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OUR LEGISLATURE.

Following are the facts in regard to the first Washington state legislature:

Our legislature, which convenes on the sixth day of next November will be composed of seventy members of the House and thirty-five senators. The members of the House hold office for one year, therefore at the general election to be held next year on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, these officers will be re-elected and thereafter their term of office shall be for two years from the time they are elected. The senators at our late election in the odd number districts, shall go out of office at the end of the first year, while those of the even numbered districts hold until the end of the third year, and thereafter all senators will hold for four years from the time of their election. The second legislature will meet on the first Wednesday after the first Monday in January, A. D. 1891, and biennially thereafter. After the first legislature the session shall not be over sixty days. No member of the legislature can during his term of office hold any other office civil or military, under the government of the United States wherein the compensation paid is three hundred dollars or more. The style of laws of the state shall be: "Be it enacted by the legislature of the State of Washington," and no bill shall become a law, unless, on its final passage the vote be taken by yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against the same shall be entered upon the Journal of each House and a majority of the members elected to each house be recorded thereon as voting in its favor. The members receive \$5 per day for each day's attendance during the session and ten cents for each mile traveled going and coming. The legislators is prohibited from enacting any private or special laws in eighteen particular cases, which are enumerated in the constitution. The legislature shall provide by laws for the enumeration of the inhabitants of the state in 1895 and every ten years thereafter. Very stringent provisions are made for the punishment of bribery in the legislature and a witness is not permitted to withhold his testimony on the ground that he may commit himself or subject him to public infamy, and the penalty prescribed is disqualification from ever holding any office of honor, trust or profit in the state. A member who has any private interest in any measure proposed or pending before the legislature shall disclose the fact to the house of which he is a member and shall not vote thereon. Alien ownership of land, unless acquired by inheritance or in the ordinary course of justice in the collection of debts, is prohibited, and all conveyances of lands hereafter made to any alien, directly; or in trust of such alien shall be void. Every corporation the majority of the capital stock of which is owned by aliens shall be considered an alien corporation for the purpose of the prohibition. And it shall be unlawful for any person holding public office in this state to accept or use a pass or to purchase transportation from any railroad or other corporation other than as the same may be purchased by the general public.

SOME of the eastern republicans are becoming very "shaky" on the tariff question. They no longer declare for no sacrifice of any part of the protective system, as they did last year. In the Massachusetts state convention they "support a thorough and equitable revision of the tariff, so as to adapt the protection which it affords to the changed business condition affecting New England industries in common with those of the rest of this country." How beautifully definite and specific this is.

A RECENT issue of the Oregonian contains an interesting description of Dakota's tin mines, which the paper located in North Dakota. The mines are in South Dakota, near the Wyoming line, and the present indications are that they will be worth millions of dollars to the new state.

The village of Menoken, near Bismark, North Dakota, was destroyed by a prairie fire last week. That with its summer drouths, its winter blizzards and its spring and autumn prairie blazes, Dakota is a tough country to live in.

A SAD story is published in an Oregon exchange of a young man giving his affianced a playful "hug" that made something "crack," and that the lady died soon after. Is "Jack, the Cracker" to be added to the world's list of criminals?

WHEN Tanner was dismissed from the pension commissionership a veteran in Washington City remarked that he was "trying to run a hair trigger mouth with a flintlock brain."

FRANK PINLEY, in a recent issue of the Argonaut, says that "the nomination of Grover Cleveland by the Democratic party in 1892 is a foregone conclusion."

THE Weekly Courier, published at Kelso, Wash., has passed into the hands of Alfred Davis.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

E. Bainbridge, Munday Esq., county attorney, Clay Co., Texas, says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: "He positively believes he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters."

This great remedy will ward off, as well as cure all malarial disease, and for all kidney, liver and stomach disorders stands unequalled. Price 50c. and \$1. at J. H. Moss'.

An Obdurate Man Killed.

While endeavoring to obstruct the progress of a funeral procession recently, James Lawrence, a teamster, of Portland, Oregon, 32 years of age, met his death in a manner the singularity of which lends to the occurrence a touch of the supernatural. The remains of Mrs. L. White were escorted by a large number of friends to the Jewish cemetery, and at the time of the accident was crossing south Front street bridge. Lawrence drove his team upon the bridge, and boisterously declined to move to one side to allow the procession to pass. He was unloading railroad ties, and was obdurate to all demands for him to clear the way, as a decent man should. After considerable swearing, he was induced to move on, and after the cortage passed he turned toward the spot where he had been unloading, and losing his balance was thrown beneath the wheels and was crushed to death.

The Wonderful Healing Properties of Darby's Prophylactic Fluid in Case of Accidents, Burns, Scalds, Wounds, Etc.

Its prompt use will invariably relieve pain, promote healing and prevent Erysipelas, Gangrene, or Proud Flesh. Owing to the cleansing and purifying qualities of the Fluid the most obstinate Ulcers, Boils, Carbuncles, and Running Sores are rendered pure and healthy and speedily cured, no other application being necessary.

The only place in town where you can get a hot meal at all hours is at C. H. Reed's, Main Street Chop House. He has just re-opened the house and is prepared to furnish oysters, beefsteaks, chops of all kinds, ham and eggs, coffee, tea, etc., at all hours of the day or night. Call and see him. His prices are reasonable.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla 100 Doses One Dollar

The Chief Reason for the great success of Hood's Sarsaparilla is found in the article itself. It is mercurial, and the fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla actually accomplishes what is claimed for it, is what has given to this medicine a popularity and sale greater than that of any other sarsaparilla ever before the public. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum and all Humors, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Biliousness, overcomes That Tired Feeling, creates an Appetite, strengthens the Nerves, builds up the Whole System. Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

SEATTLE, Wash. Oct. 15, 1889.

EDITOR NUGGET:—By this mail I send you a copy of the Washington Magazine which will be sent you regularly and I shall be glad if you will exchange. I will also feel much obliged if you will interest yourself in obtaining for our exhibit rooms, samples properly labeled of products from your vicinity. Samples of cereals, grass, hops, coal, timber and minerals generally will be thankfully received and will be placed on exhibition as representing your district. In connection with this your paper on file will be invaluable. The idea is to attract the attention of visitors and investors to the resources of the different parts of the state and I will see that full justice is done to each part thereof.

I am anxious to obtain these samples as soon as possible and any that your friends may collect can be sent per express—the charges for which I will gladly pay. Send packages C. O. D. I do not expect, however, to pay for the collecting of specimens, as the result of the display, which will be a permanent one, will be of lasting benefit to the sender. The samples forwarded should be such as can be preserved for a length of time, although those of a perishable nature may be sent us from time to time.

Please let me know whether you will take an interest in this work and are willing to assist me in the way I have indicated.

Yours Very Truly, ALEXANDER BEGG.

[THE NUGGET will consider it a great favor if some of our farmers will forward samples of their products to Mr. Begg, who will place them on exhibition.—Ed.]

Parents should be careful that their children do not contract colds during the fall or early winter months. Such colds weaken the lungs and air passages, making the child much more likely to contract other colds during the winter. It is this succession of colds that causes catarrh and bronchitis or paves the way for consumption. Should a cold be contracted, loose no time but cure it as quickly as possible. A fifty-cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold in a few days and leave the respiratory organs strong and healthy. For sale by J. H. Moss.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

\$30,000 feet of flooring and rustic for sale at Javan Hall's wood yard, corner First and Center streets, Chehalis, Washington.

Children

Often need some safe cathartic and tonic to avert approaching sickness or to relieve colic, headache, sick stomach, indigestion, dysentery and the complaints incident to childhood. Let the children take Simmon's Liver Regulator and keep well. It is purely vegetable, not unpleasant to the taste and safe to take alone or in connection with other medicine.

NOTICE.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Vancouver, Washington Territory, September 14th, 1889. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon and Nevada, and Washington Territory," Lewis G. Gilbert of Willapa county, Pacific Territory sworn statement, No. 129, for the purchase of Township No. 12 North, Range No. 6 West, W. M., is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Vancouver, W. T., on Wednesday the 11th day of December, 1889. He names as witnesses: Sam. Kelly, David J. Steiner, Frank Crawford, Green E. Biggs, all of Willapa, Pacific county, W. T. Any persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of December, 1889. W. S. AUSTIN, Register.

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J. D. RICE & CO.,

Corner First and Main Streets, Chehalis, Washington.

BARGAIN LULLABY:

WE HAVE GOT THE PULL.

Whoop! Here's another season come, All merchants clear the track, We're going to beat the record some, Don't try to hold us back. Whoop! Prices lower than before, New goods in stacks from roof to floor; With novelties our store is full, And that is where we get the pull.

We run to win, and don't forget The prize we want is trade, We'll make our figures lower yet Than winner ever made. Whoop! Here's the store that gives you most, You'll find we make no empty boast, But bargains big and bountiful, And that is where we have the pull.

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We desire to thank the public for their very liberal patronage in the past, and assure them that our prices will always be lower than the lowest. Were we to publish the names of our many patrons who have voluntarily admitted that we have served them well and saved them money, it would bring tears to the eyes of our would-be competitors.

Again thanking our patrons for their liberal patronage, we are Respectfully Yours,

J. D. RICE & CO., 0-0 CHEHALIS, WASHINGTON.

THE San Francisco Call is of the opinion that it will be necessary for Secretary Windom to retire from the cabinet of President Harrison.