

The Weekly Chronicle.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF WASCOCO COUNTY.

There is a bill pending in congress providing for the issuing of postal fractional currency, in denominations of 5, 10, 25 and 50 cents. This is intended to furnish the public with a convenient form of money for transmission through the mails.

It is reported that a movement is on foot, with its headquarters at Pittsburg, to girdle the earth with a series of religious conventions on the 1900th anniversary of the Christian era.

Professor Joseph B. Witherbee, writing in the Popular Science Monthly, calls for universal reform in penmanship. He says the demand among business men now is for style of penmanship that can be written rapidly and that can be easily read.

The kind of hand that will fill the bill Professor Witherbee finds in the straight up and down style, the letters being written without tendency to slant in any direction.

In England the reform has so far progressed that the civil service examiners require the upright writing on the part of applicants and will accept no other.

The application of power through triple screws in large ships is an innovation, and its results in the Columbia are watched with intense interest by the entire civilized world.

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A well known writer, recently returned from India, expresses great fears for the future of English and American women. He apprehends that they will eventually resemble the people of a hill region above the Brahmaputra Valley.

cleverness to bear upon the clearness of her complexion, upon the freedom of her graceful figure, and upon the perfection of her health, as well as upon her art or her profession.

An eminent electrician is quoted as authority for the opinion that "there is no danger from lightning if an umbrella be carried during the storm and brass chains hung from the ribs."

CURRENT PRESS COMMENT.

An observing exchange says that when a man yells "bread or blood," you can generally expect a compromise with him on beer.

"What shall we do with our cranks?" asks a cotemporary. Well here in the east we usually lock them up.

No kissing ever occurs in Japan except husband and wife, not even between mother and child, no shaking of hands in salutation.

Our American liberties are in peril. If congress fails to check this usurpation, then, by the Eternal, the people will take it in hand.

MARKET REPORT.

FRIDAY, Dec. 1.—The stormy weather has thoroughly demoralized traffic in all its various branches, not only from the interior, but locally.

The produce and provision market is steady. The only thing noticeable is a weakening tendency in the egg market, and as the supply is quite sufficient for the demand, prices have shrunk somewhat.

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COFFEE—Costa Rica, is quoted at 24c per lb., by the sack. Salvadore, 23 1/2c. Arabuckles, 25c.

HIDES—Are quoted as follows: Dry, 2 1/2c lb; green, 1 1/2c. SHEEP SKINS—25 to 50 ea. Deerskins, 20c lb for winter and 30c for summer.

badger, 25c; polecat, 25c@45c; common house cat, 10c@25c ea.

WARDING OFF SEA-SICKNESS.

Keep Moving and Don't Eat Much the First Day After Sailing.

There are countless remedies suggested to the seasick traveler by means of which hope of speedy recovery is held out, and to the intending traveler by sea it is safe to say that there are given any number of supposed-to-be sure preventives of this troublesome but never dangerous illness.

OLD-TIME RIVER TRADE.

Everybody Used to Depend Wholly on Steamboat Transportation.

One of the most difficult problems the old citizen can be asked to solve is the present position of the river toward the commerce of the city. A quarter of a century ago, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, it was everything. It was both the feeding and distributing artery.

UNDER THE WEATHER.

A Realistic Picture of Her Majesty Queen Anne.

Those outside of a palace may feel Shakespeare's sentiment: "There's such divinity doth hedge a king;" but it is hardly possible to those inside.

"Her majesty was laboring under a fit of the gout, and in extreme pain and agony, and on this occasion everything about her was much in the same disorder as about the meanness of her subjects.

"I was much affected at this sight, and the more when she had occasion to mention her people of Scotland, which she did frequently to the duke. What are you, poor mean-like mortal, thought I, who talks in the style of a sovereign!

Sheep Lost.

Lost on the range between the head of Mill creek and Tygh Valley, 160 head of ewes and lambs, branded S. H., ear mark crop in right, swallow fork in left.

SOLOMON HOUSE, Tygh Valley, Or.

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Curers of BRAND Hams and Bacon, Dried Beef, Etc. ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county...

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ESTRAY TAKEN UP. One black pony, branded either 5 or 8 on left hip and left jaw. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 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."

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 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 Register and Receiver at the Dalles, Or., on December 11, 1893, viz:

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THOMAS A. HUDSON, Successor to Thornbury & Hudson, 83 Washington St., THE DALLES, OR. If you want information concerning Government lands, or the laws relating thereto, you can consult him free of charge.

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