

KILL IN A QUARREL

Trouble Over Land of Klickitat County Ranches.

NEWCOMER TOOK PART OF FARM

Slayer Has Served Term in Penitentiary—Surrendered to Officers—Coroner's Jury's Verdict Sealed.

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Change in Land Districts.

The Recorder and Receiver of the Land Office here have been informed by Congressman Jones that at his request the department has made some changes in the boundaries of the various districts...

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NOTICE MEN BEATEN

IMPORTANT MINING DECISION AT ROSEBURG.

Prior Locations by Holders Have No Standing Against Men Who Actively Develop a Property.

In the celebrated case of G. G. Warrall et al. vs. Brunson & Jennings, brought for the possession of the Helena mine at Bohemia, Douglas County, Oregon, Judge Hamilton yesterday at Roseburg, Or., entered a decree dismissing the complaint in equity and dissolving the injunction...

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TRANSFER OF TELEPHONE LINE.

Heppner Enterprise, 450 Miles of Line, Sold for \$15,000.

HEPPNER, Or., March 15.—The Blue Mountain telephone line, which was built and owned by Heppner men, with Oscar Minor as president and Mayor Frank Gilliam as treasurer, has been sold to the Inland Telephone & Telegraph Company...

Sales of Livestock.

Four Eastern buyers are now here, and sheep are selling again. John Q. Wilson sold to George Gray 600 1-year-old ewes...

Notes of Heppner.

Laws and gardens are being fired up, and Marshall Thornton is notifying owners of cows to shut them up from 7 P. M. to 7 A. M. When caught out, they will be given the bridal chamber at one of the hotels...

POLITICS OF LAKE COUNTY.

Populists May Not Nominates, but Have Fun With the Others.

LAKEVIEW, Or., March 15.—The Democratic County Central Committee met yesterday and night at the county ticket office...

ASHLAND'S NEW SCHOOLHOUSE.

Contract Was Awarded to a Salem Builder for \$12,500.

ASHLAND, March 15.—The city opened this evening by the Ashland school board for the erection of a two-story-and-a-half brick school building...

Reward for Firebug.

Owing to the frequency of incendiary fires in Ashland, in the past few weeks, Mayor Colquhoun today offered a reward of \$100 for the apprehension of the firebug...

Bryan to Speak Twice.

Colonel William J. Bryan is advertised to deliver two speeches from the rear end of the ship, when he will speak on his arrival in Oregon, on the evening of the 27th, and the second on his exit on April 6.

Smallpox in Benton County.

CORVALLIS, Or., March 15.—(Telegram from Philomath this morning to the Sheriff of Benton County announces that there is a case of smallpox at the home of George J. Gentry, 10 miles southwest of Corvallis...

A Forest Ranger Reserve.

The forest rangers know a good thing when they see it. They spin out, neither do they spin, except with the organ that sends them to the forest ranger's office...

The Price of Peace is Known.

What will the Bryans and the Sulzers and the Pettigrews and the Masons and the Shuffles and our Oregon O'Days and Chambers do now for peace?

AN EDICT AGAINST RATS

URGES CITIZENS TO DESTROY THE RODENTS AS A MEASURE OF PREVENTION AGAINST THE PLAGUE.

ASTORIA, Or., March 15.—A proclamation, of which the following is a copy, was issued from the Mayor's office today...

ISAAC BERGMAN, Mayor.

In the Circuit Court today a decree for the plaintiff was allowed in the case of the State of Oregon vs. J. P. Carlson. This was a suit brought to set aside a deed given to the state on certain lands in the Columbia River...

YOUNG SAILOR INJURED.

Winston Harper, an apprentice on the British ship Isidore, was brought ashore and taken to the hospital this afternoon. Two days ago he fell from the main yard to the deck, alighting on his head...

STOCK ON THE RANGES AGAIN.

BAKER CITY, Or., March 15.—Stockmen throughout the valley have come out of the winter with their herds in fine condition, and have commenced already to turn on the ranges all that are not intended for use immediately as beef cattle...

Toward Street Pavement.

A canvass was made of the property owners on Front street today to obtain the amount of money to be raised for the street pavement...

ADVANTAGE OF GOOD MARKET.

SALEM SENDS EARLY VEGETABLES TO PORTLAND—TRADE GROWING.

SALEM, Or., March 15.—Thomas H. Reynolds, agent at Salem for the Well-Park Express Company, says that gardeners in this vicinity are beginning to show their enterprise by making daily shipments of early vegetables to Portland...

OREGON NOTES.

Bishop Barkley, of Woodburn, recently broke one of his ribs in an accident. The fine new hotel at Grant's Pass is nearing completion. It will be opened in about two weeks.

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Bids for Capitol Changes.

The specifications of labor materials and mechanical work for the proposed changes in the Capitol building have been accepted by the State Board of Capitol Commissioners, and a call for bids for the work and materials was issued today.

WORKMEN MUST NOT PASS THROUGH ANY PART OF THE CAPITOL EXCEPT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND ALL MATERIALS MUST BE PASSED INTO OR FROM THE BUILDING BY WAY OF THE WINDOWS.

THE PLANS FOR ALASKA

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