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EVENTS OF 1887.

JANUARY.

3. Dr. Horatio Potter, Episcopal Bishop of New York, died.
5. Secretary Lamar married.
8. Andrew Jackson's Day.
8. Gen Duncan U S A, died.
10. Oregon legislature convenes.
10. John Roach, ship-builder, died.
14. Senate passes the interstate commerce bill.
15. Gen W B Hazen of the signal service died.
18. Prof E L Youmans, scientific writer, died.
21. Mrs Voorhees, wife of Senator Voorhees, died.
24. Gen Stone, American, in Egytian Army, died.
28. Mrs Newby of Yamhill county, died.
31. British ship Kapunda sunk. 300 drowned.

FEBRUARY.

2. Fanny Davenport's diamonds valued at $35,000 stolen by a hotel clerk at Memphis, Tenn.
2. Herr Schutzenberger, famous brewer of Strassburg, died.
3. Woman's suffrage law of Washington Territory declared unconstitutional.
4. Great floods in Ohio and Kentucky.
6. Earthquakes in Illinois, Missouri and Indiana.
8. Parnell makes a great speech.
9. Dynamiter tries to kill Patti at San Francisco.
11. The duke of Leinster died.
11. Prince Wagram died.
13. Elisha W Davis, Brig-Gen., died.
14. Secretary Manning resigns.
16. Queen Victoria releases 25000 prisoners confined in jail in India as an act of clemency to commemorate the Queen's jubilee.
17. Boston Corbett, slayer of Wilkes Booth, becomes insane.
18. Oregon legislature adjourns sine die.
21. Edward D Dekker, Dutch author died.
22. John Sherman resigns the presidency protem of the Senate.
23. Bismarck secures a big majority in the reischstag.
24. House sustains president's veto of dependent pension bill.
25. Mrs Jennie M Crocker, wife of Col Chas T Crocker, died.
25. Com. Truxton, U S Navy, died.
28. Cardinal Jacobina died.
28. Roxalana Druse hanged at Herkimer, New York.

MARCH.

1 Alderman O'Neal, the boodler, taken to Sing Sing.
3. Ex-Judge McKee, of San Francisco, died.
4. W R Hearst buys the *Examiner*.
5. Chas J Peterson, of *Peterson's Magazine*, died.
6. Senator Beck's wife died.
7. G W Walker, of Pendleton, appointed Judge.
8. Henry Ward Beecher died.
8. Rev W S Howland, foreign missionary, died.
9. Fevel, the French novelist, died.
10. Capt. James B Eads died.
13. Mme. Nilsson married.
14. Eben B. Pillsbury, of Mass., died.
16. Herr Spilzer, the famous mathematician, died.
17. Policeman Elwanger, of Portland, suicides.
18. Geo Sickles, father of Gen Sickles, died.
19. O & C R R sold to Southern Pacific.
20. Emperor William, of Germany, 90 years old.
22. Jno A Logan, Jr., married.
25. Eliza Goodwin, actress, died.
26. Body of Schuyler Ford found in river 3 miles from Harrisburg.
28. Paul E Fulane, founder of Fulane University, died.
30. Ex-Gov Reynolds, of Mo. commits suicide.
31. John G Sax, poet, died.

APRIL.

1. Dr A Kellogg, scientist, died.
3. "Willamette Valley" arrives for the first time at Yaquina.
4. Frank McDowell, of Salem, died.
4. Prohibition defeated in Michigan.
6. Democrats carry Rhode Island.
7. Com. Chas Greene U S Navy, died.
8. Marple convicted of murder in Yamhill county.
9. Jno T Raymond, celebrated actor, died.
11. Eugene Semple appointed governor of Washington Territory.
12. Lieut C V Morris U S Navy, died.
15. James S Delano died.
17. Jury in Haddock case disagree.
18. David Kirkpatrick, of Albany, kills himself.
19. Alexander Mitchell, railroad magnate, died.
20. Lieut Danenhower, of Arctic fame, suicides.
21. Major Jno E Blaine, brother of J G, died.
24. David Preston, banker, Detriot, died.
26. Odd Fellow's 68th anniversary.

MAY.

3. One hundred and thirty miners lose their lives by an explosion in the Nanaimo mines.
4. Kentucky in State convention endorses Cleveland.
5. R D Gambrill, prohibition editor of Miss, killed.
6. James Grant, novelist, died.
8. Billy Welch, well-known minstrel, died.
10. Pointsman, largest horse in the world died, at Petaluma, Cal.
11. Jas W Hyatt appointed U S Treasurer.
15. Big Chief, noted Pawnee Indian died.
16. The original manuscript of "Home Sweet Home" found in Georgia.
18. Sheridan, the great actor died in Australia.
18. O'Brien mobbed at Toronto.
20. Brig-Gen Selfridge kills himself.
24. State Grange meets at Salem.
25. Miss Dolph, daughter of Senator Dolph, married.
26. George I Foster, of Albany, died.
26. President Cleveland fishing at Saranac Lake.
29. Ben: Perly Poore died.
30. Memorial day.

JUNE.

1. Thomas Spence Bate, editor of *Encyclopedia*, Britannica, died.
3. Rev Supply Chase, the noted abolitionist, died.
5. O'Brien, the Irish editor, in New York.
6. Dr Harry Lane appointed Supt of Insane Asylum.
7. Wm A Wheeler, ex-Vice President, died.
8. Mrs Bergh, wife of Henry Bergh, died.
8. Blaine, "cast an anchor to the winward" and sailed for Europe.
9. Earl of Nottingham, died.
9. O H Kelty murdered his wife at McCoy.
14. H Abraham appointed collector of customs at Portland.
15. Pioneer's reunion at Portland.
17. Ex-president Mark Hopkins, of Williams College, died.
17. Blaine arrives in London.
21. Queen Victoria completes 51st year of her reign.
22. W W Saunders sent to penitentiary for life.
24. Disastrous fire at Dayton, W T.
24. James Freeman Clarke died.
29. Jacob Sharp, boodler, convicted.
30. Ex-Secretary of State Hamilton Fish's wife died.

JULY.

1. Max Kaltenmeser, artist, died.
4. John Paulet, Earl of Weltshire, died.
5. M Katkoff famous editor of Moscow died.
7. O H Kelty taken from jail at Dallas and lynched.
7. Blaine goes to Edinburg.
10. Father John Rodgers the aged priest of N J, died.
12. George S Spear, veteran actor, died.
13. Elmer Marie Caro, philosopher died.
15. Jacob Sharp sentenced to Sing Sing 4 years.
16. Jay Cooke, jr., banker, died.
17. Hundreds died in the east from excessive heat.
18. Dr J A Tyler, of Albany, died.
19. P M S Hunter, a confederate Senator, died.
20. Sylvanus Cobb, jr., the story writer, died.
21. Ex-Congressman Glover, died.
24. W J McGarigle, Chicago boodler, escapes to Canada.
26. John Taylor, president Mormon church, died.
28. Mrs Wilson Barrett, actress, died
29. First load of new wheat brought to Albany.

AUGUST.

1. J G Robinson, reprieved by Gov Pennoyer.
2. Kentucky votes the democratic ticket
3. J C Goldsmith, New York, journalist, died.
3. The great wheat deal of San Francisco collapses.
4. Gen Jno T Miller, Vice Consul at Rio Janeiro, died.
8. Hennequin, dramatist, died in asylum.
9. W C Hathaway, of Halsey, kills himself in mountains.
10. John, only son of Henry Clay, died.
11. One hundred persons killed at the Chatsworth railroad disaster.
12. Jean Victor Dury the historian, died.
14. Ex-Senator Sargent, of Cal., died.
17. Corner stone of the State Agricultural College at Corvallis laid.
17. Prof L J Powell, died at Seattle.
18. O S Fowler, noted phrenologist, died.
17. Prof Baird, of the U S fish commission, died.
19. Alvin Clark, noted astronomer, died.
20. One arm Brown, died in Washington
25. Sharp gets a stay of proceedings.
26. Frank McDermett appointed inspector of boilers.
28. Lexington, in Eastern Oregon, almost totally destroyed by fire.
28. Samuel Hall, Judge Supreme Court of Ga., died.
31. Mrs Mary Yearly, of Ohio, died, aged, 105.

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CLINGS TO HIS FOLLY.

One of the most ridiculously foolish things in the way of partisan legislation is a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Chandler, to regulate the holding of congressional elections in South Carolina, Florida, Mississippi and Louisiana. It provides for the appointment by the president, with the advice and consent of the Senate, of four supervisors of election for each congressional district in the states to which the measure applies, who are required to sub-divide the districts into a sufficient number of voting precincts. In each precinct, the Circuit Court of the United States is to appoint four inspectors and poll clerks, who are to make registration of voters and conduct congressional elections. The supervisors are to act as a canvassing board, to receive returns and ascertain and declare the result. The supervisors and inspectors and poll clerks are to be divided equally between the two principal political parties. This would be taking the whole matter of electing congressmen out of the hands of the state and putting it into the hands of the United States. This is so clearly violative of the rights of the states that Billy's bill will never reach a third reading in a republican Senate. The object of this bill is so apparent that no one of ordinary intelligence could be deceived by it. Chandler wants to pave the way for a repetition of the crime of stealing the presidency so successfully practiced by his kinsman, Zack Chandler, in 1876, assisted by Sherman, Edmunds, Garfield and other leaders of his party. But Chandler may at once make up his mind that the people will have none of it. Never will he have another opportunity to cheat the people out of their clearly elected president.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—The match between Sister and Jane L. to-day, was won by the latter. Time, 2:20¾.

OREGON'S TRADE.

Oregon is one of the largest and most fertile of the whole sisterhood of States. The attention of all the United States will now be drawn to it in connection with the completion of the great railroad reaching out to San Francisco. Its area exceeds 95,000 square miles, or more than double that of New York. It is equally as fertile and has a climate as genial and as equable as that of Georgia or Alabama. With the exception, perhaps, of citrus fruits, sugar cane and cotton, there is nothing that is grown within the whole area of the United States that cannot be raised in it. The grape grows in the southern portion, and even the orange, we believe, can be raised successfully in the southern portion of the Willamette Valley. Were it populated as is New York State it would to-day have twelve millions of people within its confines, while its chief city would be one of the greatest in the world.

From 1860 to 1880 the population, roughly speaking, was nearly doubled every ten years. In seven years it has increased about 50 per cent. In 1890 it will not fall short of 300,000. The state produced this year of wheat 425,000 tons, and 12,000,000 pounds of wool. The three great staples of wheat, wool and salmon will this year reach a value of seventeen million dollars. The total value of leading articles is not less than twenty millions of dollars. A brief resume of the present status of trade between San Francisco and Portland will be acceptable. The data are given for the year ending July 31st, 1887.

	San Francisco. Lbs.	By Rail from the East. Lbs.
Agricultural implements	900,000	10,000,000
Bags	1,240,000	125,000
Books and stationery	870,000	770,000
Paper	700,000	1,700,000
Boots and shoes	930,000	1,000,000
Building Material—		
Cement and plaster	1,235,000	9,000
Carpets, etc	845,500	400,000
Cigars and tobacco	400,000	2,000,000
Crockery and glassware	100,000	900,000
Drugs, etc	1,200,000	1,000,000
Dry goods	5,500,000	4,000,000
Clothing	850,000	450,000
Hats and caps	140,000	800,000
Furniture	300,000	5,000,000
Fruits	2,500,000	200,000
Vegetables	3,000,000	.....
Groceries and provisions—		
Sugar	24,500,000	1,500
Salt	14,100,000	.....
Rice	4,200,000	1,600,000
Raisins	200,000	6,100
Syrup	900,000	1,800,000
Coffee	2,200,000	250,000
Tea	1,400,000	.....
Starch	150,000	270,000
Soap	900,000	1,200,000
Candles	65,000	250,000
Baking powder, etc	510,000	400,000
Canned goods	9,000,000	2,500,000
Fish	112,000	240,000
Hams and bacon	40,000	500,000
Lard	150,000	1,000,000
Butter	500,000	20,000
Cheese	40,000	10,000
Hardware—		
Barbed wire	900,000	3,00,0000
Rope	1,355,000	87,000
Nails	6,327,100	1,018,000
Horse shoes	450,000	75,000
Unspecified hardware	3,500,000	8,800,000
Harness and saddlery	616,000	13,000
Paints and oils—		
Paints	652,000	140,000
White lead	3,000,000	170,000
Coal oil	472,395	8,000,000
Unspecified	510,000	220,000
Glass	1,500,000	400,000
Wagon and wagon mtl.	3,200,000	13,500,000
Liquors	2,000,000	1,600,000
Wine	2,350,000	20,000
Beer	300,000	350,000
Woodenware	20,000	520,000
Iron, merchant	40,000 000	14,000,000
Steel	2 350,000	1,800,000
Tinplate	288,600	57,000
Pig tin	350,000	.....
Lead	500,000	35,000
Coal, tons	22,567	.....
Powder	50,000	131,000
Shot	265,000	12,000
Chinese goods	600,000	.....

The actual tonage of vessels leaving San Francisco for Portland during the year was 135,847. The exports from Oregon to San Francisco were $4,360,000 in value.—S. F. Journal of Commerce.

The cost of running the saloons of Albany, that is, the license, rent or interest on value of property, and help, is about $15,000 a year, that of the churches about $7,000 and of the schools about $8,000, the two latter about balancing merely the running expenses of the former.

The business of the Farmers and Merchants Ins. Co. of this city, since it opened its books last week, has been larger than the most sanguine expectations of its stockholders. Some of the best agents of the state have accepted positions as canvassers for it.

The Southern Pacific's roads now run from the Columbia to the Mississippi. A passenger can go from Portland to New Orleans in one car.

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