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DEATH FROM CHOLERA.

Eight Hundred Japanese Soldiers Perish in Camp.

JAPAN'S ULTIMATUM TO CHINA.

Oil Still Rising—It Reached the \$2.00 Mark.

LONDON, April 13.—The Pall Mall Gazette, this afternoon, prints a dispatch from Hoigo, Japan, which says advices from the Pescadore Islands states that the Japanese forces were still at the Islands waiting for reinforcements, and that over 800 deaths from cholera have occurred among the troops. The epidemic, it is added, has now abated.

Japanese Ultimatum.

SHANGHAI, April 13.—The Mercury today reports that the Japanese have presented an ultimatum to Li Hung Chang, the Chinese peace commissioner, demanding that China accept or refuse the terms offered by Japan no later than tomorrow.

The paper adds that Japan has reduced her claim for indemnity by 100,000,000 yen and is also satisfied with the cession of Shing King peninsula, on which Port Arthur stands and will not demand an additional territory. It is reported that the peace party is willing to accept these terms, but the Hunan party is holding out.

Oil Still Going Up.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 13.—Oil continued in its upward course today, and seemed to be fulfilling the predictions of those who said it would go to \$2 before the week was out.

From 10:30 until 2:30 the close of the market was strong. Just before the close 7,000 barrels of May Option were sold at \$2.00 and thus the prediction of many oil men were fulfilled. It then reacted to \$1.98 and closed with \$1.99 bid.

LAND AGENT DEAD.

Found by His Servant With a Bullet in His Brain.

TACOMA, April 13.—Disheartened by financial difficulties and his removal from an honorable position, Paul Schulze, general land agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, killed himself, Friday at 11:30 o'clock. He put a .38 caliber bullet through his head with a Smith & Wesson revolver. The body was not found until 3:45 p. m., and it was nearly 6 o'clock before the corner was notified. The news became public after 6 o'clock and greatly surprised the entire city.

Mr. Schulze was one of the best known men in the Northwest. A German by birth, he entered the Northern Pacific service under Henry Villard, and nearly 10 years ago was made general land agent at the west end of the road. During the last year or so his management had not been approved by the Northern Pacific officials, and frequently it has been rumored that he would be removed. Last Wednesday he announced himself that he had resigned at the request of Land Commissioner Phipps. He did not seem to feel badly about the matter then, but it is certain he felt keenly that the removal showed a lack of appreciation of his services.

He was also president of the Yakima Investment Company, owner of the great Sunnyside canal in Yakima county, with assets of over \$1,000,000, and President of the Tacoma Railway & Motor company, owner of two-thirds of the street railway system here. Both companies are in receivers' hands, and he was one of the receivers of the former company. The financial difficulties of the company had caused him much trouble.

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LON SWARTZ BOUND OVER

To Appear Before Next Grand Jury Under Bond.

Justice Johnson's court room was crowded with spectators at 10 o'clock this morning, to be present at the examination of Lon Swartz, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon on the person of Edward Swartz. Promptly at 10 o'clock Sheriff Knight brought the defendant into court. S. L. Hayden and J. H. McNary, attorneys for the defendant, followed soon after and took their places.

The witnesses subpoenaed on the part of the state, Misses Emma and Mattie Swartz, Walter Swartz and Dr. W. H. Byrd, were all present, and the latter replied to questions asked by Prosecuting Attorney A. O. Condit, that he thought Edward Swartz to be entirely out of danger; that death would not result from the knife wound should no other accident occur. No other witnesses on the part of the state testified in the case. The defense offered no testimony and turned the case over to Justice Johnson who bound the defendant over to the grand jury. The justice said he would fix the bail at 1 o'clock. There is considerable feeling among the family, as one of the girls told Justice Johnson that if the father was released on bail he would continue his violence on members of the family. After due consideration, Justice Johnson placed Lon Swartz under \$1000 bonds to appear before the next grand jury, which meets in June. In default of this sum Swartz was taken to the county jail, but an effort will probably be made to secure bondsmen.

THE HAMMOND RAILROAD.

Proposed Extensions of the Oregon Pacific.

Incorporation articles were filed in the secretary of state's office, Friday, as follows:

The Oregon Central & Eastern Railroad company; to construct and equip or purchase railroad, telegraph and telephone lines from Yacquina bay to the eastern boundary of the state, thence to Boise City, and also branch lines, one leaving the main line at Corvallis and terminating at Eugene, the other branching off at or near Albany and terminating at Salem. The articles specify the right to purchase lines already built along any route of the proposed route, which includes the Oregon Pacific. The capital stock is \$300,000, and the principal office is at Corvallis. The incorporators are A. B. Hammond, Edwin Stone and Charles Clark.

Wheelmen.

Frank Howe has a new 21 pound Columbia.

The Imperial men will have a club room and a school for instruction, it is said.

Rev. Hutchison and Ex-Marshall Minto have mastered the wheel.

Rev. Grantham has the wheel fever, so far as to hang around the dealers' place of business and cast longing eyes at the flying steeds.

WANT AN OUTLET.—There seems to be some hitch in the opening of Mill street and the people of Capital Park addition are up in arms about the matter. A spirit of determination to get a street opened across the Southern Pacific track seems to prevail, and if they fail in their attempt to get a crossing at Mill street they will renew their efforts to open Oak street as many prefer that to Mill street.

Committed to the Asylum.

William Bullard, 35 years of age was last evening placed in the asylum from Clackamas county.

Miller's Odd Cent Grocery leads on tea. Try them. Armory block.

Heinz's chow-chow at Bonnemans's grocery, 124 State street.

California Cat-R Cure.

The only guaranteed cure for catarrh, cold in the head, hay fever, nose cold, catarrhal deafness and sore eyes. Restores the sense of taste and unimpeded breath, resulting from catarrh. Easy and pleasant to use. Follow directions and a cure is warranted, by all druggists. Send for circulars to ABRIETINE MEDICAL COMPANY, Oroville, Cal. Six months' treatment for \$1; send by mail, \$1.50. For sale by Linn & Brooks.

There are 17755 miles of railroad in the United States.

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These are 532,200,000 lbs used to bind these rails together, but no such amount, however, is required to bind the joints of the traveling joints to the fact that the Wisconsin Central have furnished superior facilities on all their trains between St. Paul and Chicago, which form close connections with all lines to the east and south.

Make a note of it.

SILVER MEN ASSEMBLE

The White Metal Leaders Now in Chicago.

THE GOLD MEN RESISTING THEM.

Counter Mass Meetings Arranged by Both Sides.

CHICAGO, April 13.—The free silver party has headquarters at Chicago today. This morning, General A. J. Warner, chairman of the national committee, and Congressman Joe Sibley, arrived here and were met by Chas. Miller, Sibley's business partner; Col. Turner, leader of the free silver party of Michigan, and General Wolcott.

This afternoon they were joined by Senator Jones, of Nevada, and tonight they will leave for the west. Today a conference was held with some Chicago silver people to canvass the result of the anticipated Democratic declaration on free silver in Illinois and to set in motion arrangements for a monster free silver mass meeting to effect the one being arranged for by the Chicago gold men.

The Income Tax.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Reports to the internal revenue office here say that income tax returns are coming in very rapidly, and in some cases the appointment of additional clerical force has become necessary. It is probable that the revenue bureau will hold that the sale of standing timber and royalties on coal, minerals, oil and gas well products will be treated as rents, and therefore not subject to the tax. As to the salary of United States judges, no action has been taken, and it is probable nothing will be done, until the courts have decided the question. It is believed that many judges have already made returns.

Will Field Retire?

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—Local Democrats do not consider the speedy retirement of Justice Stephen J. Field probable. Though pressure may be brought to induce him to retire, it is believed he will not yield, when his retirement would be considered a punishment for rendering the income tax decision.

Store Blown Up.

COLUMBIA, Pa., April 13.—The general merchandise store of H. Keller & son, at Wrightsville, was blown up early this morning. Damages \$15,000. The explosion is thought to have been the work of enemies of Keller & son.

THE MARKETS.

PORTLAND, April 13.—Wheat Valley 80c; Walla Walla 45c/46c.
SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—Wheat, 85c; Chicago, April 13.—Wheat, cash, 83c; May 85c.
NEW YORK, April 13.—Silver 66c; Lead, \$2 36.

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You Don't Have to Swear O.S.

Only the St. Louis Journal of Agriculture in an editorial about No-To-Bac (the famous tobacco habit cure). "We know of many cases cured by No-To-Bac, one, a prominent St. Louis architect, smoked and chewed for twenty years; two tows cured him so that even the smell of tobacco makes him sick." No-To-Bac sold and guaranteed by D. J. Fry, No cure no pay. Book free, Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago.

SALEM SOCIAL SALAD

—Trouting parties are to be all the rage very soon.

—A ladies' bicycle club and training school is wanted.

—Salem shops are wonderfully fascinating at present.

—South Salem is to have a green house—a bouquet factory.

—Several Salem ladies will attempt authorship in the new society weekly.

—The gentlemen say the prices for spring bonnets are unusually low this time.

—County roads are better than usual at this season and carriage driving is quite popular.

—Easter has been kept very quietly—mostly buying of new bonnets and church going.

—Lawn tennis has not revived, the bloomer has not appeared, and the ladies' horseback club has not materialized.

—Details are nearly complete for a fine benefit ball for Professor Little's effort on Friday evening of next week.

—Lunn & Brooks had a most beautiful show window today, filled with the choicest spring flowers, grown out-of-doors in Salem gardens.

—The appearance of M'ile Loe de Ville, contralto and elocutionist at the opera house Wednesday evening is looked forward to with considerable interest.

—Easter crosses were quite common in the show windows today—especially beautiful one in a large dry goods store, composed entirely of beautiful white fabrics.

—A successful dancing party was given at Murphy's hall Thursday evening, in which about sixteen couple of Salem's young society people participated in until 2 o'clock.

—"The Saturday Night" society weekly did not appear today as was expected, but will be out in a fine initial edition next week. It will be illustrated and on plate paper.

—Mrs. Eugene Breyman gave an afternoon tea and reception at her state street house Friday, in honor of her friend Mrs. Gatch of Seattle, mother of our worthy mayor.

—The Lenten season closes tonight, and we may look for a revival of social interest from this time on. Indications are that there will be a quite unusual social activity for the next few months.

—The Junior Unity club held its weekly meeting Friday evening at Unity church parlors. There was an entertainment and the evening concluded with a dancing party. There was a large attendance.

—The Old Folks' whist club did not meet this week as was expected. It was to meet with Mr. and Mrs. Governor Moody but Mrs. Moody was called to Southern Oregon by the illness of her daughter-in-law at Ashland.

—Professor Little's dancing classes have been interfered with by his unfortunate illness with a fever, but Mrs. Little has been graciously conducting the Saturday p. m. children's classes until his recovery takes place.

—Sperry the artist, has received the first of the \$10 snap shot cameras for amateurs and has several candidates for admission to this mysterious art, that is likely to prove one of the most fascinating of outdoor amusements.

—The entertainment given at the First Baptist church Friday evening by Mr. Gile's Sunday school class to help the new building fund was a success. The old church was jammed full of people and demonstrated the necessity of a new building very effectively. The entire program was well rendered, many saying they had attended 50 cent entertainments at the opera house not so good. Net receipts about \$30.

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A CAPITOL IN FLAMES.

Illinois State House Guttled by a Big Fire.

LOSS FROM SMOKE AND WATER.

Careless Mechanics Cause the Ter- rible Conflagration.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 13.—The Illinois magnificent \$5,000,000 state house caught fire in the senate wing shortly after noon today. The fire was probably started from tinner's stoves, a large force of tinner's having been sent upon the roof today to make repairs. It is said they left their stoves burning when they went to dinner. A gale was blowing during the fire, and the firemen seemed to be unable to cope with the flames. The senate chamber was speedily gutted, and all the expensive frescoing ruined. At 1:45 p. m. it was under control. It is estimated the damage to the state will amount to \$75,000 to \$100,000. Most of the damage will result from smoke and water.

OUR NEW PREMIUMS.

JOURNAL readers are urged to see our list of premiums offered on another page.

A fashion journal free. "The Queen of Fashions."

A Rich Gift Book, free, from the pen of Andrea Hofer of Chicago.

A Romance of Malaya, a beautiful book free.

Home Education—two choice magazines.

Standard works of English literature.

When you are visiting your friends tell them about THE JOURNAL and get these beautiful premiums for a few new names.

We wish to speak well of the dead, as a rule, but would caution the eulogists of the late Paul Schulze not to crack him up too high. He was a docile tool of the big land thieves and land swindlers who have looted the public lands and enriched themselves at the expense of the people. A thief is a thief, great or small.

So long as the railroad commission exists it will be a constant reminder of the perfidy which characterized the Simon-Dolph combination in the senate throughout the last legislative session. That combination is alone responsible for its existence.—Corvallis Gazette.

CRABS, PERCH and CLAMS—Just in on the afternoon local at Doty & Bennett's, 94 Court street. 12 2t

—ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.—P. D'Arcy, an old and respected pioneer, died at the home of his son, P. H. D'Arcy, in this city, at 11 a. m. today.

A Big Advantage.
Stock Bros. of Corvallis will on May 1 open out at Salem, next door to Gray Bros. hardware store, one of the largest stocks of dry goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes ever offered at Salem. They will offer bargains in these lines never before realized in Salem. They are live, keen young American business men. Wait for their arrival. d-w 1t

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