the real American sentiment that finds expression in the land of his adoption.

Rev. P. K. Hammond, rector of Trinity church, visited the Cove ranch, east of Ashland, last Wednesday, where he performed a marriage ceremony which united Clifford Gordon Pointer and Miss Myrtle H. E. MacLean. The groom is from Alberta, Canada, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. MacLean. They will reside on the Cove ranch.

A. J. Lindsay, former railroad employe here, is now located at Garfield, Utah.

Mrs. Edith Davenport, wife of A. H. Davenport of Twin Oaks orchard in the Valleyview district, left the first of this week for an extended visit with her parents and numerous relatives in Wisconsin, Maiden Rock being the family home. On her way east she will stop several weeks in Seattle to visit an aunt residing in the northern metropolis.

A brother of G. W. Howard has moved in from a ranch near Ayers Spur, and is occupying the Boon house on Fairview street.

Frank Clark architect, formerly located here, is planning details for a private hospital at Medford which Dr. E. H. Porter of that city will erect at the corner of West Sixth and Ivy streets. The structure will be of brick, two stories, covering the space of 42x55 feet. It will maintain an ambulance service, and both construction and equipment will incorporate the approved features of a model institution.

Retrospectively history points to old company D as Ashland's initial military organization in 1888. The captain was George F. McConnell who had served in the regular army establishment. Later on the command was reorganized as Company B and participated in the Spanish war, with L. May as captain and E. Thornton lieutenant. It was mustered into the government service in May, 1898, was in the Philippines about a year, and mustered out in August, 1899, at San Francisco.

Mining operations are receiving renewed impetus with reports of a \$23,000 cleanup after a seventy days run in the Simons-Logan placer field near Waldo in Josephine county, a tract embracing 1500 acres. The main output in gold was leavened with a minimum yield of platinum.

W. A. Freeburg has returned to California after a stay here of a few

weeks. He rejoined his motor car at Hornbrook where it had been in cold storage during the winter.

At the Civic Improvement club on Tuesday of this week, among other addresses Lieut. Don Spencer of First Company will talk to the members along patriotic lines, setting forth the needs of the artillery contingent in the way of practical encouragement.

The Eleven O'clock club having given ten select dancing parties during the season, will extend the number to fifteen, such is the demand for an extension of a social pastime in which this particular organization excels.

Recent California papers announce the marriage of Alfred M. Harroli, 25, of Dunsmuir, and Mary Annie Allen, 22, of Ashland. The ceremony occurred at Redding, Cal., April 3.

The Southern Pacific is employing 75 extra men in guarding tunnels, bridges and other important points on the Shasta division between Ashland and Redding. The watching is continuous night and day, the men working in twelve hour shifts.

Not to be outdone by others in business enterprise, Chester Stevenson of the studio bearing his name, has presented the commercial club with a portfolio of 24 artistic photographs of notable buildings and scenic attractions hereabouts, with which the club will replace a like number of others that have become superannuated as relics of pictorial embellishment of former days.

Pastor Vine of the Baptist church occupied the pulpit of the Medford church of that denomination at the Easter morning service.

Masonic block has been equipped with halyards in order to expedite the raising of the stars and stripes over the postoffice, an event which occurs daily according to government regulations, the colors being hoisted at 8 a. m. and lowered at sundown. Bert Freeman performs this patriotic duty.

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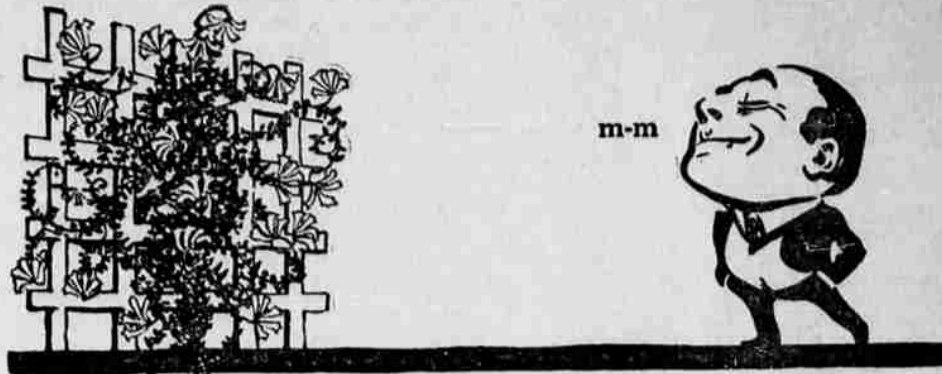
Get a 16-cent box now. Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and bad colds—turn them out tonight and keep them out with Cascarets.

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James W. Mee, pioneer of south-ham, who lives in the Thompson on Saturday, interment being in the Williams creek cemetery. Relatives of his daughter, Mrs. Marion Bing-section. Funeral services were held of the deceased reside here.



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Exchange all tickets at box office. Reserved seat sale opens at Theatre Monday, April 9, at 10 a. m. Lower floor—1st 14 rows 75c, 4 last rows 50c. Balcony—1st 4 rows 50c, upper balcony 25c.