

OREGON MIST.

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TAKE your home paper. Do not imagine the big dailies fill up all the space. There are many little crevices of good cheer, social sunshine and personal mention in a home paper that the dailies do not care for, do not print.

BUSINESS men should bear in mind that the right advertisement at the right time, in the right place will always produce the right result. The right time is now, the right place is in THE MIST, and the right results are sure to follow.

THERE is every indication that Mr. Reed will go into the convention with the solid support of the New England states. Outside of New England, however, he has considerable following, and it would not be surprising if the vote of New York was cast for him when the time comes to cease trifling with the name of Mr. Morton.

A NOTABLE illustration has recently been given of the tendency to think that what we have at home is not so good as something of the same kind that we can get from a distance. The new State House in Rhode Island is being built of Georgia marble, while it is not, however, good enough for similar use in Georgia, as the new state house there is to be built of stone from Indiana.

A LEGITIMATE newspaper is a business of value to the community in which it is published, and as such is the pleasure and pride of its patrons; but when a newspaper pretends to do the work of upbuilding, to which word it is a disgrace, and in its effort to be little legitimate competitors, deals in trifling and little personalities, then it is a disgrace to the profession to which it claims membership.

THE chestnut regarding the building of the Astoria railroad is gradually fading away. There seems no longer a shadow of doubt that the road will be built. There is today a large force of men at work in the vicinity of Tongue Point with teams, plows and scrapers, also a force of men are at work at the tunnel at that place. We have been informed on good authority that the contract provides that the grade shall be completed by April 1, next, on the first ten miles leaving Astoria. This looks encouraging; more so, indeed, than ever since work of construction has actually begun.

THERE is no question but that the newspapers of any town or city may be the most effective possible agency in its development and prosperity. The effort or influence of either individuals or organizations are at best but spasmodic and transient, but the newspaper works on steadily and incessantly. The individual agitator reaches only a comparatively limited field of opportunity—only those to whom particular effort may be extended—but the newspaper reaches out in every direction and carries its influence to hosts of unknown and unsuspected watchers of opportunities.

THE Durrant case drags wearily along in San Francisco and promises to continue for some time yet. It has almost worn the attorneys in the case out, to say nothing about the court and jury. Mr. Deuprey, principal counsel for Durrant, was forced to take his bed and summons the doctor, and in consequence thereof a recess in the proceedings has been taken for a few days. The attorney is not the only person affected by the case, indeed the whole country is sick of the affair, and Durrant, who has withstood the ordeal for so long without showing the least symptom of weakening, is now said to be getting nervous, and no wonder. There is not one man in ten thousand but would have been a raving maniac long ago under the circumstances.

The silence which prevailed in the court room Tuesday morning while Judge McBride was delivering his charge to the grand jury was evidence that taxpayers generally were interested in what was being said along the line of economy. The court made no mistake in recommending to the jury that they consider well all matters presented to them in connection with alleged crime, and be certain, beyond a reasonable doubt, that the evidence in all cases is sufficient to convict before returning into court a true bill. "You must not," says the court, "allow personal grievances of a frivolous character between neighbors to enter into the case and take up the time of the circuit court as well as the grand jury. In cases where there is doubt as to the sufficiency of evidence I would recommend that you refer to the justice of the peace for investigation, and perhaps thereby save great expense to the county."

THE GRAND LODGE.—The grand lodge Knights of Phythias of Oregon was held in Salem last week and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. A. Waddle, supreme representative, Portland; E. P. Geary, G. C. Medford; Turner Oliver, G. V. C. La Grande; G. F. McConaell, G. K. R. S. Portland; E. M. Sargent, G. K. R. S. Portland; Otis Patterson, G. P. Heppner; R. H. Greer, G. M. A., Hillsboro; Harry School, G. I. G., Portland; Charles Fellows, G. O. G., Portland. The next session of the grand lodge will be held at Baker City.

OREGON has just entered the eastern markets as a producer of prunes, which California was supposed to have a monopoly. Several carloads of excellent Italian prunes have been sent to New York from Oregon, this year, and the dealer who gave this information is quite enthusiastic over their quality. Prunes are perhaps the most popular of the products of California orchards, and their growers have felt safe from competition outside that of their own state. That Oregon should now appear as a producer of the fruit which finds favor here will doubtless cause them some surprise. The price at which Oregon fruit was sold here averaged about \$1 per crate, which left the grower about 50 cents out of which to pay for packing, boxes, labor and cultivation, etc. The fact that Oregon is producing merchantable

NEWS NOTES IN GENERAL

Pointed Paragraphs for Pertinent People.
Indians Predict a Severe Winter—Shipment of Fruit from the Pacific Coast.

As near as can be ascertained, it is believed that there are now 17,000 men engaged in mining in the three states of Oregon, California and Washington.

The largest sizes of Oregon dried prunes are selling in the Eastern markets for 7 1/2 to 8 cents per pound. This price should give our growers on the average 6 cents a pound.

There is every reason to believe that the farmers can now raise large quantities of oats, for there's nothing to feed them to except bicycles, and bicycles are not overly fond of oats.

The state board of school commissioners have been a suit against the Albany college for the foreclosure of a mortgage for \$5,533. The suit will not interfere with the running of school.

An old Indian sage of the Okanogan country predicts a long cold winter, because the Great Spirit is angry with men for stealing his lightning and slaughtering and eating the cuitans he gave them.

The proper time for a girl to marry is after she has counted up her cash and found that she can support herself in case her husband turns politician—or goes into the newspaper business.

The Warm Spring Siwash, says the Prineville Review, are making it tropical for the United States signal service this fall. We hear a number of them predicting upon the weather, most of them claiming that there will be hiyu noon, hiyu cold, hiyu minaluse cuitan.

The Smiths are not in it. A marriage recently took place wherein Chas. W. Brown and Miss Ida Brown were married at the residence of the bride's father, J. Brown, at Brownville, by the Rev. Geo. Brown. The best man was Fred Brown, and the bridesmaids were Lottie Brown and Edith Brown.

A writer in a magazine says that the earth would be heated more than a hundred and ninety thousand degrees by being suddenly stopped; that it would become more than sixty times as hot as melted iron. Any man, who knowing these facts, attempts to stop the earth, ought to be severely dealt with.

A woman's character has been by someone likened to a postage stamp—one black mark ruins it. Man's like a treasury note—no matter how many stains, it shall pass at par. When a woman falls from grace her character is ruined forever. When, on the other hand, a man may straighten up and be received into the best society again. All of which is too true; but being true don't make it right.

Real Estate Transfers.

John Atkins to Frank Brown, 23 and 15-100 acres in the sec. 24 of sec. 35, T. 5 N., R. 2 W.; bond for a deed.
Jacob Busch and wife to Jacob Busch, sr., sw 1/4 of sw 1/4, sec. 14, T. 7 N., R. 3 W.; \$1,500.
W. E. Conyers and wife to W. A. and E. Cameron, lot 88, Maplewood cemetery; \$6.
Thos. H. Lally and wife to James D. Honeyman, lots 6 and 7, block 15, lot 6 in block 19, and lots 3, 4, 5, block 19, first addition to Vernonia; \$20.
S. B. Rose and wife to Lizette Keller, 54 acres in sec. 5, T. 4 N., R. 4 W.; \$500.
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When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

Great Sacrifice SALE.
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COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, ST. HELENS, Or., Sept. 27, 1895.
Notice is hereby given that all unpaid County Warrants of said county, which have been presented and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds" up to July 8th, 1895, also warrants No. 2994, 3022, 3121, 3122, 3123, 3124 and 3125, will be paid upon presentation at this office. Interest will not be allowed after this date.
E. M. WHARTON,
Treasurer of Columbia County, Oregon.

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St. Helens, - - Oregon
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Mens Boots \$1.45
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Mens Dress Shoes from 1.25 to \$3.50
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Summons.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia.
Emma May Day, Plaintiff, vs. Herbert Davis, Defendant. { SUMMONS
To Herbert Davis, defendant above-named. IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer plaintiff's complaint herein on the first day of the next regular term of said court, which shall commence six weeks or more after the first publication of this summons, to-wit: On Tuesday, the 15th day of October, A. D. 1895, and if you fail to so appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit: A decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for the restoration of plaintiff to her maiden name, and for such other and further relief in the premises as to the court may seem just and equitable.
This summons is published pursuant to an order of Hon. T. A. Stephens, Judge of the Circuit Court of Multnomah county, Oregon, made by said judge on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1895, as by statute provided, in the absence from the state of Oregon of the Honorable T. A. Mc Bride, Judge of the court before whom this action is pending; that this summons be served upon you by publication once a week for six successive weeks in THE OREGON MIST, a weekly newspaper, of general circulation, published at St. Helens, Columbia county, Oregon.
ALLEN & CLETON,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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