

A REMARKABLE INCIDENT.—The Marysville Appeal of March 28th gives this incident:

In an item published on the 20th instant, we stated that during a thunderstorm, which occurred about twenty miles north of this city on the 16th instant, a large number of wild geese were killed. The statement of our informant was so remarkable that we gave it but little credence, and declined to publish it all. But the following from the Sutter Banner confirms the remarkable incident: "First, a small amount of common hail, and then followed sufficient snow to whiten the ground. As the hail began to fall, and the lightning flashed, thousands of wild geese, which were in the ponds of shallow water which exist in that locality during the wet winters, suddenly rose up in a great flutter, as if many hunters had discharged a volley among them. They went up and up, apparently to rise above the fearful cloud. It was nearly dark, and those who saw them rise thought no more of it until morning when they began to find dead geese and hear of hundreds being picked up by the neighbors. Some had been found. One man picked up on his farm all two horses could haul, for feathers. Their heads were badly torn and their bills split into fragments. Many of them had the feathers of their backs crisped and burned and their bodies burst open. The portion of the country thus affected was about a mile and a half wide, and reached several miles into Butte county." The vivid lightning was remarked by a number of people in this city, and all remember the heavy rain which fell soon after, which occurred on the evening of the late election.

A GHAUSTLY DISCOVERY.—A special dispatch from Biddeford, Me., received at Boston on the afternoon of March 16th, says some boys, while playing near the bank of the Saco river, about half a dozen rods below the cataract bridge, found, hedged in among the rocks, a human head. The head was that of a young woman. The face quite beautiful, and was so well preserved that it could not have been in the water more than forty-eight hours. A cord was tied tightly around the forehead to which was attached a brick. The horrified boys notified the police, who hurried to the spot, and in a few moments quite a crowd had collected. Coroner Gains declared the face to be that of a young lady he had seen on the streets, and several persons were of the same opinion. The head was taken to the city hall for recognition, and it is estimated that during the afternoon a thousand persons eagerly sought admission to the hall, among whom were many ladies. The face is described as that of a young lady of twenty years, dark hair, teeth well preserved, as are all parts of the head save a piece of one ear, which is gone. The head had been chopped off from the body close to the chin. The affair causes great excitement, and all sorts of theories are broached as to the cause and nature of the crime which, it is evident, has been committed.

In Saginaw, Mich., they were trying a case of poisoning. The principal witness, Benjamin Colvin, rather laid out the defendant's counsel when asked if he didn't have some trouble with the defendant. He answered: "Not more, sir, than I had with you when we were playing draw poker, and you stole four jacks and beat my flush, skinning me out of \$64." There was one man in the court room who did not join in the laugh.

A Topeka lady sums up the first three years of her experience in married life as follows: "The first year he calls me 'dear,' the second year 'Mrs. A.' and the third year 'old sorrel top.'"

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NOTICE. THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Messrs. L. E. BLAIN and J. BARROWS retiring. The business will hereafter be conducted by S. E. YOUNG. All persons having unsettled business with the undersigned, will please call at their earliest convenience. L. E. BLAIN, J. BARROWS, S. E. YOUNG. Albany, Or., February 5, 1874.

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OFFICE—First street, adjoining Wood's grocery store. RESIDENCE—At the late residence of John C. Mendenhall, near the Foundry, First street, Albany. October 22, 1873y

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NOTICE! THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Wm. H. Kuhn and James C. Van Rensselaer under the firm-name of W. H. Kuhn & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, the notes and accounts due said firm becoming the property of the said Van Rensselaer, and to whom, or his representative, they must be paid, and to whom must be presented all claims against the said firm. W. H. KUHN, Ph. C. SCHUYLER, Guardian estate of JAS. C. VAN RENSSELAER. Referring to the above, I give notice that the notes and accounts due W. H. Kuhn & Co., will be collected by Jas. B. Wyatt, of the firm of Clark & Wyatt, who may be found at the old stand of Kuhn & Co., and who is fully authorized to receipt and settle the same. Ph. C. SCHUYLER, Guardian estate of JAS. C. VAN RENSSELAER. Albany, Or., Feb. 3, 1874-3m

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D. B. RICE, M. D., Surgeon & Physician. OFFICE—First street, between Ferry and Broadbald. RESIDENCE—Third street, two blocks below or east of Methodist Church, Albany, Oregon. v6n40

J. C. POWELL, L. FLINN, POWELL & FLINN, Attorneys and Counselors at Law AND SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY (L. Flinn notary public), Albany, Oregon. Collections and conveyances promptly attended to. T. W. HARRIS, H. J. BOUGHTON, HARRIS & BOUGHTON, Physicians and Surgeons, ALBANY, OREGON. OFFICE—OVER A. CAROTHERS & Co's Drug store. Residence of Dr. Harris—Fourth-st., four blocks west of the Court House. Residence of Dr. Boughton—Opposite Dr. Tate, on Third street. nov1873

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