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CHRISTMAS AT WHITE HOUSE

Only Official Duty of President Is the Consideration of "What Is Whiskey?"

Washington, D. C. Dec. 25.—President Taft spent most of today in consideration of the old question, "What is whiskey?" that was the only official duty he carried out.

Turkey won out over "possum" as the chief feature of the president's Christmas dinner, though both were served on the White House table. There was also a huge pie, baked by the Bakers' Union of Newark to replace the 50-pound pie that disappeared before it could be served Thanksgiving day.

JOSEPH GRAHAM HAS GONE INTO BUSINESS

A recent number of the Commercial Review has the following about a gentleman well and favorably known in this city: "Mr. J. G. Graham, who has been identified with the grain trade of this city for the past twenty years, has opened an office at 616 Board of Trade Building, this city, to handle grain of all kinds, flour and mill feed. Mr. Graham was connected with Balfour, Guthrie & Co., for over seventeen years, and for the past year and a half has been assistant manager for the Acme Mills Company. His telephone number is Main 5534 and those desiring to do business with him can easily reach him. Mr. Graham has a large circle of friends throughout the country and no doubt will receive a large share of the grain they may have for sale."

ZELAYA A NERVOUS WRECK

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Corinto, Nicaragua, Dec. 25.—Declaring that Nicaragua isn't through with him yet, and that he will soon regain his power, former President Zelaya is here ready to flee the country. He reiterated his denouncement of the United States and the part it has played in its dethronement, and again threatened Estrada and the revolutionists.

Zelaya is a nervous wreck, and will not appear on the streets without a heavy guard. He is said to fear the American officers have semi-officially tempts to escape from Corinto, but American officers have semi-officially stated that no attempt will be made to stop him, and that no orders have been received from Washington to that effect.

Zelaya declared that he hasn't a dollar that he did not receive as salary, or as the result of legitimate investment.

HOLIDAY FARES.

For the above occasion round trip tickets may be sold to points in Oregon on the S. P. and O. R. & N. Co. for one and one-third fare. Salem sale dates: December 24, 25, 31, and January 1. Tickets will be good for continuous passage in each direction. Final return limit of January 3, 1910.

Wm. McMurray, Gen. Passenger Agt.

This Is Worth Remembering. Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Remember the name, Foley's Honey and Tar, and refuse substitutes. J. C. Perry.

SENDS ENEMY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Rafael, Cal., Dec. 25.—James McCue, lifelong enemy of Wm. B. Bradbury, sent a Christmas greeting to the millionaire prisoner at San Quentin today.

"I forgive Bradbury," the prosecutor is reported to have said. "But I am not wasting any sympathy on him. And I won't advocate his pardon. Let him prove that he has reformed first, then let him pay his bills. After that I won't enter any objection to his release. He said he'd send me to the poor house. Well, I've sent him to prison instead. McCue's condition is said not to be dangerous. He was thrown from a buggy recently, landing on his head in a pile of lumber."

PRESIDENT OF HERO CLUB TO BE PRESENT

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 25.—According to a statement given out today by the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, Cortland F. Bishop, president of the Aero Club of America, late yesterday wired that he hopes to be able to accept an invitation tendered him to be present at the aviation meet scheduled for this city in his official capacity. The committee having charge of the arrangements for the meet profess to believe that Bishop's telegram is the unofficial sanction that has been in dispute because of the licensed pilot rule that the Aero Club insisted on.

A Green Christmas.

The prevailing weather during the past 16 hours was promising of a white Christmas, which failed to materialize. Yesterday evening the thermometer registered 31 degrees above and sleet was falling and freezing to the walks. Had the thermometer shown an inclination to travel up the glass a few marks, snow would have decorated mother earth in Salem this Christmas. This morning, however, nothing but sloppy sleet met the gaze of the Christmas celebrator, who expected to be greeted by a white mantle.

CHRISTMAS WEDDING OUT AT ROSEDALE

There was a Christmas wedding at noon today at the home of Mrs. Jas. Jory, one mile and a half from Rosedale, south of Salem, when Mr. August Rauch of Lyle, Wash., was united in marriage to Miss Lena M. Reynolds. Rev. J. Swain performed the ceremony, and a fine wedding dinner was served at the old Jory home.

More Danville Proof.

Jacob Schroll, 432 South St., Danville, Ill., writes: "For over eighteen months I was a sufferer from kidney and bladder trouble. During the whole time was treated by several doctors and tried several different kidney pills. Seven weeks ago I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Pills, and am feeling better every day, and will be glad to tell anyone interested just what Foley's Kidney Pills did for me." J. C. Perry.

Notaries Appointed.

The following notarial commissions were issued by the secretary of state: John C. Elliott, Damascus; L. G. Hicks, Sutherlin; L. F. Reising, Ritter; D. C. Southworth, W. J. Peddicord, T. J. Ford, Portland.

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ANOTHER STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Boston, Mass., Dec. 25.—It is believed in navigation circles here today that the fast turbine passenger steamers Yale and Harvard will be entered into competition with the present Pacific Coast Company by a new corporation, said to be in the process of formation.

The sale of the steamers is part of the plan to wind up the affairs of the Metropolitan Steamship Company by the legal purchasers of the property at the recent foreclosure sale.

The interests represented by Chas. W. Morse were the last owners of the Metropolitan line, which extends from Boston to New York, going into a receiver's hands in 1908.

INCORPORATIONS

Five articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state. They are as follows:

A. F. & A. M. Mining Company; principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$100,000; incorporators, A. Molesworth, B. M. Armigtage and W. H. Flagg.

Brogan Townsite Company; principal office, Brogan; capital stock, \$100,000; incorporators, D. M. Brogan, Edward B. O'Donnell and William K. Lowrey.

Brogan Trading Company; principal office, Brogan; capital stock, \$25,000; incorporators, D. M. Brogan, Edward B. O'Donnell and E. Irving Brogan.

Shaughnessy Investment Company; principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$500; incorporators, Frank P. Shaughnessy, Abigail L. Shaughnessy and Charles Stout.

Pacific City Canal Company; principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$1,000,000; incorporators, George Stevenson, W. H. Lang and W. W. Purdy.

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