

SOMEbody ALWAYS RESPONSIBLE.

Contemplating the horrors of the "Atlantic" steamship and other disasters which are almost daily occurring...

THE CIVIL SERVICE PIZZLE. The man Grant who is running the President's office for the benefit of himself and his relations...

When the Democratic and Liberal press throughout the country declared Grant's professions of civil service reform...

The dispatches tell us that last Sunday night, in Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, "Henry Ward Beecher invoked the Father of all mankind to remember in mercy the 'children of the forest'...

Since the assassination of the Peace Commission President Grant makes a show of virtuous indignation and says the "Modocs must be exterminated"...

THE DISPATCHES TELL US THAT a lot of canting sentimentalists in the East are besieging President Grant with petitions praying him to adhere to his criminal Peace Policy...

MISS WILKINSON, of Connecticut, has secured a judgment of \$25,000 against Brick Pomeroy...

EASTERN religious fanatics are still trying to get God in the Constitution. It seems to us they ought to be satisfied with having already got the Devil in that once revered instrument.

FARMERS AND FREE TRADE.

High freights and low prices for produce, have brought farmers to the necessity of considering their situation...

Resolved, That while the sufferings among the farmers of Illinois and the west, from the want of cheap transportation...

In this resolution the farmers go to the bottom of the evil which produces the existing state of things. Railroad companies have a good excuse to charge high freights...

When the doors of the Hall were opened a simultaneous rush was made for the entrance by the eager throng...

A circle of nearly and most beautiful flowers, in the center of which was the letter "C" was placed upon his lifeless breast...

THE CONSULSHIP TO AMOY.

The telegraph announces the fact that J. J. Henderson, of Portland, (son of Rev. J. H. D. Henderson, Ex-M. C. from this State) has been appointed Consul to the Port of Amoy, in China...

TELEGRAPHIC CORRESPONDENCE.

On April 18th, Gov. Grover received from the managing editor of the New York World, the following dispatch:

TO WHICH THE GOVERNOR MADE THE following reply: PORTLAND, Oregon, April 18, 1873.

ON THE RIGHT TRACK.—The Farmers' State Convention of Illinois, recently held in Springfield, Illinois, passed a resolution of censure upon President Grant...

FARMERS' Clubs that are now organized, or may be organized by the second Tuesday in June next, are earnestly requested to forward to J. H. Brown, the Secretary of the State Convention at Salem, name of club, county in which it is organized, number of club, and times of meeting, &c., at their earliest convenience.

OUR PORTLAND LETTER.

Portland, Or., April 16, 73. Editor Democrat:

Although our local papers have published a detailed account of the funeral ceremonies of the lamented Gen. Canby, I however, have concluded to furnish a few thoughts concerning the sad and long-to-be-remembered event...

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Luther King, of Benton county, won't run away with another "sweet sixteen" for a year, because Bill Watkins takes charge of him for that time. C. C. Stiles, of Clark County, W. T., has a cow that gives 34 pounds of milk at a milking, and she doesn't put her calf out to a wet nurse to do it, either.

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PACIFIC COASTERS.

Judge Mayer is recovering. Epizooty raging in California. Jacksonville: open well—dead cow. Mrs. Daniway is jawing the Astorians.

Strawberries in 'Frisco market. J. J. Murphy hangs at Stockton today. Jesse Grant, son of the President, is in 'Frisco.

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An amorous Portland youth tried to ravish a young and buxom girl, but she put such a lively head on him that he was compelled to haul off for repairs at a doctor shop.

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FROM THE MODOC WAR.

Since our last issue the Modocs have been routed from the lava bed and are at large in the adjacent country.

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A suit is now pending in the San Francisco courts, in which Helen C. Frazer sues J. W. Thrift for \$25,000 damages perpetrated upon her busted gizzard by his failure to comply with matrimonial promises.

During the battle last week a young Modoc named Watchatate, picked up a shell just after it had fallen in the lava bed to see what it was.

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