

NEWS FROM THE STATE.

Brief Summary of the Happenings in Our Sister Counties of Oregon.

There is talk of a beet sugar factory being established at Oregon City.

The Salem city council has voted \$48,000 more of bonds at 5 per cent.

A movement is on foot at Grant's Pass to build a road to the mines along Jump-Off-Joe creek.

H. N. Northrup, of Portland, has been appointed judge advocate general of the Oregon state militia.

Albany is making great preparations for the reception of the convention of college Y. M. C. A. which meets in that city January 5, 6 and 7, 1894.

A heroic statute to Gen. James Shields, once appointed governor of Oregon, was unveiled in the statutory hall of the United States last week.

McMinnville college is preparing four young men for the foreign missionary field. They are Messrs. Williams, Witham, Cook and Huguette.

It is claimed that 9,000,000 people saw Oregon's world fair exhibit and that 250,000 books, pamphlets and circulars descriptive of the state were distributed there.

The Eugene board of trade has appointed a committee to draft a memorial to congress asking for the improvement of the Willamette to Eugene. The first thing to do is to elect a republican congress.

Hon. M. Wilkins, one of Oregon's United States world's fair commissioners, was stricken with paralysis at his home in Lane county a few days ago. He is 76 years of age. He shows no signs of improvement.

Some parties shipped about 3,000 head of sheep from Pendleton to Onah and realized only \$1 a head for them. Even at that price they are worth more than the campaign roosters the Pendleton people wore in their hats last fall.

At Canyon City a team drawing a wagon loaded with butter and barb wire ran away and mixed up the load so badly that the owner could not sort it out. The barb wire was fatally injured, but there is hope that the butter is strong enough to recover.

It is reported from Josephine county that Mr. Drew, owner of the Jump Off-Joe mine, was shot and seriously wounded by the sheriff of that county. The trouble grew out of Mr. Drew refusing to let Mr. Chapman, the newly appointed receiver for the mine, take possession.

Six hundred fresh young voices made a concert of sweet sounds last Monday evening in the armory at Portland. It was the first festival of sacred songs given by the Portland Sunday School Choral Union, and about 1,200 auditors heartily enjoyed it.

The expenses connected with the convicting and hanging of John Reiter, at Astoria, amounted to \$2284. No wonder the economical people of the south wink at lynchings, when a worthless man runs up such a bill against the taxpayers in getting off the earth legally.

J. L. Cowan, president of the defunct Linn County National bank at Albany, was arrested Saturday night by Deputy United States Marshal Humphrey in Portland, under the indictment returned against him several days ago. His bonds were fixed at \$1,000, which he furnished.

F. E. S. Norris was arrested at Dayton, December 11, for raping a seven-year-old girl. Norris admitted the crime and had the matter all settled with the father of the child by deeding over his property to the girl. But the sheriff got wind of the transaction and arrested Norris.

Mrs. Gen. H. Williams, the leading religious fanatic in Portland, has just completed a fast of forty days and many of her followers are now in process of doing the same thing. Several parents have been arrested for requiring their small children to fast for many days in accordance with her teachings.

At 10 o'clock Tuesday morning the conspiracy-to-smuggle-Chinese case, with 21 defendants was called in the United States district court. The work of impaneling a jury occupied the morning session, and was not finished until 12:25, at which hour a recess was taken until 1:30 o'clock, when the hearing of evidence was commenced.

About six weeks ago one Rev. Josiah Crouch appeared in Prineville, says the Review, and a few weeks ago he was elected pastor of the First Baptist church. He being a minister and a smooth talker it was easy for him to gain the confidence of his congregation and borrowed \$52 to send to his mother. But he used the money for another purpose—to pay his way out of the country—without arranging to settle with his creditors.

The way wheat can be turned into grease and the grease into coin is thus told by the Medford Mail: "To fully substantiate the fact that Rogue river farmers are making a good thing this year by growing hogs, let us cite this: Last Monday Jack Anderson drove 66 hogs to Medford, which in weight averages 301 pounds each. These were sold to the Southern Oregon Packing Company at 5 1/2 cents per pound—and Mr. Anderson went home with over \$1000 in his inside pocket as a result of the sale. How does this compare with 40-cent wheat? Let us cite another instance: S. A. Carlton brought 56 hogs from his Antelope ranch last week, which averaged 242 pounds each, and which were sold at 5 1/2 cents per pound.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11, 1893.

Mr. Cleveland doubtless feels that his tariff bill needs bolstering up, and that accounts for the space he devotes to it in his message to congress. It is not for the democratic members of congress that he intends his arguments in favor of the tariff monstrosity which he has compelled the democrats of the house ways and means committee to father, but for the business interests of the country which have kept the telegraph wires hot with protests against the proposed outrage ever since it was made public a week ago. He doesn't mind the opposition from democratic congressmen; he knows by experience that a few appointments judiciously placed will silence the most of that. It is the aroused public sentiment of the country that he fears.

Democratic senators and representatives who have been among their constituents since the close of the extra session bring no consolation to the administration; on the contrary, they bring news of the most doleful nature. At a private conference of the administration democrats held one night recently it was generally admitted that the next house of representatives would almost certainly be republican. Instead of that knowledge making them more conservative, as it would wiser men, it has made them more determined than ever to force the whole administration program through congress, regardless of consequences.

Republican leaders take little or no stock in the idea that discontented democrats will aid them to modify the Cleveland tariff bill. They have heard democratic senators and representatives talk one way and vote another too often to place any reliance upon them.

They intend, however, that the debate on the bill shall make plain to the country the full extent of the damage such a law will inflict upon every man in the United States. Owing to the house rules and that the house committee on rules is completely under Mr. Cleveland's thumb, it is certain that the bill will be railroaded through the house with but a semblance of general debate, but Mr. Cleveland does not control the senate which has rules that will be changed to aid in hurrying this bill through; under which full debate may be had. If democratic senators choose they may with the aid of the solid republican vote, which they can easily get, if they ask for it—it will not be tendered to them—remove some of the ruinous sections of the bill; but few republicans are counting upon their doing anything so sensible.

It is not yet certain when the Cleveland tariff bill will be reported to the house. A resolution adopted by the house just before the close of the extra session provided that the republican members of the ways and means committee should have ten days from the time they were furnished with a complete copy of the bill to prepare their report against it. If that resolution is to be binding the bill will not be reported to the house until well into next week, as the republicans have not yet been furnished a complete bill—the international revenue part of it has not been finished by the democrats, and the figures of the treasury department showing the estimated effect of the proposed bill on the revenues of the country were only furnished them today. The astounding statement is, however, unofficially made that the democrats will make a separate bill of the international revenue changes, in order that the ten days may date from last Monday, when the tariff schedule was first made public. To do such a thing would be manifestly unfair.

The reason why the international revenue part of the tariff bill has not been completed is that Mr. Cleveland and his heretofore willing tools, the democrats on the ways and means committee, have locked arms over the proposition to include therein an income tax, to which Mr. Cleveland is opposed. Up to this time all efforts to reach a compromise have been unsuccessful, and some shrewd men are predicting that the income tax will be the rock upon which the Cleveland and anti-Cleveland democrats in congress will split for good and all. We shall see.

The administration men are talking in a mysterious way about a new treaty with China, which the administration is negotiating. They claim so many things for this treaty that it will perhaps be better to wait and ascertain how much truth there is in their claims. Many statesmen have tried to get the best of the wily Chinese diplomats, but up to date none have succeeded to any marked extent, and Mr. Gresham is hardly the man to make a good job, even if he had a good foundation to build upon.

Beware of ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

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Nelson Brothers, of the Occidental shaving parlors, are doing first-class work and their trade is thereby increasing every day. Baths in connection with the shop.

FROM ALL THE WORLD.

Items of Interest About People and Things Carefully Corralled.

Chehalis owes \$50,000, perhaps more.

The pope's health is very feeble, and it is not believed he can live until March.

A "conese" report of the world's fair in twenty-five volumes is to be published.

The Boston supreme court has decided that an attachment by telephone is not legal.

Yellow fir, such as grows in profusion in Oregon, is being tried in Paris for street paving.

Prospects are bright for early agreement between Russia and Germany on a commercial treaty.

The duke of Oporto, brother of the king of Portugal, is one of the finest flute players in the world.

An effort is being made in Tacoma to raise money to clear the debt of \$5,650 from the Children's Home.

The Prince of Wales has been nominated grand master of the English Freemasons by the grand lodge.

The great new bridge across the Thames, opposite the Tower of London, is now very nearly finished.

A great railway system in the course of construction will girdle the Holy Land from one end to the other.

The Puyallup Indians have platted an addition to the city of Tacoma. It will be called the Columbia addition.

The strike of the carpet weavers in the Kensington district, of Philadelphia, affects between 8,000 and 10,000 people.

Directum, Flying Jib, Alex, Little Albert, and several less noted trotters and pacers are now en route from the east for California.

The Minnesota supreme court has decided that the sale of butterine in that state is illegal unless the article be colored pink.

There is a gigantic scheme to connect New York and Chicago with an electric railway. The time can be shortened ten hours.

At Princeton, Ky. Miss Lulu White, a society belle who prided herself on her athletic powers, died from a strain received in carrying a barrel of bacon on a wagon.

The inquest on the remains of Professor Tyndall resulted in a verdict of death from an overdose of chloral, administered by his wife in mistake for sulphate of magnesia.

Ex-Governor Jacob Benson Jackson dropped dead at his home in Parkburg, W. Va., Monday afternoon. He was a cousin of Stonewall Jackson. He was aged 63 years.

Rev. J. J. Moore, senior bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church, died Dec. 9th. He was the oldest bishop of any denomination in America, being 90 years of age.

It is announced that the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad has been sold to the Big Four, giving the latter an independent entrance into Chicago. The transfer is to be made in February.

A horse standing 17 hands, owned at Calusa, Cal., trotted a quarter recently over the Colusa track in 31 1/2 seconds, pulling 360 pounds, and his owner thinks he owns the 2-minute horse.

Charles Robert Thorne, the veteran actor, is dying at his residence in San Francisco. He is 83 years of age, and the father of Charles Thorne, the celebrated actor, who died about 10 years ago.

Owing to the sickness of one of the jurors in the Evans case on trial at Jackson, Amador county, Cal., the trial has been postponed until January 22. The jurors who were sworn in are now demanding their pay.

Plans for the state capitol building have already begun to arrive in Olympia. New York and other eastern architects will submit plans. Inspection will be made on December 14, and the awards will be announced very soon thereafter.

According to a Tacoma paper, Lieutenant Elliott and his three comrades, who rescued the Carlin party, have received \$50 each for their services. As they expended more than this from their own pockets, the profit of the transaction is not apparent. General Carlin offered \$500 reward, but it is not forthcoming.

The three cornered billiard tournament at fourteen inch balke line, Schafer, Ives and Slosson, contestants, opened Dec. 11th, in Concert hall, Madison Square garden. Ives and Slosson met in the opening game. Ives won by a score of 600 to 500 in two wins, averaging fifty. Slosson's average was 41.

The noted poisoner, Dr. Henry F. Meyer, who is charged by life insurance companies with poisoning people in various parts of the country for the purpose of getting insurance on their lives, is on trial for his life in the New York court of oyer and terminer, together with his wife, who it is claimed was a party to the crimes.

St. Louis, Missouri, is facing a water famine unprecedented in its surrounding circumstances. The Mississippi, from which the supply is drawn, is the lowest ever known at this season of the year. But one in-take is under water and several of the city engines are pumping wind into the conduits. The cause is the blocking of the Missouri at Hermann, Missouri, and the Mississippi at Alton, Ill., with ice.

THE BROWN-PAINTED WOOD-BOX.

(An original parody on "The Old Oaken Bucket.") How linger in my mind the scenes of my childhood, As thinking them over will bring them to light; The croak, the spring, the handle, the willowwood And even the stars as they pecked down at night, The croak as it rippled through field and through hollow,

The errands to run and the dinner to call, Oh! how oft against will the stock I must allow, And fill the old wood-box that stood by the wall; The queerly made wood-box, The wire-bound wood-box, The brown-painted wood-box that stood by the wall.

After working all day with brain or with muscle, Then when I'd come home as cross as a bear, The wood-box would always seem tickled to see me And still have that same significant stare.

Oh! how I would long for the gasoline heaters And pick the stove heating out in the rain; But this wish would fill like all other fancies And leave me to fill the old wood-box again.

That horrid old wood-box, That dreaded old wood-box, That brown-painted wood-box with pine chips again, Oh! how oft would I try to evade that stern duty Of filling the wood-box ere I went to bed; And the method of making that egg-like safety Was often a puzzle to my youthful head.

Oh, dear! how he sometimes would cut up and squall, But to one would I quiet the baby To filling the wood-box that stood by the wall; That empty old wood-box, That never filled wood-box, But still useful wood-box that stands by the wall.

The old useful wood-box, what memories cling round it, I ne'er shall forget the place where it stood; Right back of the stove there, so snugly surrounded Although long removed from that dread irksome duty,

I shall never forget my stern parent's call "To leave my play, come to the house quickly, And fill up the wood-box" that stood by the wall. The wire-bound wood-box, The box that still stands in its place by the wall. —C. F. DITMAR.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court, of the State of Oregon, for the County of Benton. Jane Harris vs. M. W. Wilkins, et al, Defts. Suit in Equity to Foreclose Mortgage.

To Ed Teske, one of the defendants herein: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served in this county; or if it be served within any other county of this state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; or if you be served by publication of summons, then on or before Monday, the 26th day of April, 1894, it being the first day of the regular April term of said court for 1894. And if you fail to answer, or want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for relief prayed for in the complaint, namely:

For a decree in favor of Jane Harris against M. W. Wilkins and E. E. Wilkins for the sum of \$101.50 in U. S. gold coin on the note first set out in the complaint with interest, in like gold coin, from the 25th day of October, 1893, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum and for the sum of \$25.00 attorney's fees, and for a decree in favor of said Jane Harris on the second note, set out in the said complaint, of \$122.20 in U. S. gold coin, with interest in like gold coin, from the 25th day of October, 1893, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum and for the sum of \$16.00 attorney's fees, and for costs and disbursements of this suit against said defendants, M. W. Wilkins and E. E. Wilkins; and a decree in favor of plaintiff herein, setting out all said defendants, foreclosing the mortgage set out in the complaint, and decreeing that the mortgage premises therein described, to-wit: all of Block eight in Wilkins' Addition to the City of Corvallis, in Benton County, Oregon, excepting lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 4, and 5, be sold by the sheriff of Benton County, Oregon, in the manner prescribed by law for the sale of real property, on execution; and that the proceeds arising from said sale be applied first to the payment of the costs and expenses of such sale, and of this suit, including the attorney's fees allowed and decreed therein, in favor of plaintiff. And next to the payment of the amount decreed to be due the said plaintiff herein, as above prayed for. And if said premises do not sell for the amount so to satisfy the same in full, then that the same be applied to the payment of the amount decreed to be due plaintiff herein, and for the deficiency, that she may have execution against any other property of the defendants, M. W. Wilkins and E. E. Wilkins, that at such sale the plaintiff have the right to become the purchaser.

That the defendants and all persons claiming through or under them or either of them, be forever debarred and foreclosed of all rights, title, interest, estate, lien, or equity of redemption of, in, or to said premises, save only the statutory right of redemption; and for such other or further rule, order or relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable. This summons is published in THE CORVALLIS GAZETTE for six weeks as to the defendant, Ed Teske, by virtue of an order of the Hon. J. C. Fullerton, Judge of said court, made at Corvallis, Ore., in open court Nov. 20, 1893. F. M. JOHNSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

J. FRED YATES, Attorney at Law. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney. OFFICE—in Zierold's Building, Corvallis, Or.

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