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Nov. 23-1874 J. A. MILLARD.

Albany Register.

SATURDAY, DEC. 16, 1871.

U. S. Official Paper for Oregon.

Didn't Go Down.

Theodore Tilton has been dealing somewhat unfairly with teachers' institutes lately. Free-loveism has so entirely taken possession of his faculties, as to prompt him to thrust it forward upon every occasion, whether acceptable or not. Not long since he was engaged to lecture before a teachers' institute at West Chester, Pennsylvania. The subject announced was "Home Sweet Home." The lecture, however, was on free love and divorce. The institute felt indignant, and adopted a resolution expressing its "unqualified disapproval and condemnation of the lecture, believing that the aim and tendency of the lecture are against the interests of society, repugnant to the enlightened sentiments of this community, and at war with the highest social, moral and religious well-being of the country; and we now and here denounce the lecture as unworthy of the presence or hearing of any respectable audience."

Good Movement.

San Francisco is signing a memorial to Congress asking the coinage of a piece of money of the value of two dimes, in place of the quarter, and asking that a half dollar shall have the name of "Five Dimes" in the center of the reverse. This will make the dime the unit of calculating the value of small articles, instead of the "bit." The present unit, or "bit," is certainly unequal, if not inconvenient. A dime passes for a bit; and yet eight dimes will not be received at the mint for a dollar, nor four for a half dollar. A merchant might purchase a supply of dimes at the mint, receiving ten for a dollar, and in his dealing give out eight, which would make a clear gain of twenty cents on the dollar, besides his profit on the articles sold. The "bit," as the unit of circulation as it is managed now, appears to us a very imperfect one, and this San Francisco memorial will correct it.

Curango.

Curango for curing cancers, is now pronounced by a South American correspondent of the New York Herald, to be a humbug. The papers were filled with the wonderful cures it had wrought upon the mother of Schuyler Colfax; but it is now stated that she is as bad as ever. The State Department at Washington, which has given a sort of half-way endorsement to this curative properties of this plant, must have been badly deceived, or else it is no humbug. The question to be settled is: Which is what, this or thus? That's what we would like to know.

Three vessels of war are being got ready at Deil, Prussia, to go to Brazil to demand satisfaction of the authorities for insults and injuries inflicted upon a Prussian officer in the streets of Rio Janeiro.

A Catholic church was dedicated at Salt Lake on the 29th of November last, the corner stone of which was laid on the 24th of September preceding. Quick.

A Christmas tree and music, the latter led by Prof. Brooks, are the prominent features for Christmas night at Jacksonville.

There are four hundred and thirty-six children enrolled in the Taylor Street M. E. Sunday School in Portland.

The Chicago fire failed to injure the business of the railroads very materially which have terminus in that city.

Four Ku Klux prisoners plead guilty of the charges in Columbia, S. C., on the 8th.

Fish, it is thought by the President, will continue to form a part of the Cabinet diet.

Tormented.

The dispatches from New York say that last Monday night the International society held a very stormy meeting, at which Theodore H. Banks presided. After much violent declamation against the police authorities for preventing the parade and arresting members of the society last Sunday, a motion to parade next Sunday was passed amid the wildest applause. A committee was appointed to wait on Governor Hoffman and request him to revoke the police order and ask the State for protection. Another committee was appointed to inform the Superintendent of Police of their determination to parade. The meeting broke up with yells of "Vive La Commune!" "Vive La Internationale!" New York is certainly in a deeply afflicted situation. Her annoyances and perils are numerous. She is ever in a state of torment. If it isn't one thing it is another. Her thieves, and plug-uglies, and gamblers, and courtisans, and abortionists, and drunkards, and murderers, etc., are always with her, an every day pest and torment. Latterly, however, her trials have been unusually severe. The awful crimes of her Tammany pets have hardly been revealed, sending a thrill of anguish to her very soul, before another curse, equally as damning, which seems to have been born in infidel and licentious Paris, comes yelling its infuriated "vives" insultingly into her very teeth, because she desires to enforce the laws, intended to protect the religious portion of the city from unnecessary annoyances and interruptions in their worship and observance of the Sabbath day. She is indeed "afflicted, tormented."

A man named Conner was arrested at Grants Pass on Wednesday of last week, charged with stealing a wife and baby, and a span of horses belonging to Wm. Savage, of Yamhill county, says the Jacksonville Times.

Ex-Senator Williams of this State, now in Washington, is expected to succeed Akerman to the Attorney Generalship in the Presidential Cabinet this week.

Woodward, Ingersoll and others of the Tammany ring have disappeared; some think they are hid in the American Club House.

The McMinnville West Side sends out a supplement, which is neat, and can be read without straining ones eye balls nigh into a "bust". 'Rah.

Thirty thousand Southerners are said to have settled in New York since the late "unpleasantness." Generals, Colonels, etc., are as common on Broadway as fleas in a dog kennel.

Delegate Hooper of Utah favors the formation of a State Constitution acceptable to Congress, preliminary to the admission of Utah as a State.

In case of a rigid winter, live stock will perish in Vancouver Island, hay and grain being very scarce.

The Napoleon faction in France is thought to be increasing in strength.

The waves of "old ocean," are "rough on it" at Golden Gate, and can be distinctly heard in Frisco.

Sweden is "fixing up" an expedition to sail for the North Pole next spring.

They have four picture ghostographs on as many windows in San Francisco, and, of course, people are flocking to see them.

A. D. Burton, indicted for assault with intent to kill, was turned loose by *nolle pros.*, at Jacksonville, recently.

Two attempts were made by burglars in one week, in Portland, to break into a man's safe.

Four boys were fined in Portland last Saturday for disreputable practices at one of the public schools.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Portland is at the present time afflicted with numerous thieves and garroters; and the Oregonian advises people who have occasion to be out late, to be prepared for such customers. It gives an account of one citizen being chased to his very door by two of these gentry. People going to Portland should remember this, and take along a sausage, or something, to scare them with.

George Brown of Portland was caught stealing a quarter of beef on Wednesday of last week, and was then sent to jail for a quarter of a year.

Mrs. Duniway has been lecturing in Portland, and the journals there say that she did very well.

There is a rumor that eight men were frozen to death near Fort Shaw, in Montana, on the 25th of last month. It is said that the thermometer was 28 degrees below zero.

Some of the Oregon papers are still advertising lotteries. Which is an offense against the laws of the State.

Wood now sells at Walla Walla at from eight to twelve dollars a cord. How is that price for high?

Three hundred dollars in gold coin was used in guilting the ball on the dome of the California capitol.

While a young gentleman was spending last Sunday evening in the society of a widow and her daughter in Portland, a double knock was made upon the door, which one of the ladies immediately opened. Two men, muffled with comforters, and slouched hats over their eyes, entered the parlor without saying a word. As the widow inquired the cause of their visit, they stepped towards her. At this moment the young gentleman arose from his seat and was observed by the intruders, who turned and walked out and away, without uttering a word. The Bulletin, from which this item it taken, thinks their intention was robbery.

At the Warm Springs Indian Reservation the Indians now marry according to the civilized rites, and the Agent keeps a record of the event.

In the examination of Judge Lake on the charge of assault to kill Charles De Young, of the San Francisco Chronicle, on the 11th inst., Lake testified that the firing of the pistol was unintentional, that he never intended to kill De Young. Judge Sawyer, thinking there was no evidence of intention to kill, reduced the charge to simple assault and battery, and decided to send the case to the County Court. Judge Lake gave bail for his appearance before the Grand Jury.

A little boy at Stockton died from the effects of upsetting the contents of a kettle of hot water upon his person on the 11th inst.

The Jacksonville Sentinel says it is reported that George Gribble, the man who was so recently cowhided by two young ladies in that place not long since, and who recently left for Northern Oregon, has been brought back on a charge of perjury.

We learn from the Olympia Standard that a man by the name of Thornton, and two of his children, were killed in Hanford's Bottom, Washington Territory, by the falling of a tree. He had been engaged in burning down a tree near his dwelling; and just as it was about to fall upon the house, he rushed in to save the children, when the tree fell directly across the building crushing it to fragments and killing Mr. Thornton and two of his children, a third one escaping. This occurred on Sunday. Deceased leaves a wife and six children.

The Yreka Journal anticipates a lively race next Summer between the California and Oregon railroad companies in building their respective roads to the Oregon boundary line, as the first to the line will locate the junction. It says the Oregon company has shown the greatest energy so far, but the California company has the easiest road to build.

EASTERN NEWS.

The Bible war at Hunter's Point, New York, ended in a compromise. The Catholics expelled were to be taken back, and the Catholic pupils in the future will be allowed to remain in the class room during religious exercises.

The report that General Clause-ret has accepted the Mexican command is not true.

The intended procession of the Internationalists, forbidden by the police authorities of New York to take place on last Sunday, did not transpire.

There were one hundred and ninety-eight deaths from small pox in Philadelphia last week. There were thirty-six cases and fourteen deaths in New York during the same time.

Col. Davis of Gen. Pope's Department reports that the placing of the Apaches upon reservations would be unwise—should remain where they are for the present.

Hon. Wm. H. Seward contemplates making a tour of Northern Europe, including the extreme northern portions of Norway and Sweden, next Summer, if his strength permits.

The rumor, published by the New York Herald of the contemplated impeachment of President Grant, is pronounced one of the Herald's reckless fabrications. Blair and Sumner, whose names are connected with it, say that they never heard of it until it appeared in that journal.

Senator Trumbull will submit to the Senate soon a resolution for the appointment of a Joint Committee of Congress on retrenchment, to thoroughly investigate the civil service, to see where expenditures can be reduced and what offices can be abolished, etc.

A Tribune special says that in case of the change in the Attorney Generalship it is generally believed that Solicitor General Preston will be appointed to the position, and Assistant Attorney General Hill will then become Solicitor General.

The son of President Ramsey, of the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad, was recently found drowned in the East river, New York.

Senator Coagin has introduced a bill into the United States Senate, which provides stringent means for the execution of the law against polygamy in Utah, and for the reorganization of the Territorial Militia, etc.

The bill introduced by Senator Edmunds to regulate the civil service provides that appointment to all offices, except Postmasters and such as are required by law to be made by the President with the consent of the Senate, shall depend upon open competitive examination. To that end a Board of Commissioners should be appointed for five years, unless sooner removed by the President with the consent of the Senate.

On the 11th inst., in Philadelphia, a house was burned up consuming the body of a man who had died of small pox, and rendering a three children homeless, mother and by the explosion of a coal oil lamp.

At a recent meeting of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad Co.'s railroads, in New York, the Ohio and Pennsylvania roads, were consolidated. The organization is hereafter known as the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad Company. Gen. Geo. B. McClellan is chosen President.

A bill was introduced by Ramsey into the Senate last Monday to organize the Territory Ojibway. It is to lie between the 46th and 49th parallels, extending from Minnesota to Montana. Also, Morgan introduced a bill proposing an amendment to the Constitution, as to make naturalized citizens eligible to the office of President or Vice President of the United States.

King introduced a bill proposing an amendment to the Constitution prohibiting the intermarriage of whites and blacks, authorizing the States to provide for the separate education of the white and colored children.