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SQUIRE AND FILTH - POLITICS AND POLLUTION.

It is hard to touch pitch and not be defiled. Any quantity of filth is evidently clinging about at least one of Squire's henchmen in Chehalis county. The only trouble is, speaking of the man as a politician, the politician is apt to be proud of it, being in his native element.

We refer to what is called the exposure in last Sunday's Tacoma Globe, of the methods claimed to have been pursued to secure the defeat of Henry C. Cooper for the state senate by Squire and his Chehalis county man Friday.

The Globe makes out a pretty strong case against E. C. Finch of having received money from Squire to secure the election of Squire men at any cost, and at the same time charges B. F. Johnston, the democratic candidate for senator, with bribery, upon an affidavit made by Contractor Nelson. This is the old charge revived. Mr. Johnston has already stated, through the Herald, that there was not a word of truth in it, and the only evidence adduced against him is the affidavit of Contractor Nelson. Contractor Nelson, in his affidavit, coolly swears to having accepted money for a purpose that honest people would in plain language call a bribe; and the man who can be bribed, is just as apt to be lying—for a consideration—as telling the truth when he makes an affidavit. If he can be bought by one side, he can by the other.

Mr. Johnston is absent from the city; but we have his word, the word of a man of well known business integrity, against the word of a man who confesses to having accepted money for questionable purposes, that there is no word of truth implicating him in this mess of political filth turned over by the republicans in their ardor over the Squire-Calkins controversy. When Mr. Johnston returns, it will then be time to hear from him. Too close a personal relation with the politician whose methods are too well known here to be looked upon with anything but disgust, and whose only ability is that of defeating the candidate whose cause he espouses, is the most serious charge that can, we believe, be substantiated against Mr. Johnston.

Politics, no doubt, makes strange bed-fellows; but Mr. Johnston should have known the consistency of pitch.

THE GREAT AMERICAN JOSS.

Occasionally some isolated American finds time to deprecate the pursuit by the American people of the image of the eagle bird stamped on the wheels of fortune, from the silver one to the twenty dollar gold piece. It is dollars to your wife's first doughnuts that the community will continue in the race with accelerated pace, but it is well to reflect what they are losing. To the next generation enjoyment of life will be an unattainable possibility. The coming man and woman may be well-perfected money-getting machines, but their capacity for the good things of life will be nil.

"But," the hustler tells us, "it is better to wear out than to rust out." This is wisdom that could scarcely be wiser. But is it better to wear out with your nose to the grind-stone of business in the hope that a few more ounces of "dust" may be ground out to weight down your old age and divided with your lawyers after your bones are fertilizing the dust from whence they came?

Let us get what money we can without sacrificing our individuality; but let us not forget that there is no richer man than he who realizes and enjoys the most of the world around him. Money-getting, of course, is a pleasure as well as a business to many; and to a great many, their only pleasure. But the man of moderate means, with his books, with his brooks, with his sermons,—such as this,—with social intercourse, free from plots, profit and planning, opens for himself worlds into which the millionaire can never venture; because he is a specialist, money-getting is his forte; outside of that he is a burden unto himself and an ogre to his fellow men.

BIG GUNS FOR COAST DEFENSE.

The chief of the bureau of ordnance, Gen. S. V. Benet, in his recently submitted annual report, notes that a twelve inch breech-loading steel rifle is now nearing completion at the Watervliet arsenal, and will probably be ready for

trial in February. This is the largest size of modern gun yet attempted to manufacture, and is being put in shape by the government. These guns will be sixteen inch steel guns, weighing 1,000 pounds each, requiring a full firing of 1,000 pounds of powder of the description at present used, and throwing a projectile over a ton in weight.

It is expected that these guns will have a maximum range of about fifteen miles, and a muzzle power equal to the penetration of three feet of iron. The plans of the fortifications board call for forty four of these guns for the defense of ports of the first importance, with the idea of manning our future coast defenses with guns of heavier caliber than are now made for the largest ironclads, and which the highest authorities declare it is impracticable for them to carry and work. It is altogether probable, too, that before these guns are completed, or the forts in which they are to be placed will be ready for them, we shall have found and adopted a practicable smokeless powder, affording much greater penetrative force than the explosive agent at present employed, and giving the defense an immense superiority to any means of attack at present known.

It is figured out as a result of the recent elections that the republicans lost thirteen seats in congress by gerrymandering, thirty-eight by the farmers' alliance, and nine by various local issues, as prohibition and the Wisconsin school law. The tariff question was among the least of the causes. It did, indeed, cost the republicans some votes in the East, where the manufacturers want all the protection for themselves and are unwilling that the producers of raw materials shall have any of it, but in the West, where the great losses were caused by the action of the farmers' alliance, the tariff question was scarcely thought of. This is the testimony of the alliance men, who say that their action is based on a purpose to change the financial and monetary system of the country.—Oregonian.

Every paper, almost, brings us reports of fresh outrages committed by White Caps. If the authorities are powerless to stop these lawless raids, every man ought to be a law unto himself. If these alleged correctors of public morals were received sometime at the muzzle of a Winchester in the hands of a man who knew how to use it, an effect would be produced that might be wholesome to the community. Two wrongs never make a right. The law should correct all infringements upon its rules, and the inherent right of every man is to protect his person from mob violence by any means within his power.

Tacoma has just been struck with a wave of goodness and morality. The Alpha opera house in that city has just been transformed into a variety theatre. After the first performance, a few evenings since, the proprietors were notified by the chief of police to close up business, on the ground that the public morals demanded it. Harry Morgan's must be a highly moral show, it would seem, for it still continues business.

"Milk has raised," remarked the dispenser of lacteal fluid, as he deposited the usual quart at our back door the other morning, "and it's all owing to the McKinley bill." Now, if the McKinley bill will just go a little farther and make the cream raise on the aforesaid fluid, we will go back on our democratic proclivities and become its ardent supporter.

One result of the President's message was that the republican senators all voted to take up the Federal election bill. This makes an interesting situation which may be summed up as follows: The republican leaders are determined and enthusiastic in their policy, with which a large majority of their party is in accord; a minority are indifferent, but willing to support the bill as a party measure, while a few republican senators are believed to be opposed to the bill, but they will in the end probably vote for it for fear of being accused of a lack of courage. The democrats enter the fight without republican allies and will depend on their own efforts. They will restrain themselves until the republicans attempt to cut off debate and force the bill through, then they will resort to any and every parliamentary method, no matter how desperate, in order to filibuster against the change of rules which is necessary before the bill can be passed. This will precipitate one of the sharpest and bitterest fights that ever took place in Congress, and the winning side is in doubt, with the chances slightly in favor of the republicans, but, if on the question of a change of the republicans vote with the democrats it will reverse the chances.—Washington Correspondent.

The Herald suggests to the members-elect of the new city council the importance of having signs put up with the names of the streets and avenues thereon. A large number of people are newcomers, and beyond knowing the name of the street upon which they reside, their knowledge of the city's thoroughfares is nil. For strangers, it is even worse, and our city dads would call down blessings on their heads if this suggestion were carried out. We would also call attention to the advisability of numbering the principal thoroughfares. Let us begin to learn that we are no longer a village but

a young and vigorous city, and put on the ways of a city, in so far as at least as the naming and numbering of our streets.

Olympia is now enforcing the ordinance closing the saloons on Sunday, and the bottle and jug brigade on Saturday night work like heroes. Even the wink at the drug stores seems to have lost its effect.

The senatorial contest is this: Squire has developed so much strength that it raises a stentorian in the nostrils of all decent republicans. With Calkins it is the senatorial floor or a characteristic failure. The chances were never better for the other man—that is, the one who hasn't been heard from yet.

Come in and get your ticket. All subscribers paying up before December 1st, can take advantage of any one of our offers elsewhere, or of the new one, which is to entitle them to a chance in a 56 piece tea set at The Fair, or a chance in a beautiful doll there or a complete smokers' set. Call at The Fair and see the articles.

The Same Old Story.

Editor of the Bazaar: Does it pay to advertise in my paper? Well, I should say it does. Look at Smith, the grocer, for instance. He advertised for a boy last week, and the very next day Mrs. Smith had twins—both of them boys!—Life.

The Congregational Fair.

The fair, held Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week at the rink, by the ladies of the Congregational church, was a signal success in every particular. The attendance was large and all present thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The gem of the entertainments was, of course, the fancy May-pole dance given by the young ladies and gentlemen of the Fortnightly club, which was one of the prettiest stage pieces ever presented before Aberdeen amusement lovers. The performers were the recipients of hearty applause at the dropping of the curtain, which was well deserved, as the preparation therefor involved much time and effort. The booths were stocked with all sorts of handsome and useful articles, and there found a ready sale to eager purchasers. A toothsome lunch was partaken of by many during the evenings, and at the Japanese booth delicious tea was served by handsome ladies from the Orient. The total receipts were almost \$300, which sum was very gratifying to those who had the matter in charge. All enjoyed the Congregational fair.

The Bridge Matter.

The matter of the bridge on Heron street, across the Wishkah river has been finally settled, and the structure will be commenced as soon as possible. In chambers Monday Judge Irwin rendered a decision declaring illegal the last action of the county commissioners making the span 100 feet. This leaves the matter just where it stood originally, and consequently the span is to be 125 feet. The work on the bridge will be pushed to completion as fast as possible, a fact that our friends on the east side will greatly appreciate.

Trunks, valises, blankets and comforters will have to go in the next thirty days from Herman Wise's.

Has Come to Stay.

J. M. Hagerty, of Ashland, Wisconsin, is among the late arrivals in Aberdeen. Mr. Hagerty is so well pleased with what he sees that he will locate permanently among us. He will enter the real estate business, opening an office on Heron street, two doors east of the bank of C. T. Wooding & Co. Mr. Hagerty is a live, energetic business man, one of that class which is a valued addition to any community. He shows his sound judgment by his selection of a future home.

To "Herald" Our Advance.

The Christmas number of the Herald will be a full and complete record of Aberdeen's advancement during the year in every department of progress. Five thousand copies will be distributed at home and in the east. Orders for additional copies or for special advertisements should be in by the 17th inst.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—A dispatch was received yesterday from Baltimore announcing that George H. Beiser, of Brooklyn, had become heir to a vast estate there valued at \$500,000. The property came through relatives who emigrated from France in the days of the Huguenots. Mr. Beiser is an accountant in a Fulton street clothing house. Bruce's Law and Inquiry Agency, of Chicago, prosecuted his claim.—Louisville Courier-Journal, Nov. 27.

We are Mr. Beiser's lawyers, and by him seeing our advertisement became the agents of his good fortune. If your ancestors came from the old country, write us and enclose \$1 for our list of heirs. There are more than half a billion dollars in Great Britain and Germany, unclaimed, which rightfully belong to people in the United States. BRUCE'S LAW AND INQUIRY OFFICE, 164 and 166 Randolph st., Chicago, Ill., U. S. A.

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The Hospital Fair.

Tonight begins the fair for the benefit of St. Joseph's hospital. Though our citizens have had considerable demands upon their attention, this is an event which should not by any means be overlooked. The object for which it is intended is a most worthy one, and deserves our consideration. The good sisters are doing a most noble work among the sick and needy, with no hope of reward save the pleasure of well-doing. So patronize the fair and place a credit mark in your conscience ledger.

On tomorrow night Company K will give an exhibition drill, and a sword and belt will be voted to the most popular officer. On Friday night a handsome gold watch will be presented to the most popular man in town, to be decided by ballot, and other means of entertainment will be had to make the time pass pleasantly away. You will be sorry if you do not attend the fair.

The Cash Store will pay the highest cash price for ranch eggs.

SUMMONS.

State of Washington,) ss. County of Chehalis,) In Justice William E. Keyes' Court of Aberdeen.

To James Hennessy: You are hereby notified that James Hennessy has filed a claim against you in said court which will come on to be heard at my office in Aberdeen in Chehalis county, Washington, on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1890, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. and unless you appear and then and there answer, the same will be taken as confessed and the demand of the plaintiff granted together with the costs of suit and interest. The object and demand of said claim is to recover of you the sum of twenty-six dollars for goods sold and delivered, as per your request. Claim filed October 26th, A. D. 1890. WILLIAM E. KEYES, Justice of the Peace.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, SEATTLE, WASH., August 22, 1890.

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, Nevada and Washington Territory," Fannie J. Kearney, of Aberdeen, County of Chehalis, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5871, for the purchase of the S. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of Section No. 8, in Township No. 20 N, Range No. 9 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of the land office at Olympia, Wash., on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1891.

She names as witnesses: Frank Wyman, Charles Hulet, J. S. Wyman, W. M. Hulet, all of Aberdeen, Chehalis County, Wash. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of January, 1891. T. M. REED, JR., Register.

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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, Nevada and Washington Territory," Mattie Kearney, of Aberdeen, County of Chehalis, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5872, for the purchase of the S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of Section No. 32, in Township No. 21 N, Range No. 8 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of the land office at Olympia, Wash., on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1891.

She names as Witnesses: Frank Wyman, Charles Hulet, J. S. Wyman, W. M. Hulet, all of Aberdeen, Chehalis County, Wash. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in the office on or before said 15th day of January, 1891. T. M. REED, JR., Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OLYMPIA, WASH., November 19, 1890. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Superior Court for Chehalis County, at Montesano, Wash., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1891, viz: Andrew Stuessy, Pre. D. S. No. 2627, for the N. W. 1/4 of Section 2, Township 16 North of Range 3 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James Davis, Raymond H. Scooby, Charles Riemer, Herman Wundram, all Cosmopolis, Wash. GEO. S. MILLS, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, OLYMPIA, WASH., October 14, 1890.

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, Nevada, and Washington Territory," Sarah R. Parsons, of Aberdeen, County of Chehalis, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 4578, for the purchase of the lots 7 and 8, of Section No. 6, in Township No. 20 N, Range No. 8 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Olympia, Wash., on Wednesday, the 11th day of February, 1891.

She names as witnesses: Alex Young, Chas. Dipman, Wm. Anstie, Clayton Royce, all of Aberdeen, Wash. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of February, 1891. GEO. G. MILLS, Register.

Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, OLYMPIA, WASH., October 14, 1890.

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, Nevada and Washington Territory," E. R. Wall, of Aberdeen, County of Chehalis, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 4580, for the purchase of the N. E. 1/4 of Section No. 33, in Township No. 20 N, Range No. 8 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Olympia, Wash., on Thursday, the 12th day of February, 1891.

He names as witnesses: E. S. Williams, Wilson Brown, Colin Hamilton, Wm. Parker, of Aberdeen, Wash. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 12th day of February, 1891. GEO. G. MILLS, Register.

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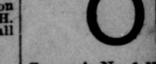
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