JOURNAL "X" RAYS.

Directed Upon the Oregon Politicians and Public Men.

In the hands of a receiver—playing the nickel-in-the-slot-machine.

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Women are bound to get their rights. It's a shame they are not allowed to vote and play nickel-in-the-slot-machines.

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One hundred dollars reward for the man who will invent a public teat that will kick a man off when he has had enough.

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Of course, no Salem minister will preach from Rev. Mathew's texts printed in April 1 JOURNAL. They will find those texts no April fool hereafter.

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The Salem Independent heads one of its columns as "editorial comment." Editor Fletcher ought to label himself: "I am an editor," One would think, to look at him, he owned a brewery.

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Willst du den Hans Guckinsland heute begleiten auf seiner Reise? Probiere es.—St. Joseph's Blatt. Nein lieber Here; bitte entschuldigen Sie den JOURNAL Redackteur.

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There are no holes in the big bridge at Salem through which President Wallace of the Salem Water company would fall. But we warn the county judge to keep off that bridge.

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Oregon City physicians are quarrelling over diphtheria and disputing each other's diagnoses. There is no instance of reduction on the bill.

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Times Mountaineer: Hon. H. W. Corbett, our would-be senator, is still hanging on the ragged edge of a senatorial seat at Washington, but he is hanging on; that's all.

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Max Pracht of Ashland governor of Alaska? Why not: Gall must be recognized.

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How can Bro. Irwin, state superintendent of schools, ever occupy a pulpit again if what Governor Lord says is true? He will have to get absolution first in some way.

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A telegram says Portland is soon to have a Democratic morning paper. There is to be campetition for the Oregonian at last. Scott had better change from Clevelandism to Republicanism.

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The Roseburg Review prints following dispatch:

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Ex-Senator John H. Mitchell, of Oregon, has been appointed Ambassador to Mars, with instructions to aid in bringing out an inter-planetary agreement on the financial question. He will leave on the first train.

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It is feared Governor Lord will not get any more praying done for him by Rev. Irwin, state superintendent of schools, and will have to rely entirely on General Odell.

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Representative Guild's Sheridan "Sun" says: There will doubtless be an extra session of the Oregon legislature. A majoriy of the members will undoubtedly go to Salem to organize and pase remedial legislation, without reference to the senatorial aspirations of certain individuals, who may wish to block legislation in their own interests.

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THE JOURNAL has not received any seeds or congressional records for a month. The government might as well not exist as to cut off the supply of those things.

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The most curious publication in Oregon is Lucy A. Mallory's "The World's Advance Thought and Universal Republic." It advocates abstinence from flesh food, and teaches that animals have souls.

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Portland is certainly a paradise for gamblers and thieves and shady of all kinds and variety.—Tomahawk. Is that why your paper is so popular there?

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There is one discouraging feature about the failure of the legislature to appropriate for charitable institutions. It will make a great many additional amateur home entertainments necessary.

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The windbag Max Pracht is not a proper man to represent the Republican party of Oregon as governor of Alaska, A cast off German, by name a Russian Jew in appearance and ill-bred into the bargain; whew!

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The Corvallis Gazette has swallowed up the Philamoth Journal, and is now the only Republican organ in that sounty. It is Mitchell to the core.

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The defeat of silver and the prospect of the tariff policy has not, as yet, deluged the country with prosperity.—Baker Democrat.

Give McKinley time. He has been in office a month today and done fairly well so far. Rome was not built in a day!

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Do you see that pale look on the Stateman editor's brow? He has been composing another heavy editorial on dogs.

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Some are still inclined to doubt that ex-Governor Fletcher of the Independent has any right to that title. If they could see the vote he got when he ran for that office in Dakota thep'd shut up.

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The men most spoken of in the Oregon press of late are: Ford, Scott, Corbett, Bush, Lord, Fitzsimmons and Kincaid.

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Some of our exchanges seem to think these items are not original. A subscriber asks why we do not print some jokes in our paper.

STATE NEWS.

Lane county has 7106 persons of school age.

Cattle are reported to be dying in Lorane valley for want of food and shelter.

It is reported that there is from fifteen to twenty feet of snow in the Bohemia mines.

Archie Bridges, of Parkers Station, Oregon, committed suicide by shooting himself in the neck with a shot gun on April 1. He was 79 years old.

As an illustration of how money circulates one piece of gold which has been bent has been paid into the Lane county tax collector several times this season.

John Fiestet, Dick Fiester and William Eutid are in jail in Grant's Pass charged with burglary having broken into James Devaney's smokehouse in Martin.

W. Evans, while in Pendleton Tuesday from Pilot Rock, reported that a man living at Weeb slough, about three miles beyond Nye, choked to death last Friday.

The town of Fossil is considerably excited this week over the discovery of gold about one mile from town, on top of the hill above Squire Donaldson's ranch, says the Journal.

The Southern Pacific tie-preserving plant at Latham started up after an idleness of several months. The plant will be kept running night and day, giving employment to a number of men.

Earnest Shearer came into The Dalles the other day from Crook county, where he had been buying sheep to drive east. He succeeded in gathering up 24,000 head. and having bought them before the price raised will, no doubt, realize a good profit.

There are 247 over school age attending public school in Lane county. 287 teachers are employed. There were 193 applicants for certificates and only 91 granted. The salaries paid male teachers was $35.49. Females received $29.95

Francis Spencer, father of Jesse Spencer, died at the residence of his son, Eli Spencer, in Blodgett's valley, Benton county, last Tuesday forenoon. The funeral took place yesterday, and the interment was in Pleasant Valley. cemetery, on Greasy.

Charley Spaulding, of Newberg, "the log man," has a monopoly in the balm log business. He has a contract with the Oregon City pulp mill company to get out 10,000,000 feet of balm logs for their mills, with the privilege, if he desires, to get out 2,000,000 feet more logs. The Oregon Pulp Mill Co. furnish the other pulp mill company in that city with what logs they use.

Orgon New star mail service sdhedule is as follows: Lyons to Jordan Leaves Lyon daily, except Sunday, at 10:30 a. m. arrive at Jordan by 12:30 a. m. leaves Jordan daily, except Sunday, at 8 a. m. arrive at Lyons by 10 a. m. This will take effect April 15 1897, Andrews McDermitt. Leave Andrews, Wednesday at 6 a. m. arrive at McDermitt in 36 hours; leave McDermitt, Monday, 6 a. m. arrive at Andrews in 36 hours.

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Pen Picture of a Noted Salem Criminal Lawyer.

[Special correspondent Oregon State Journal.]

Hon. Tilmon Ford, commonly called "Til. Ford" or "Old Til Ford," is a man of very great individual character. He has been a lawyer, in Marion county, for ever so many years, but our people are doing him an injustice in calling him "Old Til" for he is not so very old—anywhere around 60, I should guess—and a bachelor. He is one of Oregon's "big men" mentally and physically—taller than Barkley, but not so broad-shouldered. He always wears a long overcoat or mackintosh but never put its on—just throws it over his shoulders with one button fastened. His hair is usually tolerably long and no particular style of combing it and on his chin are short straight. dark brown whiskers chooped off square to about two inches in length. The stub of a cigar, seldom lighted, he holds in one corner of his mouth as he talks. Slow, careful, thoughtful and when thoroughly aroused eloquent at the bar. For 20 years the leading criminal lawyer of Salem and surrounding country he has become rich and has saved a very great many men the disgrace of prison stripes—men who, as he expresses it "didn't intend to do wrong; no they didn't; no they didn't," always repeating the important thought for emphasis. A man of temperate habits and innocent hobbies, one of which is to roll ten pins. He enjoys going to a circus and wandering around the outside of the tents looking at the horses, the construction of the wagons, manner of fastening the tents, habits of the employes and a thousand little things that ordinary persons would not notice. He sees everything and puts things away in his mind for future use at some trial. He is a queer man about whom a book could be written, so odd are his ways. The qualities most to be admired in his make-up are honesty, individuality and regard for the feelings of his fellow men. He is a man who would not intentionally injure even his enemy.

Severe Blizzard.

OMAHA, April 2.—The severest blizzard, of the entire winter, has prevailed for the last 25 hours in Western Nebraska and adjacent territory, and has completely stopped all traffic on the three Omaha railroads—the Burlington, the Union Pacific and the Rock Island—in that section. The interruption to train service and the best means of getting the the trains through engaged the entire attention of the officials, of the Union Pacific headquarters. The storm extended along the Union Pacific lines in Colorado, Wyoming and Kansas. The only part of the system on which trains were moved was between Omaha and Sidney, Neb. The overland limited is snowbound at Hillsdale, Wyo. The fast mail is lying helpless in a snow drift near Sidney, this state.

The passengers on the snow-bound trains are suffering no discomfort, one of the first orders going from headquarters being that the passengers should be well looked after, and that no expense should be spared to make them as comfortable as possible under the circumstances.

The weather reports of the Burlington & Missouri lines showed great depths of snow in Wyoming, Colorado and South Dakota. Belmont reported six inches, Custer three, Deadwood fifteen, and Holyoke four.

Great piles of snow cover the plains of Western Nebraska In the eastern part of the state great quantities of rain have fallen during the last 48 hours. All the streams are bank full, and the danger of floods is increasing hourly.

Chased the Burmuda.

MIAMI, Fla., April 3.—Passengers from Nassau on the steamer Monticello report the chasing of the filibuster Burmuda by a Spanish man-of-war off the Bahama group, on Wednesday. She outdistanced the Spanish cruiser, and made for Cuban waters. The particulars could not be learned.

Jubilant.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The Spanish legation has received offical dispatches from Madrid, under the date of April 1st, announcing the most decisive engagement on the Philippine islands since the insurrection began. The officials of the legation are highly gratified at the announcements, and state that the results practically close the conflict in the islands.

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Will Run All Right on State Paper.

W. H. Byars, superintendent of the Oregon soldier's home, at Roseburg, spent Tuesday in the city, and took the evening train for Milton. He came up to take from Milton, John Savage, an old soldier who is sick and will go to be an inmate of the home at Roseburg.

Superintendent Byars informed the East Oregonian that the soldiers' home will probably experience no difficulty on account of the failure of the legislature to organize, as people have expressed a willingness to furnish all supplies needed on state paper to be honored when the legislature shall meet next time. It was the intention of the board to ask the legislature for an appropriation this session for improvements. Superintendent Byars said there is need of more quartes, for at least 100 additional inmates, and it was for this the special appropriation was to be asked. During the past two or three years, a hospital costing $6000 and a barn costing $600 have been built with no special appropriation from the legislature. This was done with money sayed from the amount which has been at the disposal of the board for the conduct of the home.

From the general government the home receives for each old soldier kept for at least one year $100 per annum. Many of the soldiers who are at the home draw pensions from the general government, and these are required by the board home to turn over all of this pension money excepting $4 per month, which amount the soldiers are allowed to retain for the purchase of such luxuries as they may desire.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

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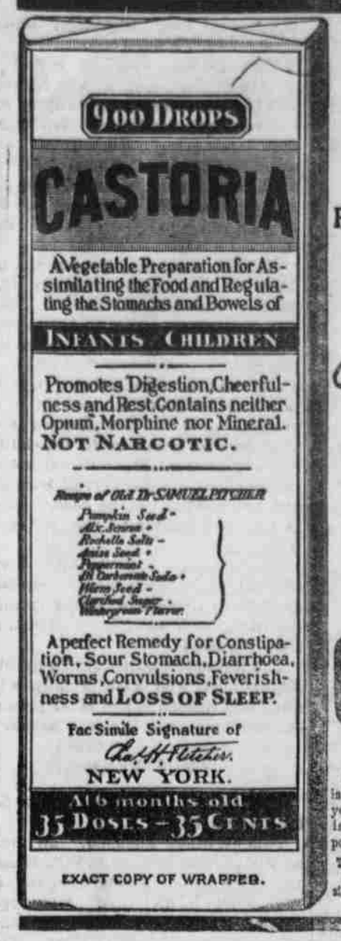

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