

Pacific Slopers.

A rich quartz ledge has been discovered on Burnt river.

Wheat of the new crop is being stored in the Corvallis warehouses quite rapidly.

Many children in the neighborhood of Ellensburg are sick with the whooping cough.

A number of immigrants, from Mississippi, are expected to arrive in Benton county this fall.

In the Long Tom region harvest is under full headway and wages are from \$1 50 to \$2 per day.

The people of the Dalles talk of putting rail boats on the Columbia river above that place. It is claimed that the cost of running a steamboat to Wallula and back is no small item, the wood alone costing at least \$70. While a sail boat can be manned by three men, one white and two Indians, the cost of which would be almost nothing compared to that of running a steamboat.

The Eugene Journal says: "A very large portion of the cultivated land in Lane county is in wheat this season. There are neighborhoods where the eye sees scarcely anything but wheat fields for miles. The yield will not be as much to the acre as it has been on some former years, but the total amount of wheat produced will be great. The farmers are now in the midst of their harvest."

The Polk county paper says: The wheat yield of that county this year will be an abundant one. The farmers are all in the highest spirits in anticipation of a full pocket of coin for their labors this season. Since the 3d inst. the hum of the threshing machine has greeted the ear in all directions. Farmers have been scarcely able to obtain help enough to secure the grain as fast as it ripens.

A gentleman from Gardiner, states that there are seven vessels due at that place. The *Annie Stauffer* had her cargo completed, when our informant left. The *Simpson* will load 11 vessels since the 15th of May, and the *Hinesdale* will load two. The latter mill has lumber enough on hand to load seven vessels and expects to ship it to San Francisco this month. Mill hands are in great demand over there, and good men can find steady employment.

The *Oakland Call* understands that Mr. Sherman V. Rathburn, of Douglas county, has struck a big thing. An estate in Scotland, valued at £64,000,000, equal to about \$320,000,000 is looking for claimants, and Rathburn is one of 'em. The heirs are scattered in different parts of the United States, most of them in Virginia—Rathburn's native State. The property is known as the "Mar Estate," and his mother was a "Mar." If he wants an advance agent we are ready to go.

On the 24th ult. Bogus Charley, one of the chiefs of the Modoc tribe, was in St. Louis with H. M. Jones, agent of the Pawpaw Reservation, where the remnant of the Modoc tribe is stationed. Charley held levees at the St. Clair Hotel, and was to return to the reservation with Jones. The tribe on the reservation numbers 153, and it is said by the agent that their conduct is very exemplary; that they show a disposition to work, and have abandoned the practice of gambling.

A letter from Willow Forks, Umatilla county, dated July 31st, says: "Most farmers are done harvesting. The yield of hay and grain is greater than for many years. A peddler calling himself A. B. Butler has been operating quite extensively in this county and has victimized the people beyond endurance. Quite a number of our best citizens who had been bilked by this sharper followed him and compelled him, after some mild persuasion, to retake the goods and return the money."

From the Baker City Democrat we learn that on the 3d inst. Mr. C. M. Foster, Deputy U. S. Surveyor and Wm. F. McVary started to survey a route for a railroad from Baker to Canyon City, this is done by the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad Company, at the instance of English capitalists, who are willing to take the bonds of the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake road and furnish the money to build a first-class road also a branch to John Day's Valley, if the route is found to be practicable.

John Collins met with a severe accident at Capt. McClendon's Sam's valley, Jackson county, last week. It seems that he had unhitched the animals from the thresher and dropped their halters to attend to something else, when they became frightened and ran away. The halters had wound themselves around Mr. Collins' feet, and before he could extricate himself the animals had dragged him several hundred yards, breaking a rib, tearing the clothes from his body and bruising him in a terrible manner.

A letter from Baker City says: "The dailies from Portland reach this place just as it happens, but nobody here cares much as the trade of Baker county is almost entirely with San Francisco, and we can get the papers from that place in four days. If we had telegraphic communication with 'Silver City' and the East, us good people would never give you Websters a thought, except it be about election times, once every two years, and then only to elect good Democratic officers, to run your affairs for you. If you don't send some missionaries among us, we will remain Jacksonian forever."

The Curry county correspondent of the *Cool Bay News*, says: "A rich quartz ledge has been found on the farm of Lyman Woodruff, two miles from Ellensburg, mouth of Rogue river. In many places inside of his enclosure, croppings of gold have been found. It is in a cement, Mr. Woodruff took ten pounds of the rock or cement and powdered it up, and from it got \$13 50. He says that he wants no more money than what is in sight on his place. He has the United States title for his land. At the present time, it is difficult to say whether this is a permanent ledge or only detached. The supposition, however, is that it is a defined ledge, from the fact that it can be traced and shows itself in many places, and runs in a straight line."

Articles of incorporation were filed in the Secretary of State's office, on the 6th, to incorporate the Humboldt and Pacific Railroad Company. This company proposes to construct and maintain a narrow gauge railroad for transporting freight and passengers. The eastern terminus is to be at a point on the Central Pacific Railroad, at or near the north bend of the Humboldt

river, in the State of Nevada, and the western terminus at a point on the Pacific coast at or near Crescent City, in the State of California, and to run through the Klamath lake basin, and Rogue river valley. The capital stock is to be \$7,500,000. The incorporators are George H. Marshall, Quincy A. Brooks and Samuel B. Cranston, and the principal office of the company is to be located at Ashland, Oregon.

Never since the first settlement of Benton county has there been such an acreage of grain to cut, and never were the farmers more intent on their work. Harvesting is all the go.

The Sisters will open their school at Jacksonville on Monday, August 17th, after a vacation of several weeks.

Rye Valley mining camp, Baker county, is very active and bids fair to rival Silver City, in the Owyhee, in richness.

The main span of the bridge across the Willamette at Springfield is finished. The public expect to cross on the bridge by the 1st prox.

Joseph Douden, of Sam's Valley, Southern Oregon, this year cultivated a crop of oats which averaged 125 bushels to the acre.

The fishery at Rogue river is doing nothing at the present time, as the fishing season is past. The proprietors are making preparations for a grand catch this fall.

The steamer *Otter* is to be taken above the Cascades, and put on the route between that place and the Dalles.

The hills of Baker county are covered with grouse. They subsist upon a species of the currant.

Cañon is probably re-elected Delegate to Congress from Utah.

The Pope of Rome has declared his intention to create four new Cardinals.

A PAWNBROKER was found hanging to a tree in Nebraska, the other day. It is supposed that one of the Pawnees did it.

Twenty-two bodies of the victims of the *Pat Rogers*, destroyed on the Ohio river last week, have been recovered.

The Japanese refuse permission for foreigners to go into the interior unless they agree to become Japanese subjects.

The *Colonist* says the office of the Eureka Silver Mining Company has been removed from Yale to New Westminster.

In North Carolina the Democrats carry the election by a majority of from 10,000 to 20,000, in the elections of Congressmen, and gain twenty members of the Legislature.

It is said by those who have taken pains to inform themselves on the subject that there is no country in the world, civilized or savage, where bad teeth are so generally the rule, and good ones so rare an exception, as the United States.

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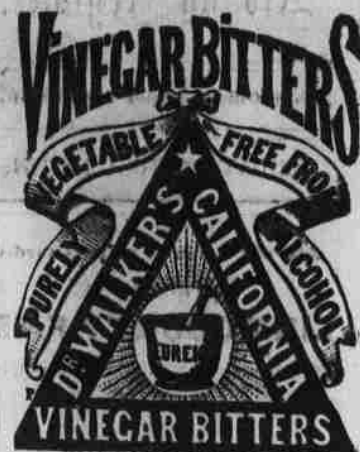
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