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THE INDIAN SITUATION

Work in the Pension Department Progressing Better.

BUSINESS METHODS IN FORCE. New Administration More in Sympathy With Worthy Applicants. Commissioner Evans Running His Department on a Practical Basis.

Special Dispatch to the Post-Intelligencer. WASHINGTON, May 23.—Since Commissioner H. Clay Evans has taken charge of the pension bureau the work in that department has been very materially accelerated.

Both the senators from Washington state are flooded with letters from old soldiers whose original applications have not been decided or who have had their pensions increased.

Richard Brown, who has been a resident of Snohomish county for eleven years, met with an accident last fall, which necessitated the amputation of one of his legs.

The application of Fred T. Taylor, of Tacoma, for a pension was rejected some time since because it was not shown that his disabilities from rheumatism were sufficient to warrant a pension.

William Phillips, of Seattle, also protested that he had not been fairly treated in regard to the rejection of his claim.

James Harris, of Tolt, King county, is trying to secure a pension, but has forgotten the letter of the company of the First Missouri regiment, in which he served.

Mr. A. I. Chapman, of Vancouver, has caused the attention of the Indian bureau to be called to the condition of affairs existing among the Indians who have settled along the Columbia river in the state of Washington.

ARE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Senators Show a Wide Divergence on Tariff.

NO SET SPEECHES TO BE MADE. Senator Aldrich, Who Speaks Today, the Only Exception—Three Additions to the Steering Committee—The Burrows Memorandum as to Amendments—Finance Committee to Meet Each Evening to Hear Propositions and Decide on Submitting Them to the Senate—The Sugar Schedule Discussed—Tax on Beer and Duty on Leather—Westerners on Wool—No Talk of Bolting—The Hawaiian Treaty.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The Republican caucus today emphasized the fact that there is a wide divergence of opinion among the Republican senators as to the duty fixed in the various schedules of the tariff bill.

The land contest of E. P. McClure against William S. Phillips, involving lots 3, 4 and 5, in the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 11, township 11 north, range 5 west, Vancouver land district, has finally been decided in favor of McClure.

E. H. McAlmond, of Port Williams, Wash., is interested in the pending deficiency bill to the extent of \$25,000.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—During the last three weeks three expert metallurgists connected with the mint bureau have been conducting a secret investigation in the laboratory of the treasury department into the claims of a man named E. C. Brice that he had discovered a process for producing or creating silver and gold from the base metals.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—President McKinley said to be already ready making preparations to visit the West.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The president has remitted the sentence of dismissal imposed by court martial on Capt. Romanoff of the Fifth infantry, who after a sensational trial was convicted recently of an assault on Lieut. O'Brien at Fort McPherson, Georgia.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The president sent a cablegram today to Queen Victoria, congratulating her on the celebration of her 75th birthday.

INQUEST BRINGS OUT POSITIVE PROOF OF IDENTITY.

FRANK L. DAME IS COMMENDED.

Story of the Hold-Up Gone Over in Detail Before the Coroner's Jury—Prisoner Who Spent Two Years with the Deceased at Salem Recognizes Him—So Does Al James, of Victoria—Unknown Friend Tells About the Scar on the Dead Man's Forehead as Made by a Hatchet—Special Officer Thacker Swears to the Number of the Colt's Pistol.

Special Dispatch to the Post-Intelligencer. TACOMA, May 23.—A coroner's jury today commended Frank L. Dame for his courageous act in defending the lives of passengers on the Steierson car by killing the highwayman who has been almost positively identified as Jack Case.

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