

ABDUL HAMID MAY ABDICATE

TOTTERING THRONE OF TURKEY
IS ABOUT TO FALL.

ARMY AT CAPITAL'S GATES

Asia Minor Moslems Are Burning
and Pillaging—Two Mission-
aries Are Slain.

Constantinople, April 19.—The most serious crisis in the history of the Turkish Empire is thought to be at hand. It is persistently rumored that Abdul Hamid, forced by the uprising against the tyranny of the party in power, will abdicate the throne.

The committee of Union and Progress, representing the party of the Young Turks, with whom are allied the revolting Salonica soldiers, are endeavoring to regain the power obtained by the revolution of last July, which has been gradually undermined by the cleverness of the Sultan in getting rid of or winning over by bribes the leaders. The Salonica soldiers are at the gates of the city and threaten. The military in the



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capital is in a state of fear and no resistance is looked for.

To complicate the situation, an uprising is in progress in Asia Minor in which more than 1000 people have been slain, among them two missionaries, and untold property damage has been done.

Foreigners and many Christians have taken refuge in the consulates. The local troops and the governor are doing their best to protect the town, but there is great fear that it cannot hold out much longer against the invasion of the Moslems, who are sweeping down in large numbers.

A British warship is proceeding to Alexandretta, which is threatened by the Moslems. Several Armenian farms in that neighborhood have been destroyed.

CAN'T RECOVER FOR THEFT

Shipper Loses \$1920 in Dispute Over \$30 Freight Charge.

Olympia, Wash., April 19.—The state supreme court has decided that \$50 cash and 19 old copies of Everybody's Magazines are all that Maurice Windmiller can recover from the Northern Pacific for \$1920 worth of furs shipped by him to New York and stolen en route.

The furs were part of a \$3000 shipment from Seattle. Windmiller objected to paying the \$30 full liability freight first demanded, and finally agreed to pay \$5.05 freight and release the shipment to a value of \$1 per pound. When the freight reached the destination, it was discovered the box had been broken open, furs taken out and replaced with the copies of the magazine. The court holds that the shipper having deliberately signed the release can recover only at the rate of \$1 a pound for the goods stolen.

Will Be Our Fastest Ship.

Philadelphia, April 20.—A little vessel, which will be, when she is completed, the fastest ship in the United States navy, was launched here today. She is the torpedo boat destroyer Smith, the first of a new type. She is expected to have greater speed and a wider steaming radius than any other destroyer on the naval list.

Avalon Finds New Fish.

Avalon, Catalina Islands, Cal., April 18.—A fish nine inches long, with a beard under its mouth not unlike that of a goat, blue eyes and a "countenance" similar to that of a sheephead fish, was caught by a seaman today.

State Timber Holdings Valuable.

Olympia.—The state of Washington today owns \$58,000,000 worth of timber. Such is an estimate just made by Land Commissioner E. W. Ross, at the request of Senator Piles, who desired the information in connection with the debate over the lumber tariff.

UTAH'S UNIQUE BUILDING

Will Represent Ancient Indian Style of Architecture.

Seattle, April 20.—The contract for the erection of the \$30,000 Utah state building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition has been let and work on the structure is to begin at once. Governor Spry, who has been in Seattle for several days, has returned home.

The Utah building will be unlike any other on the grounds. It will represent a style of architecture that was used by the Hopi Indians in Southern Utah, who flourished contemporaneously with the cliff dwellers. The exterior of the building will be plastered in imitation of adobe. Quaint old carts and implements of the Pueblo Indians will be placed on the grounds, and the whole will be in striking contrast with the classic and renaissance types to be seen elsewhere at the exposition.

WILL EMPLOY 13 LAWYERS

Beach Hargis Will Spend \$40,000 for His Defense.

Jackson, Ky., April 19.—When the second trial of Beach Hargis, charged with the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis, was called at Erling, Ky., today, one of the 13 attorneys for the defense will be a woman—Mrs. William A. Young. Her husband, who was one of the attorneys who recently secured the acquittal of Edwin Gardner in San Francisco for the murder of a negro, will also act for the defense. This will be the first time a woman attorney has appeared in an important case in Kentucky.

Hargis has at his command \$40,000 for his defense. This includes all of his mother's part of the estate left by the parent whom he killed.

Alaska Miners Starving.

Nome, Alaska, April 20.—News from the Kuskwim, derived from late arrivals at Kaltag and the Russian mission, is that there is much suffering in that country from lack of provisions. Beans and flour now constitute the bulk of all available supplies for food and these are held at high prices. Relief expeditions are being formed to relieve the prospectors.

Captain Hains' Trial Is Begun.

New York, April 19.—What may prove to be the closing scene in a tragedy of national interest began today in the courtroom of the supreme court in Flushing, N. Y., when Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., was called upon to plead before Judge Garretson to the charge of murdering William E. Annis at Bay-side on the afternoon of Aug. 15 of last year.

LAST OF POSTAL FRAUDS

Nearly All Remaining Indictments Are Dropped.

Washington, April 20.—United States District Attorney Baker has abandoned six cases growing out of the sweeping postoffice department investigation of 1903. Among the cases dismissed because of lack of evidence are the indictments against August W. Machen, who was general superintendent of the free delivery service; Thomas W. McGregor, who was one of his assistants; Maurice Runkle, charged with conspiracy in connection with the contracts for mail bags, and indictments of Machen, George H. Huntington and Isaac M. McKiehan, involving contracts for package boxes.

The indictments charging bribery of government officials, which were returned against McKiehan, Huntington, John T. Kupper and William C. Long also were nolle.

Hailstones Are Heavy.

Des Moines, Iowa, April 19.—A terrific hail and windstorm struck Des Moines and Central Iowa Sunday. Plate glass windows in downtown stores were blown in and cellars were flooded. At Stuart, hailstones weighing half a pound fell, doing much damage to peach buds.

Mrs. Longworth Nervous.

Washington, April 21.—Mrs. Alice Longworth is reported to be suffering from nervous prostration. Although she goes out as a part of the remedy toward restoration, she has not been in company recently and does not receive guests. Her condition is, however, not regarded as serious.

Honor "Baseball's Father."

New York, April 20.—In the presence of baseball men of high and low degree and others interested in the national game the monument to the late Henry Chadwick, the "father of baseball," was unveiled today in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

Dickinson Off for Panama.

Charleston, S. C., April 21.—Secretary Dickinson and party sailed today on the President's yacht Mayflower for Panama. The secretary expects to get back to Washington about the middle of May.

New Game and Fish Laws

The new game laws have been published and, they are as follows:

No one in the state shall hunt, kill or injure partridge, any variety of quail, Chinese ring necked, Hungarian, golden or English pheasant before the 30th day of September, 1912.

No person shall take, capture, trap or kill in Eastern Washington, or have in their possession any trout, bass, perch, pickerel or pike, between November 1 and May 1 of the following year. No one shall sell or offer for sale any game fish taken from private hatchery.

No person shall take from any lake, stream or brook any trout except native mountain brook trout or bass, which shall be less than six inches in length. If accidentally caught they must be put back. No one shall catch or kill more than 20 pounds of trout, bass or perch in one day, nor have more than 30 pounds in his possession.

Hon. R. A. Thayer received a letter from State Road Commissioner Snow the fore part of this week, stating that calls for bids would be published in the Spokesman-Review and Colville papers as soon as the snow is off sufficiently for contractors to inspect the line, which is state road No. 2, and for which the legislature appropriated \$25,000. This road extends from Orient, Ferry county, by way of Marcus, Colville, across the Calispel mountains to Tiger, and thence south to Newport. The greater part of the appropriation will be expended in building the road from Colville to Tiger, where no road exists at the present time. Mr. Snow has requested Mr. Thayer to advise him as to when the snow will be off sufficiently so that the contractors can make a trip over the road.—Reveille.

"North Pacific Coast Country" is the title of an extraordinary publication, 100,000 of which have been issued by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and Washington is naturally given the greatest prominence. Page after page of illustration accompanies a story of the state, its cities and important resources, such as will certainly attract innumerable homemakers. Mentioning the Inland Empire the book says: "In the Inland Empire can be seen some of the most productive wheat, fruit and vegetable farms in the world, while many progressive towns and small cities appear."

The Bonner county commissioners have voted to expend \$5000 from the general road fund for the repairing of the Priest lake road, the work to be done under the supervision of the commissioners.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Spokane, Wash.,
March 17, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that James B. Gregory, of Newport, Wash., who, on May 18, 1904, made homestead entry No. 16291 (02285) for 3/4 SW 1/4, NW 1/4, Sec. 22, Township 31 N., R. 4 E., W. 4 M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Sidney W. Rogers, U. S. Commissioner for the Eastern District of Washington, at Newport, Wash., on the 9th day of June, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: E. G. Sherman, S. C. Deeter, Thomas Carey and E. B. Gregory, all of Newport, Wash.
4-22 5-27 Hal J. Cole, Register.

YES!
THIS SPACE
Belongs to
J. R. Patterson

It would seem that there are no Methodists or Indians in Newport who wish to buy land, for my chickens and dogs still live. Though I have offered to kill them for your benefit, and it seems nobody has any Yankee trading blood in them. But that need not make any difference. I will sell land to you if you have got the money and not ask you any questions. \$55 per acre takes the whole ranch. Soil two feet deep on the average. 1 mile of river front and 40 miles of view. Near enough to town for all conveniences; far enough away to keep out of most of the rows. Can get to town 4 ways and get back 5.

5 miles down the river and a chicken dinner at the end of it.

J. R. PATTERSON
NEWPORT, WASH.

Why Jones Bought an Acre Tract in the Jaynes Addition!

"Give me that tract number 29," said Jones as he pointed a long bony finger at the map.

He said, "I am tired of paying rent and living in a house that is not to my liking. I am a carpenter and contractor and if there is anything I dislike is a poor job of carpenter work. Now I will build me a house and it will be a dandy.

"FIRST I thought that I would buy a lot, then I got that reaching out feeling and decided I wanted more room, so I decided that I would buy an Acre. Then too I am going to plow up this ACRE and put it in potatoes, and that alone will pay me good interest on my money. NEWPORT IS GROWING and an acre tract this close to town, in fact adjoins the town, will some day be worth a whole lot more than I am paying for it.

There has been thirty four lots sold in this addition to date

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- One 12x16 Engine.
- One 65 h p Boiler.
- One 52" inserted Tooth Saw.
- Two 47" Solid Saws.
- Three 16" inserted Tooth Edger Saws.
- One Fay and Eagan Planer.
- One 20" inch Band Saw.
- One 30 Light Dynamo.
- One 1/2 H. P. Electric Motor.
- One 16" Pelton Water Motor.
- 28 Car Wheels.
- One 3x3x2 Moore Steam Pump.
- One 25" cast iron Propeller.
- One 36" bronze Propeller.
- Pulleys, Shafting, Boxes, Hangers, Bar Iron, Pipe and Fittings, always on hand.

We put all machinery in perfect running order before it leaves our shop. We will be pleased to give a full description and lowest price on anything in this list.

Thanking you for a careful perusal of this list and soliciting your patronage, we are
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NEWPORT, WASH.

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Newport, Wash.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS JOHNSTON, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present them to me for allowance at the office of Jas. M. McDonald, Newport, Stevens County, Washington, within 90 days after the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.
Date of the first publication of this notice, April 8, 1909.
Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Johnston, Deceased.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Spokane, Wash.,
April 10, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that Jane G. Fowler, of Scotia, Wash., who, on March 3, 1904, made homestead entry No. 16078 (02223), for Lots 2, 3 and 4, Section 4, Township 30 N., R. 4 E., W. 4 M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Sidney W. Rogers, U. S. Commissioner for the Eastern District of Washington, at Newport, Wash., on the 9th day of June, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: Dan Crandall, of Newport, Wash.; Ira S. Troyer, of Fenrit, Wash.; Joseph Harshaw, of Newport, Wash.; J. Victor Sandstrom, of Fenrit, Wash.
4-15 5-20 Hal J. Cole, Register.

POLK'S GAZETTEER

A Business Directory of each City, Town and Village in Oregon and Washington, giving a Descriptive Sketch of each place, Location, Shipping Facilities and a Classified Directory of each Business and Profession.
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SEATTLE, WASH.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STEVENS—IN PROBATE.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Johnston, Deceased—Notice to Creditors to File Claims.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Johnston, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of August, 1908, by the said superior court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them with the necessary vouchers to me at the Security State Bank at Newport, Washington, within one year after the date of this notice, or they shall be forever barred.

Dated at Newport, Washington, this 8th day April, A. D. 1909.
FRED STEVENS,
Administrator.

47-4 P. O. Address, Newport, Wash.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STEVENS—IN PROBATE.

In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Van Deusen, Deceased—Notice to Creditors to File Claims.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William H. Van Deusen, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of March, 1909, by the said superior court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them with the necessary vouchers to me at my residence at Newport, Washington, within one year after the date of this notice, or they shall be forever barred.

Dated at Newport, Washington, this 8th day of April, A. D. 1909.
REBECCA A. VAN DEUSEN,
Administratrix.

47-4 P. O. Address, Newport, Washington.

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Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Spokane, Wash.,
April 10, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that Mary M. Humphrey, of Fenrit, Wash., who, on Nov. 1, 1907, made homestead entry No. 18511 (03456), for 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, and Lot 2 of Section 12, Township 31 North, Range 4 E., W. 4 M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Sidney W. Rogers, U. S. Commissioner for the Eastern District of Washington, at Newport, Wash., on the 9th day of June, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: Dan Crandall, of Newport, Wash.; Ira S. Troyer, of Fenrit, Wash.; Joseph Harshaw, of Newport, Wash.; J. Victor Sandstrom, of Fenrit, Wash.
4-15 5-20 Hal J. Cole, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Spokane, Wash.,
April 10, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that Alphonse Koblott, of Scotia, Washington, who, on May 6, 1904, made homestead entry No. 16261 (02372), for Lots 2, 3 and 4, Section 4, Township 30 N., R. 4 E., W. 4 M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Sidney W. Rogers, U. S. Commissioner for the Eastern District of Washington, at Newport, Wash., on the 9th day of June, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: Alexis Guisagaitis, John Guisagaitis, William Inmon and George Veit, all of Scotia, Wash.
4-15 5-20 HAL J. COLE, Register.