

THE OREGON MIST.

SUBSCRIPTION, \$1.00 PER YEAR.

ST. HELENS, JANUARY 1, 1892.

VOLUME 9, NUMBER 1.

With this issue THE MIST begins the ninth year of its continuous publication. This is volume nine, number one, commencing on New Year's day, 1892. THE MIST was established in 1883 and has been published once a week ever since that time.

The rumors of war grow thicker and thicker all the time. The United States is making all possible haste in preparing her navy and army for action against Chili, and the latter country seems equally determined not to apologize for the killing of the United States steamer Baltimore's sailors in Valparaiso, Chili.

degrees below zero of Nebraska, Kansas, and the Dakotas. Of course, if he could not be induced to stay a few months, he would get over his disgust, become a genuine webfoot, and fight any proposition to have better roads because of "taxes."

There is no use trying to dodge taxes, nor to get rid of them. It cannot be done. Taxes are sure as death. Instead of continually contending against them, it would be much better to try and discover some better plan of raising the money to pay them with than going twice or thrice over a bad road to market when once over a good road would serve the same purpose.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 25, 1891. Secretary Blaine says, and he certainly knows, that notwithstanding the numerous startling and alarming rumors prevalent there are no new developments in the Chilean difficulty. It is believed that the synopsis of the report made of the investigation by the Chilean authorities of the attack upon the sailors of the Baltimore, which was published in a number of American newspapers Wednesday, is correct, but nothing can be done until the official report, and if it comes by mail, which is probably owing to its length, it may be several weeks before it gets here.

DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds were recorded in the office of the county clerk during the month of December, 1891: United States to S M Renstedt, s/w 1/2, n/w 1/2, sec 6, T 7 N, R 3 W; patent. United States to S M Renstedt, lots 3, 4, sec 6, T 7 N, R 3 W; patent.

ROADS AND TAXATION.

The Roseburg Plaindealer sums up the road and tax question in the following: Our correspondent, instead of trying to better his condition by improving his surroundings at an increase of tax and an increase in the valuation of property, and by increasing facilities for getting full loads to market, seeks rather to economize by reducing the expenses and keeping the country in a state of statu quo—as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be mud without end, etc.

Hot Griddle Cakes.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder possesses a peculiar merit not approached by that of any other baking powder. It produces the hot buckwheat, Indian or wheat cakes, hot biscuit, doughnuts, waffles or muffins. Any of these tasteful things may be eaten when hot with impunity by persons of the most delicate digestive organs.

CASH STORE! W. J. MUCKLE & CO. General Merchandise, Crockery, Glassware, Queensware, Boots, Shoes, Ladies' Dress Goods, Furnishing Goods, LUMBER, SHINGLES, ETC. Produce Taken in Exchange. It Will Pay You to Consult Our Prices. RAINIER, OREGON.

the majority in the senate is such a slim one. Secretary Elihu, whose nomination has been unanimously confirmed by the senate, arrived in Washington yesterday.

The announcement of the sudden death of Hon. J. A. J. Crosswell, of Maryland, who was postmaster general during the whole of the first and a part of the second term of President Grant, which occurred at Elkton, Maryland, on Wednesday, is deeply regretted here, where he had many warm personal friends.

Senator Sherman, just before the adjournment of congress to January 5, introduced the bill, which was unanimously reported from the foreign affairs committee at the last session, providing for the guarantee of \$100,000,000 of the bonds of the Nicaragua Canal Company.

Senator Hansbrough introduced a bill authorizing the postmaster general to extend, when practicable, the free delivery system to rural or farming communities and to expend such portion of the amount that may hereafter be appropriated for compensation of postmasters and for star route transportation as may be necessary to carry out this act.

The following is a report of school district No. 2, (St. Helens) for the month ending December 25, 1891: Days attendance, 939; days absent, 35; times tardy, 25; pupils enrolled, 49; daily average attendance, 47. Pupils in the first grade who were not absent during the month, are: Robert Cooper, Frank Moore, Arthur Moore, Tom Muckle, Newton Sundry, Albert Henshaw, Mary Burke, Tillie Muckle, Eugene Whitney and Nellie Decker.

Hot Griddle Cakes.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder possesses a peculiar merit not approached by that of any other baking powder. It produces the hot buckwheat, Indian or wheat cakes, hot biscuit, doughnuts, waffles or muffins. Any of these tasteful things may be eaten when hot with impunity by persons of the most delicate digestive organs.

United States to G P Blair, ne qr, sec 15, T 8 N, R 5 W. State of Oregon to J Hossa, lot 10, sec 32, T 8 N, R 4 W. State of Oregon to C Klenninen, sec 29, s/w qr, sec 29, s/w qr, lot 3, sec 32, T 8 N, R 4 W.

United States to Henry Bahr, e/w sw qr, sec 20, T 7 N, R 5 W. United States to H A Ra or, e/w sw qr, lot 1, 2, sec 20, T 7 N, R 5 W. United States to L Lovell, e/w sw qr, ne qr, sec 10, T 11, sec 17, T 11, R 5 W.

The following is a report of school district No. 2, (St. Helens) for the month ending December 25, 1891: Days attendance, 939; days absent, 35; times tardy, 25; pupils enrolled, 49; daily average attendance, 47.

Persons who visited the school are: Elmer Whitney, S. A. Miles, Cleora Searcy and Ed Watts. C. H. JONES, Teacher.

REUBEN. E. Wingert, our real estate agent, has sold his claim at Reuben to a Mr. Gildner, of Portland. L. Archibald is around again after nursing a felon for a week. T. C. Fowler purchased the horse that was raffled here last week. Get your plowing done this fall and be in time for an early spring.

Hot Griddle Cakes.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder possesses a peculiar merit not approached by that of any other baking powder. It produces the hot buckwheat, Indian or wheat cakes, hot biscuit, doughnuts, waffles or muffins. Any of these tasteful things may be eaten when hot with impunity by persons of the most delicate digestive organs.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES. 140 FIRST STREET 140 UNDER THE GILMAN HOUSE. J. M. MOYER & CO.

- Lot No. 2000. Dark Gray Tweed Suits. At \$ 8 50. Lot No. 2010. Brown Cheviot Suits. At 10 00. Lot No. 2020. Brown Cheviot Suits. At 12 00. Lot No. 2030. Brown Cheviot Suits. At 13 50. Lot No. 2040. Brown Cheviot Suits. At 14 50. Lot No. 2050. Brown Cheviot Suits. At 15 00.

- Lot No. 2000. Black Wide Wale Suits. At \$16 00. Lot No. 2010. Dark Brown Tweed Suits. At 17 50. Lot No. 2020. Black Cheviot Suits. At 18 00. Lot No. 2030. Black Cheviot Suits. At 20 00. Lot No. 2040. Black Cheviot Suits. At 22 50.

J. M. MOYER & CO., Successors to Brownsville Woollen Mills, 140 FIRST STREET, CORNER ALDER, PORTLAND. STRICTLY ONE PRICE. NO DEVIATION.

THE RETAIL MERCHANT is the necessary Medium of Trade between the Manufacturer and the Consumer. He must protect the interest of his customers by purchasing in the lowest and best markets, and by selling to his patrons at the Lowest Possible Prices.

W. H. DOLMAN PROPRIETOR OF THE OLD ST. HELENS STORE, In keeping these true principles of trade always in view; often leaves the old track and strikes "across lots" for Bargains for his customers. His stock of General Merchandise is being enlarged by New Goods Every Day.

UNCLE MYERS, THE PORTLAND JEWELER. IMPORTER AND DEALER IN Diamonds, Clocks, Watches, Jewels, and Optical Goods. Fine Watch and Jewelry Repairing. Orders from the Country Solicited. 165 First Street, Between Morrison and Yamhill, Portland, Or.

MUCKLE BROS., Dealers in all Kinds of Lumber, Lath and Pickets. Paints, Oils, Glassware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps. Dry Goods and Groceries, FEED AND HAY. General Merchandise. MUCKLE BROS., ST. HELENS, OREGON.

Patents. Scientific American Agency for PATENTS. For information and particulars apply to MUNN & CO., 37 Broadway, New York. Send for our free book on PATENTS.

DAVIES, The Photographer, First and Taylor Streets, PORTLAND - OREGON. Work and prices that cannot be beaten.

THWAITES, The Photographer, CABINETS - \$2.50 PER DOZEN. CARDS - \$2.00 PER DOZEN. 187 and 189, First Street, Portland Or.

Portland Seed Co., (F. W. MILLER, Mgr.) SEEDS, TREES, Fertilizers, Bee Supplies, Spraying Apparatus and Material, Poultry Supplies, Etc., Etc. 171 Second St. Portland, Oregon. Send for Catalogue. nov30-6m

IRALDA Is now making regular round trips from OAK POINT TO PORTLAND Daily Except Wednesdays, LEAVING OAK POINT 4:40 A. M. ST. HELENS 5:50 " KALAMA 7:00 " ST. HELENS 8:00 " ARRIVING PORTLAND 11:50 "

RETURNING LEAVE PORTLAND 1:00 P. M. ARRIVE ST. HELENS 7:45 W. E. NEWSOM, C. R. HART, Proprietor.

St. Helens Meat Market Fresh and Salted Meats, Sausage, Fish and vegetables. Meats by wholesale at special rates. Express wagon run to all parts of town, and charges reasonable.

THE MODEL SALOON. J. S. CLONINGER, Prop'r. ST. HELENS, OREGON.

Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars. Beer 5 Cts. Billard and Pool Tables for the Accommodation of Patrons.

CALL AROUND. Do You Drink? OF COURSE YOU DO.

"THE BANQUET" Keeps constantly on hand the famous Cuban Blossom Cigars. The finest line of Wines, Liquors and Cigars to be found in the hands of a Portland. And if you wish to engage in a game of POOL OR BILLIARDS, They can assure you that they have the best table in town. Everything new and neat, and your patronage is respectfully solicited.

"THE BANQUET" 81 Helens, Oregon. CONSPIRACY CURED. An old physician, retired from practice, having found the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested his wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Davies, 831 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Scientific American Agency for PATENTS. For information and particulars apply to MUNN & CO., 37 Broadway, New York. Send for our free book on PATENTS.

DAVIES, The Photographer, First and Taylor Streets, PORTLAND - OREGON. Work and prices that cannot be beaten.

THWAITES, The Photographer, CABINETS - \$2.50 PER DOZEN. CARDS - \$2.00 PER DOZEN. 187 and 189, First Street, Portland Or.