IS SKULKING. To Save His Men From Demoralization. Otis Will Have to Act on the Offensive.

THE ENEMY

Country Around Manila Favors the Tactics of the Filipinos-Begulars for American

Army.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 .- The reports of skirmishes and frequent firing by concealed natives upon the Ameri-can outposts around Manila have conveyed the impression to the officials here that General Otis is being rapidly brought to a pass where he must assume the most vigorous offensive campaign. Although no instructions have yet been sent to him, it is assumed that he will feel justified in doing this to prevent a demoralization of his troops, and also to make his position tenable in the approaching wet season. The nature of the country around Ma-1 over the result of the trial. nali favors the tactics the natives seem to have adopted after learning they could not face the American soldiers in the open field, and it doubtless will be General Otis' task, just as soon as his reinforcements reach him, to clear them away.

It is estimated that the transport Grant, with 1,800 troops, will land at Manila about March 4th, a couple of weeks later the Sherman will arrive with a similar number of troops, and two weeks after that the Sheridan is peller turning 381 revolutions, eleven due with troops now embarking at more than required by the contract.

New York. One consideration that fa-vors the termination of the struggle at an early date, is that the latest reports further indicate that the insurgents are ing short of ammunition.

IN CONGRESS. Washington, Feb. 18 .- It is expected hat the test will be made on the river and harbor bill, if the senate retains the Nicaragua canal paragraph, when it reaches the house. The usual procedure would be to disagree to the senate amendments as a whole, and ask for a conference. But in this case, the friends of the Nicaragua canal say there will be a motion, either to concur with the canal amendment or else to instruct the house conferees to substitute the Hepburn canal bill.

Chairman Hepburn and other members of the commerce committee do not approve of the form of the senate canal amendment; as it is said to recognize private concessions. They, therefore, will endeavor to preserve the Nicaragua feature in the river and harbor bill, and yet substitute strict government control, as embodied in the Hepburn bill.

A WONDERFUL CRAFT. Portland, Feb. 18 .- The torgedo-boat

Fox, built by the Wolff & Zwicker Iron works, of this city, on her official trial trip today made an average of 23.13 knots per hour for two hours-.63 knots in excess of requirements. The Fox's performance is unequaled in the annals of shipbuilding, first, because she is the only torpedo-boat to make a success of her initial trip, and second, before this no trial board ever ventured to send a boat at top speed through a fog so dense that a pilot could not see his own length outside. The contractors are naturally pleased

From the start, which was made at Brookfield at 8:30 this morning, to the finish, at Hunter's point, two hours there was not a hitch in the later, working of the machinery. For the first quarter of an hour the propeller turned more than 400 times per minute, driving the Fox through the water at the rate of twenty-seven miles per hour. Then she was slowed down a little, and finished the course at an average speed of 23.13 knots. the proPRESIDENT.

OREGON STATESMAN.

LOUBET IS

Election in France Was Held Yesterday.

Nationalist Party

Pispleased,

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Demonstrations on the Streets and Addresses by Professional

Agitators-Meline

Beaten. PARIS, Feb. 18 .- It is officialy an-

nounced that M. Emile Loubet has been elected president of the French republic. He received 483 votes, against 27 for Meline.

The assembly met at 1 o'clock, the palace being closed to the public. Meline begged his friends not to vote for him. During the progress of the balloting several deputies attempted to speak, and cries of "down with anarchy" were heard, but no actual disturbance occurred. At 2:40 the ballot was completed.

The progressists insisted on voting for Meline, which explains the vote cast for him. The vote not cast for M. Loubet was divided between Cavaignac, General Jumont, General Saussier and others.

The official count showed that 582 votes were cast, and that M. Loubet received 483; M. Meline, 29, and 70 were scattered. Premier M. Dupuy then formally transferred the executive power to M. Loubet, and congratulated him upon his election.

DEMONSTRATIONS.

Paris, Feb. 18.-The nationalists gathered around the statue of Joan of Arc and M. De Roulede, made flery addresses to them today. The crowd then marched to the boulevards and stopped in front of the Libre Parole There the nationalists yelled office. themselves hoarse with cries of "Vive l'armie" and "spit upon Loubet." The appearance of Loubet in a carriage was the signal for a hostile demonstration, and cries of "Panama," "Pana-

THE NEW PRESIDENT.

ma.

Paris, Feb. 18 .- This election, by a single ballot, and by the republicans only, is the greatest republican victory since Gervy's walk over the course The new president comes from a part of France where the Roman power lasted longer, namely, Marsanne, in the He gives Drom. sion of a remote Latin origin, and looks to be a solid, practical man, who sees the facts of life just as they are. As the president of the senate, he has had official and other experiences that will be useful to him as president of the republic, but he is essentially a plain, middle-class man. He is there most popular, and every one at Montelimar counts himself a personal friend of Loubet, who, as mayor, city councillor, deputy and senator, always acted as a servant of the people. Obliging to his neighbors, he was accessable as General Grant or Lincoln were, and not less unpretending. M. Loubet was personally innocent of the Panama canal scandal, but, like M. Carnot and M. Brisson, he thought the sheltering of the accused expedient. The president is thoroughly domestic and dislikes showy society. He likes to spend his time at home, and is a great reader. He is not rich, nor does he covet wealth and honors. He is strong in financial questions. For many years he lived in an unpretentious flat, and dined off a white oil cloth, instead of a table cloth. His hands, figuratively speaking, are clean; but his beard and clothes are untidy, thus contrasting to the late president. He returned to Paris from Versailles this afternoon by train. He is the first president who has done so. He ordered an open carriage and pair to wait at the station, instead of a carriage and four. The entire absence of haughtiness in his demeanor was favorably remarked. Loubet is the right man in the right place.



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1899.

Completed to the Summit of the White Pass.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 .- Secretary Alger has transmitted to congress a complete report on the relief work of the war department in the Klondiks country, undertaken under an act of congress as the result of reports that extreme distress among the miners followed the influx to the gold country during 1897-1898. It embraces detailed reports of Captain P. B. Ray and Lieutenant W. P. Richardson. Aside from the details of the relief work, Captain Ray's last report, dated May last, contained the following statement: "I deem it of the greatest importance for the development of the country, that roads should be opened so as to enable To Fenton M. Bagley, one of the above people to enter the country, not only from the Yukon from the open sea in our own country, which is of the greatest importance, but to enable miners and prospectors to get into the interior with supplies. I do not find anything either in Alaska or the Northwest territory to justify the great rush of people to the country, or the enormous investments now being made by the transportation, trading and mining companies. All rich claims are well known, and held at very high prices. and while the whole country has been staked, it has been done for speculative purposes. and no work is being done, except such

fifth day of March, 1899, and if you fail so to appear and answer, plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint, towit: For judgment against the defendant. Edward Hafrison, in the full sum of Twenty-two Hundred Dollars, (\$2200), with interest thereon at the rate of \$ per cent per annum from the first day of November, 1897, less Sixtyas is necessary to hold title, until they seven Dollars and sixty-five cents can be sold to an unwary newcomer or (\$67.65) paid June 27, 1897, on account; disposed of in the states for corporaalso Forty-three Dollars and fifty cents tion schemes. Captain Constantine, of (243.50) paid on account of insurance, the Canadian Northwestern police, is with interest thereon at the rate of 8 my authority for Jenouncing the moveper cent per annum from April ment as a fraud. 20,1898, and the further sum of Two "In the absence of any other indus-Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$225)

try, except cutting wood for river attorney's fees and the costs and disboats. I do not see anything in the future for over 90 per cent of the people cree of this court adjudging that the now flocking to that country, but dissaid indebtedness and the whole thereof appointment and suffering. Even those is a first-lien and incumbrance of the who obtain employment at \$1.50 per following described real property, situhour find that, after deducting the cost of food, packing, candles, etc., they do of Oregon, towit: The east half (14) of not net to exceed \$2 per day, and they the donation land claim of John M. at." tell me it is barely enough to tide them Nancy C. Harrison, deceased, said claim over the idle season.



SEEDS

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of

-- Department No. 2:-

Bagley, defendants.

named defendants:

)regon, for Marion County .-- No. 7082

J. Gurney Fowler and W. J. Caesar,

plaintiifs, vs. Edward Harrison, Nellie

C. Harrison, his wife, and Fenton M.

In the name of the state of Oregon.

you are hereby requested to appear and

answer the complaint filed against you

in the above entitled cause in the above

entitled court, on or before the twenty-

bursements of said suit, and for a de-

ate in the county of Marion, state

containing each 5 acres, more or all above described premises, or is lying and being in Hampden Park, Marion county, Oregon, as shown by the recorded plat in the office of the county recorder for Marion county, Oregon. WERNER BREYMAN,

Administrator of the estate of E. M. Walte, deceased. 1:27-5tw.

SUMMONS.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Marion county, Department No. 2, Register No. 7074.

Pacific States Savings, Loan . and Building company, a corporation, plain-liff, vs. William H. Wild and Maggie C. Wild, his wife, W. M. Seiground and Lucy L. Seigmund, his wife, B B. Herrick Jr., and Jessie Addie Herrick, his wife, Mary J. Churchill, widow. Thomas Townsend and Nellie Townsend his wife, - and J. C. Goodale, Henrietta Savage, and I. Mo-Culley, defendants.

To William H Wild and Macgie C. Wild two of the above named defendspis:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the com-plaint fied against you in the above entitled court and cause, on or before the fourth day of March, 1899, said fourth day of March, 1899, being the time specified by the judge of the above entitled court in the order for publication as the time for you to, appear and answer such complaint and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded it. his complaint on file herein viz: for s decree for the principal sum of 2:000, also for the sum of \$240 as and for the unpaid monthly installments of interest at the rate of six per cent ler annur on the sum of \$2,000, also for the sum of \$576 as and for the unroid monthly dues on said forty shares of the capital stock of th's plaintiff; also for the sum of \$136 as and for fines levied and unpaid on the said forty shares of stock for defendant in the payment of the monthly dues payable thereon; also for the sum of \$14 89 as and for money laid out and expended by this plaintiff as aforesaid for insurance premiums; making in the aggregate the sum of \$2976.80 from which is to be deducted the sum of \$1:30 being the present value of the shares of stock pledged as aforesaid by the said William H. Wild with this plaintiff for the payment of said loan; leaving due, owing and unpaid the sum of \$1:46.10 in United States gold coin from the said William H. Wild and Maggie C. Wild to this plaintiff, for which sum with interest until paid and costs of suit including a reasonable attorney's fee not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars the judge ment of this court is prayed.

That the decree of this honorable court shall be had and readered that he said mortgage shall be reformed as hereinbefore prayed for and that the word Marion shall be substituted for the word Multnomah in said description as is hereinbefore set forth ard that said reformation and substitution shall take effect on and relate back to the day of the date of said mortgage that the usual decree according to the law of the state of Oregon and the practice of this court bemade for the sale of the said mortgaged premises described as follows towit: Lots numbered Two (2) Three (3) Four (4) and Five (5) in Block Numbered Thirteen (13) of Depot Addition to Selem as the said lots are shown and designated on the plat of said Depot Addition to Salem, which said plat was filed and recorded in the office of the county recorder of conveyances of said Marion county which said plat and the record thereof are hereby referred to and made a part hereof. That the proceeds of such sale when had, may be applied as the law, of the state of Creson directs, to-with To the payment of the expenses of such sale, the payment of the costs of due this plaintiff including attorney's



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MORE MONEY SECURED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.-(Special). -The amendment for Tillamook bay and bar, was inadvertently omitted from last night's report. The senate committee has increased the appropriation for that amendment fom \$17,000 to \$25,000. The appropriation for the improvement of the Upper Columbia in Oregon has been increased from \$5,000 to \$7,560. Two important surveys are also authorized by the amendments which Senator McBride caused to be added to the bill. One has for its object the securing of an estimate of the cost of a channel twenty-five feet deep at low water from Portland to the sea and the other for an estimate of the cost of obtaining a ship channel at the entrance to the Columbia, thirty-five feet deep at the lowest water and report as to the desirability of such im-provement. ALLAN B. SLAUSON.

HUDSON MILLS BURNED.

Roseburg, Or., Feb. 18 .- The Hudson, mills, three miles north of Drain, were burned this morning. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is thought to have been incendiary. The loss on the mill and lumber is about \$5,000. The sheds and lumber in the yards were saved. The boiler and engine are a partial loss. There is no insurance.

TO THE REFORMATORY .- The latest arrivals at the state reform school are Elmer Beard, from Linn county, and William Williamson, They are aged 14 and 15 years, respectively. man .- Confucius.

"I am now fully satisfied that in the near future Alaska will be a source of great wealth, but the development will necessarily be slow, owing to climatic conditions."



SUCCESSFUL ENTERPRISE BASED ON MERIT.

The Importance of Informing the Public of the Value of an A:ticle Through the Loading Newsj-apers.

The few remedies which have attained to world-wide fame, as truly beneficial in effect and giving satisfaction to millions of people everywhere, are the products of the knowledge of the most eminent physicians and presented in the form most acceptable to the human system by the skill of the world's great chemists; and one of the most successful examples is the Syrup of Figs manufactured by the Californ'a Fig Syrup Co. Unlike a host of imitations and cheap substitutes, Syrup of Figs is permanently beneficial in its effects, and therefore lives and promotes good health, while inferior preparations are being cast aside and soon forgotten. In olden times if a remedy gave temporary relief to individuals here and there, it was thought good; but now a days a laxative remedy must give satisfaction to all. If you have never used Syrup of Figs, give it a trial and you wil be pleased with it and will recommend it to your friends or to any who suffer from constipation, or from over-feeding, or from colds, headaches, hiliousness, or other ills result-

ing from an inactive condition of the kidneys, liver and bowels. In the process of manufacturing the pleasant family laxative made by the California Fig Syrup Co., and named Syrup of Figs, figs are used as they are pleasant to the taste; but the medicinal properties of the medicine are obtained from an excellent combination of plants known to be medicinally laxative and to act most reneficially. As the true and original remedy named Syrup of Figs. is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only a knowledge of that fact will assist in avoiding the worthless imitations manufactured hy other parties.

Yankee Investment in Cuba.

A syndicate of American capitalists has just concluded the purchase of a large tract of land near Santiago, and will open up many new iron mines, and inside of five years Yankee enterprise will transform the slow-going country into a place of business activity and push. In much the same manner Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will transform a run-down, debilitated, thin-blooded man into a type of health and strength. It will fill his wins with pure blood. Grive away dyspenda, and clear up his tired brain. It will make him eat and sleep well, and if his nerves are in bad shape, the Bitters will tone them up and restore their old-time form. Malaria is another disease that the Bliters are good for.

Sincerity is the way to heaven. The attainment of sincerity is the way of.

eing known as Claim No. 56. Notification No. 481, being parts of sections 28, 29, 32, and 33, in t waship nine (9), south ; range three (3) west of the Willamette meridian and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point 33 chains and 55 links north and 1 chains and 47 links west of the northwest corner of said section 33; thence east \$0 chains; thence south 80 chalus; thence west 80 chains and 7 links; thence north 80 chains to the place of beginning, and containing 640.28 acres of land, the land intended to be conveyed by the mortgage in said complaint being 320 acres, more or less, and directing that the said real property be sold for the satisfaction of said debt. and the purchaser at said sale take such title thereto as was had by the defendent Edward Harrison on the first day of November, 1992, together with all title which he and the said Nellie C. Harrison have since acquired and that court and then to the sum and sums the purchaser at said sale may be put fees. into possession of said premises and that the above named defendants and all persons claiming under them, be foreclosed and barred of all rights and equity in the said premises and that plaintiffs have such other and further relief as to this court may seem meet. This summons is published by order of the Hon. R. P. Beise, judge of this court, and made on the fourteenth day

of February, 1899, the date of the first publication February 17, 1999.

GEORGE W. HAZEN, H. J. BIGGER, 2:17-w7t. Plaintiff s Attorneys.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the county court of the state of Oregon, for Marion county has duly appointed John C: Booth as administrator of the estate of his late wife, Verena Booth, deceased, and all creditors or other persons having or claiming to have any account, claim or demand against the estate of the said Verena Booth, deceased, are hereby required to present the same with the proper vouchers, duly verified, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, John C. Booth, at his office in the city of Salem in Marion county, Oregon.

Dated this twenty-fith day of January, A. D., 1899. JOHN C. BOOTH.

Administrator. John A. Carson, attorney for admin-1:27-5tw. istrator.

ADMINISTRATOR' SALE.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public sale to the highest hidder for cash in hand at the court house door in Salem, Oregon, on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1899, at the hour of 2 p. m., the following described premises, towit: Beginning at a point 7 chains south of northeast corner of section 29, in t 7 s, r 2 w, of Willamette meridian, Marion county, Oregon; thense south 2 degrees, east 12.80 chains to an angle corner in the north line of the M. L. Savage donation land claim; thence east 90 links on said north line of M. L. Savage donation land claim to a point south of the southwest corner of lot 22 in Hampden Park; thence north 12.80 chains along the west line of said lot 22 to the northwest corner of said lot; ; from the date hereof. thence west 90 links to the place of beginning, containing 1.15 of an acre of

That each and any of the defendants and all of them and all persons claiming by, through or under them ot either of them, and all or any and each of them, subsequent to the execution of said mortgage hypothecation the said premises, either as purchasers, incumbrancers or otherwise, may be forever barred and foreclosed of all rights, claims or equity of redemption of, in or to the said premises and on any part thereof.

That the plaintiff or any other party, to this suit may become a purchaser at said sale and that such purchaser be placed into the possession of the mortgaged premises, upon his paying the purchase price therefor and that in accordance with the law the officer making said sale execute and delived e good and sufficient conveyance of said premises to said purchaser.

That the plaintiff may have such other and further relief in the premises as to this Honorable Court may seem just and equitable.

And you are hereby further notified that the summons in this suit is served upon you by the publication thereof in the Oregon Statesman, a newspaper nublished weekly at the city of Salem, in Marion county, state of Oregon, pursuant to the order of the Honorable R P. Boise, judge of this court, made the twelfth day of January, 1899.

F. W. WATERS. Attorney for Plaintiff. 1:13-w7L

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, A. D. Smith, was by an or-der of the county court of the state of Oregon, for Marion county, duly made and entered of record on the twentyfirst day of January, 1899, duly appoint. ed administrator of the estate of Marette S. Smith late of said county, deceased, and the said A. D. Smith has duly qualified and entered upon the discharge of his duties as such administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to said administrator duly verified, as by law requir-ed, at No. 96 Court street, in the city of Salem, Oregon, within six months

Dated this first day of February,1899. A. D. SMITH

land, more or less; also lots 23 and 60, 2-3-51 w Administrator of said estate.