The Democrat.

Washington Letter.

From our regular Correspondent.

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Secretary Morton believes in practicing what he preaches. Several weeks ago he publicly advised young men to buy farms in Virginia, because of the cheapness of land in that state. To show that he considered that advice good he proposes to buy a farm in that state himself, and to divide his residence after his return to private life between Nebraska and Virginia. Secretary Morton's good words for Virginia so interested some prominent citizens of the state that he was invited to deliver an address at Manassas, near the famous battle field of that name. He has accepted the invitation and while there he will decide about the purchase of the farm in that locality, which is only 26 miles from Washington and connected by rail.

A great deal of silly twaddle was nipped in the bud by the cablegram received by the department of State from the U. S. Consul at Port Louis, Mauritius, stating that he had made arrangements to send Mrs Walker, wife of the negro exconsul who is now serving a twenty years sentence in French prison, and her children, to France, by the steamer leaving there the 20th inst. Of course the pathetic story of this woman and her children being left to starve in a foreign land will continue to be printed in the class of newspapers which prefer misstatements to facts all the time.

Hon. Chauncey F. Black, of Pennsylvania, who was in Washington for several days in connection with business of the National Association of Democratic Clubs, of which he is president, said of the republican fight in his state: "The democrats, while the funeral is none of theirs, are sincerely desirous to see Senator Quay triumph over the combine that is trying to compass his political annihilation. I don't think that democratic well wishing will be of any benefit to Quay; on the contrary, it will add to his load. Senator Cameron is another load, a good bit heavier one than the sympathy of the democrats. Thus handicapped Quay has a desperate fight on his hands, but my belief is that he will win. The character of the men fighting him is enough to put the people on Quay's side They represent all that is detestable and corrupt in modern politics. They are an ungrateful lot too, for most of them are under the heaviest obligation to Quay."

There is little probability that the vacancy upon the bench of the U. S. Supreme Court, made by the death of Justice Jackson, of Tennessee, will be filled before Congress meets. The position being too important to be filled by a recess nomination which the Senate might decline to confirm after the new Justice had taken part in the work of the court. The absence of prominent democrats from Washington makes all the talk about a successor to the late Justice Jackson nothing but speculation. Because President Cleveland nominated Justice White, of Louisiana to the last vacancy from New York, which is of course, more or less probable, but all the same it is only a guess. Three members of the present Supreme Court, Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Shiras and White, were appointed by President Cleveland and the appointment which the late Justice Jackson received in the last days of the Harrison administration should properly have been made by him. Thus what Mr Harrison deprived him of Providence has restored to the President. Understand, I do not mean to imply that the selection of Justice Jackson was not a good one. On the contrray, it was an excellent one, and might easily have been made by President Cleveland, who had during his first administration made Mr Jackson a U. S. Circuit Judge. Only it was not regarded as just the proper thing for an out going republican president to fill such an important place, belonging to the democrats, when he knew that the democrat selected could not take his seat upon the bench before a democratic president came in.

Blessed in Oregon.

Oregon is strictly in the swim according to the statement of F. A. Alexander, who arrived Thursday from a three weeks trip through the eastern states. Mr. alexander was in St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland, New York, Albany and many other important cities, and in each of them he found many people anxious to know all about Oregon. "How is it that your crops never fail, and that your fruit is so much better than the California product?" was a question that met him at every turn, and the upshot of it is that Mr. Alexander returned home, proud of his state, and doubly assured that all of the fruit grown in Web foot will find in the East a ready market at the top figure. It was in New York that Mr. Alexander was, when there came to a commission firm from a Portland correspondent a telegram announcing that a heavy shipment of Oregon fruit had been forwarded and it was from the commission men themselves that he learned that the whole shipment had been disposed of within a few hours after the recipt of the telegram.

In every city he visited east of St. Louis he heard joyful expressions of the marked improvement in business. Factories everywhere have increased wages, put on additional operatives and are running at full blast. Money is easy, there is plenty of confidence, and dealers are buying liberally for autumn trade. Before he left for the East Mr. Alexander had heard of the renewed industrial activity, but was unprepared for the extraordinary bustle he found everywhere manifest.

The sad chapter in his trip, however, was the return home, when the day after the recent heavy hail and windstorm in Nebraska, he passed through the stricken district. It extended over portions of several counties and fields of corn and wheat were left crushed and prostrate, dreary and desolate, unfit even to cut for hay. The scene was depressing, and in striking contrast with the heavy laden fields and bountiful harvest that he saw on entering Willamette. — Corvallis Times

A correspondent in the New York Times attacks the Oregon Supreme Court and says that it is no state in which to loan money on account of the recent decision in the Oregon Pacific case. The writer signs himself "Equity," and is undoubtedly one of Mr. Coe's friends getting even with the state.

Already wheat is being sold in small quantities to meet small debts. The door of the DEMOCRAT office is open, and who works harder than the newspaper man for what he gets.

"Yes we have a great many interesting experiences out in the Puget Sound country," said the New England man, lately returned from the State of Washington. "I saw a big brown bear one day when I was six miles from the nearest camp. He was about fifty feet ahead of me on the trail, and I was two leeward of him, so I just went around him." "Why didn't you shoot him?" "Well people that don't know the forest always ask that, even after I've told them I had only three shots left in my revolver and no other gun along. I should have been in a mess if I had only wounded him, you see. When he scented me, I was a long way off." "Didn't he run after you?" "Oh, those brown bears are as much afraid of a man as a man is of them. Why, I knew a fellow who was going across a stream on an old tree once. The trunk of the big pine was about five feet up from the ground on his side of the stream and three feet on the bear's side, He was picking his steps and didn't look to the other side of the water 60 feet or so; when he got airly up on the log, there was the bear coming. They were both so dead scared they tumbled off into the water on different sides of the log." "What happened next?" "Nothing. They both swam ashore on their own sides of the river, and put off through the forest. I don't suppose there ever was a man and a bear more surprised or worse scared." Boston Cultivator. All of which makes the Oregonian smile.

The following on the school book question is at least interesting: "The Chicago Board of Education has just discovered that the school children of that city are paying $5,000 a year more for their text books than is paid by the pupils of St Louis or Omaha. The average price in St Louis per pupil is 37 cents, in Omaha 28 cents and in Chicago 70 cents. The low cost in the first two cities is explained by the fact that the books are delivered directly by the publishers at wholesale rates, and they are distributed by the school department.

Two race horses were sold at public auction last Monday to satisfy a mechanics lien, for shoeing. The bill was about $8. One horse brought $50 and the other $10. When only two years old these horses were worth $1,000. A Mr Proebstel the owner disagreed with the blacksmith, Mr M. J. Wirtz, over the shoeing, and when he learned that the law protected him, he took the horses and sold them. The owner was not present at the sale.—PortlandEx.

The Twice-a-week edition of the New York World has been converted into the Thrice-aweek. It furnishes 3 papers of 6 pages apiece, or eighteen pages every week, at the old price of one dollar a year. This gives 156 papers a year for one dollar and every paper has 6 pages 8 column wide or 48 columns in all. The Thrice-a-week World is not only much larger than any weekly or semi-weekly newspaper, but it furnishes the news with much greater frequency and promptness. In fact it combines all the crisp, fresh qualities pf a daily with the attractive special features of a weekly. It and the WEEKLY DEMOCRAT can be secured for $2.00 a year in advance.

The biggest liar on earth visited our office the other day with a story about the storm. He says the wind blew the bark out of his dog, the teeth from his harrow, the barbs from the wires on his fence, the hole out of a hollow log, spokes from his buggy wheels, took one side of his whiskers, and one of the wheels of his head.—Ex.

The same fellow told the same yarn around this town, only he made it a little worse. Up here he said that it blew the curbing out of his well, the tail from a cast iron bull dog, and the wind out of Col. Hofer.—Salem Post.

He reached Albany. He said our streets were blown as smooth as pavement, our bonded indebtedness out of sight, the moss from our moss-backs, blew $20 pieces into all of our pockets, and puffed the price of wheat up to $1.

An unmarried man or woman of marriageable age is something that is rarely seen in the Fiji Islands. The reason of this is not far to seek. The natives believe that if a person dies while in an unmarried state, his or her soul is doomed to wander about through the endless ages of eternity in an intermediate region between heaven and hades. At the end of each moon they are allowed to look into heaven, but are never permited to enter. —Such an idea in Albany would no doubt cause several marriages that have been on the tapis a number of years.

An Albany minister says the world is growing worse, and that we are now in the very last days, probably 1898 will end this present existence. The editor of the DEMOCRAT doesn't believe the world is growing worse or that there is good Biblical proof that the world will end soon. Some of these men who do this kind of figuring seem to take the result and figure backwards.

A man through years of training can educate himself to be contented with life. Governor Fletcher, of the Salem Post, heroically says: We beg the Albany Democrat that we prefer big ears to big feet. We have noticed that the whole negro population have big feet. Abraham Lincoln—one of the grandest men of the ages—had very large ears.

Senator Daniels said the other day: "I will only say that I am a democrat, and, being a democrat, I could not help being for the solid, honest and ancient gold and silver money of the democratic party. The party of the people must stand for the money of the people, and whom God hath joined together, plutocracy shall not put asunder."

Revs. Grant, Locke and Boyd seem to have the inside track with the Oregonian, and one would think there were no other ministers in the city. Some of the others will have to change their names to one sylable.

This from the Corvallis Times is very significant, and indirectly emphacises the advantage that would occur from the overland going through the Willamette valley in the day time so it could be seen:—Samuel E. Dale, for thirty years an attorney at Chicago, now engaged in making a tour of the Pacific coast, was in town Wednesday and Thursday. He has been in every city of importance north of us, and left Thursday southbound. For years in Chicago he had heard of the Willamette valley, and expected much, but freely acknowledged ity golden wheat fields, green meadows, and trees and beautiful rivers and streams made the region delightful beyond comparison. When the big farms and big orchards are divided up, Mr Dale holds that Willamette should contain the richest agricultural population on the face of the earth.

Never squeal until your toes are stepped upon.

The best place to put an advertisement is in the paper that enjoys the confidence of the community, says Printers Ink.

Varina Davis, daughter of Jeff Davis, has written a novel of Southern life, said to possess considerable literary merit.

Whether a young man is qualified to be a good husband may be tested, it is said, very effectually by getting him to put a 14½ collar on a 15 shirt.

$50,000,000 this year for new bicycles. Well, as a good deal is spent by people who can afford it why not? The DEMOCRAT never feels like objecting except when a man neglects his just debts.

People who formerly were antagonistic to Quay of Pennsylvania are now his friends because a more rotten gang is camped on his tracks, and Quay in comparison is a model man.

The two doctors who had the duel in Portland have been accused of administering bad medicine, but it seems to have worked pretty well. Among other things it opened the Portland hospital to view, so one can see something of the internal organs of the institution.

The DEMOCRAT editor will not take his outing at Coronado beach, Calif. An Albany man who has just returned from Southern California and visited Coronado says the hotel only charges $1.50 a meal. That would be about $6.00 a day including bed. A tent or cottage will do very well for a newspaper man.

The following bill was recently actually presented by a viewer in Clay county, Ind., and we give it as a sample for Linn county viewers: For viewing one day $1.50. Walking through mud and water $.75. Getting lost going over $.37½. Getting lost coming home $.27½. Doing without dinner $.69. Making neighbors angry $.06¾. Total $3.65¾.

The Florence West editor takes good sense in the following: There is evil enough in man, God knows! But it is not the mission of every young man and woman to detail and report it all. How pleasant it would be if all the world were to love their neighbor, and if "the rest of mankind" would study to be quiet and to mind their own business.

The Hollanders are not fond of lazy people, and they have a good way of curing persons who can but won't work. If a pauper who is able to work refuse to do so they put him in a cistern, to which a pump is attached, and turn on a stream of water. This stream flows into the cistern just slow enough to enable the lazy person by lively pumping to keep the water from getting over his head.

Bishop Cleveland Coxe has a bitter dislike to the riding of bicycles by women. Some one began to speak to him lately of "a lady on a bicycle," but he said impatiently: "Sir, you never saw a lady on a bicycle, and never will." If Bishop Cleveland said that he is a first class liar. Some of the finest ladies in the world ride bicycles, women of clean characters and possessing all the womanly qualities. Down on the narrow minded cranks.

The women of Indiana are fast gaining their rights along some lines at least. Females are employed in Indiana as follows: There are 7,748 farmers and 564 agricultural laborers, 9,432 teachers, 31,095 domestic servants, 3,178 laundresses, 2,467 house-keepers, 1,937 clerks, 707 boarding housekeepers, 1,523 merchants and saleswoman, 236 stenographers and type writers, 140 telegraph and telephone operators, 68 shoemakers and repairers, 8,115 dressmakers, 2,571 milliners, 5,083 seamtresses, 1,132 tailors.

An Eastern woman tells how to keep flies away without screens: "I buy five cents worth of oil of lavender at the drug store and mix it with the same quantity of water. Then I put it in a common glass atomizer and spray it around the room where the flies are apt to congregate especially in the dining room, where I sprinkle it plentifully over the table linen. The odor is especially disagreeable to flies, and they will never venture in its neighborhood, though to most people it has a peculiarly fresh and greatful smell."—Detroit Free Press.

The editor of the E. O. occasionally gets very sarcastic. Here is one of his thrusts: The gigantic intellect in charge of the Astorian, published in the town that is going to have a railroad, is very much alarmed less immigration will not flow into Oregon because of the "silly articles" published in some newspapers. We feel that if this paper which this wise journalist has control over circulated widely there might be some ground for his fears; but since no one reads it but a few fishermen and real estate owners and speculators in and around Astoria, we think the young man is more scared than the occasion seems to justify. Doubtless the young man has a few "New Astoria" lots which he has taken in exchange for advertising and which he desires to dispose of, hence his tale of woe.

A Washington dispatch says that Ex-Senator Butler, of South Carolina, called today on Senators Jones and Harris, members of the executive committee appointed by the recent democratic silver conference, and suggested the following propositions to be advocated by the silver democrats:

First—Repeal the tax on state bank circulation.

Second—Admit silver to coinage at an equality with gold at the ratio of 16 to 1.

Third—Retire all greenbacks and coin certificates.

Fourth—Require national banks to surrender their charters and permit them to take out state charters under national supervision.

Fifth—Take the government entirely out of the banking business.

Sixth—Stop the issuance of long time bonds by the government. The revenues should be enough to support the government; but if it is necessary to issue bonds, they should be of small denomination, so that our own people may invest their savings in them

The runs of threshing crews are much larger than last year, in this county, a fact that indicates that the yield is much larger. There is no question on that point

Should knee breeches come into style generally it will no doubt cause a new industry, that of leg straightening.

MISFITS.

After reading of the antics of Corbett and Fitzsimmons one may be justified in remarking that John L. Sullivan has been thoroughly vindicated. He is quite a gentleman.

A good deal is said about Hoke Smith in the east; but keep your eyes on our Hank Smith up in the Santiam. He is solving the gold question out of sight in a practical way.

Judging from our exchanges Newport is full of belles this season. Nearly every city claims the honor. This belle business by the way is as smoky as the Willamette valley has been.

The reason why the Salem band broke up before the end of the season is now freely discussed, and the names of the parties in the scandal are openly handled by the Portland papers. Of course Newport had to have a scandal before the end of the season. It has had nearly everything but the sea serpent.

A Christian Endeavor young man in Michigan forged checks last year to raise funds to attend the national endeavor convention at Boston. This year another Michigan endeavorer ran away with his neighbor's wife and took her to Boston.—Ex. One case a year out of 30,000 or 40,000 is certainly a splendid showing for the Y. P. S. C. E.

Junction City Times has made the following fit for use in Oregon: A married woman in Eugene got the best of her husband the other evening. When he came home late, as was his custom, and rang the door bell his wife went to the door and whispered through the keyhole: "Is that you, Jim?" Her husband's name, of course, was not Jim, and now he stays at home every night and sleeps with one eye open and a club under his pillow.

A new way of collecting old debts is being introduced in Maine towns. The introduction of the scheme is a novelty, too. A young woman of alleged great attractiveness is the advance agent, and between her own attractions and those of her scheme she is said to be a very complete success. She calls on the local merchants and secures their membership in the new agency. A few days after her departure there appears in town a number of men dressed in bright green coats, who get the particulars of old debts and debtors from the members and then proceed to call on the victims. The contract provides that the horribly conspicuous collectors shall make 15 calls a day on each debtor, meeting him anywhere and everywhere. The most of the debtors are glad to make a prompt settlement rather than have the whole neighborhood see them haunted by the green coated specter. The DEMOCRAT knows Albany men whom it would serve right to have an army of green coated men after.

In his sermon yesterday morning Rev. Abbett told of an interesting incident that happened in his native state that deserves a place in the columns of the DEMOCRAT. It is one displaying in a marked manner what a little thing will do sometimes in shaping the course of mens lives. A young man had been teaching school in a very backwoods district, when one evening just before closing he asked three boys to remain after school. They expected a scolding for something they had done; but instead he said to them: "Boys, I want you to go to College," and had an interesting talk with them on the subject. They parted saying they would think about it. Several weeks afterwards they again remained after school and told their teacher they had decided to go to college, a brave determination, as they were sons of very poor people. They went. Not long ago, years afterwards, the teacher shook hands with the three in Indianapolis, when one was president of the state senate, one speaker of the house and the other one of the wealthiest merchants in that city. A will to do something in the world, all from a little word from a school teacher had placed them among the prominent men of their state.

Wheat quotations in Albany the other day were 47 cents. At Salem, twenty-five miles nearer Portland, 44 cents. Albany has a competing railroad line which accounts for the difference.—Eugene Guard.

The Washington News in a reminiscent article on General Grant's Oregon days says that when in Oregon he used to play poker with Joe Holliday, Joe Lane, and Jim Nesmith. It is narrated by Judge Noah on the authority of an army officer that on one occasion Holliday, Grant, Ingalls, and Nesmith engaged in a game of poker which lasted two weeks night and day. At this juncture it occurred to Nesmith that he had left his wife at home, some hundred miles away, but with little in the larder and no money, and the unwelcome thought flashed across his mind that he had gone away to be absent only a couple days, and in the interval it was quite probable that Mrs. Nesmith had run the length of her household supplies, was out of money and possibly being cared for by the neighbors. The thought was harrowing, and he vainly sought to banish it from his mind, but failing to do so, lost his nerve at the play and with it considerable money. At last, becoming desperate, he frankly stated the case and announced his determination to quit the game and return home. This angered Ben Holliday, who was not a man of the sweetest temper when under excitement, and he blurted out:

"If you want to jump the game, why don't you say so like a man, and not give any such flimsy excuse and lay the responsibility on your wife?"

Nesmith glared furiously at Holladay and savagely retorted:

"Jump the game! Jump the game! Why, we have been playing here two weeks, night and day. How long does a man have to play poker with you before he can decently jump the game? You are the biggest poker hog, Ben Holladay, I ever knew."

MARRIED.

GIBSON—ACHESON.—At the residence of and by Rev. A. D. Skaggs. Christian minister, Junction City, Or., Saturday 17th, A. A. Gibson and Miss Maud Achison, all of Lane Co. The bride is a sister of Mr. E W. Achison.

Hypochondrical, despondent, nervous, "tired out" men—those who suffer from backache, weariness, loss of energy, impaired memory, dizziness, melancholy and discouragement, the result of exhausting diseases, or drains upon the system, excesses, or abuses, bad habits, or early vices, are treated through correspondence at their homes, with uniform success, by the Specialists of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y. A book of 136 large pages, devoted to the consideration of the maladies above hinted at, may be had, *mailed securely sealed from observation, in a plain envelope*, by sending 10 cents in one-cent stamps (for postage on Book), to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, at the above mentioned Hotel. For more than a quarter of a century, physicians connected with this widely celebrated Institution, have made the treatment of the delicate diseases above referred to, their sole study and practice. Thousands, have consulted them. This vast experience has naturally resulted in improved methods and means of cure.

TELEGRAPHIC.

A Seesaw Game.

WASHINGTON, Aug.20,—The gold syndicate today prevented the gold reserve from falling below the $100,000,000 mark. About 2 o'clock, the treasury department was informed that $2,850,000 in gold had been withdrawn for export from the subtreasury in New York. As the gold reserve at the close of business today stood at $102,527,146, the withdrawal would have reduced the reserve to $99,677,148. A few minutes afterward, however, Acting Secretary Curtis received a telegram, saying that Pierpont Morgan, of the syndicate, had deposited $2,000,000 in gold in exchange for greenbacks. Th's deposit swelled the reserve to $101,677,148.

Ingalls Willing.

CHICAGO, Aug.20'—Ex-Senator John J. Ingalls, of Kansas, is in town. Asked if he would again be a candidate for United States senator, he replied:

"It has been generally understood since my defeat in 1891 that if I returned to public life my ambition was to begin where I left off, and resume my old seat. There is gratifying unanimity among Kansas republicans in favor of my return to the senate, and I am sure if they see fit to honor me again I would accept it.

A Jeer Capture

LONG BEACH, Wash, Aug.20.—A. J. Lusk, an embezzler to the tune of $80,000, is on his way to Portland in charge of United States Marshal Grady, who has been on his trail since last June. The arrest was made here by Deputy Marshal Harry Morgan yesterday, and is the culmination of a clever piece of detective work. Lusk, who was cashier of the First National bank of Wichita, Kan., robbed that institution of some $80,000 two years ago. Two of his conferderates were arrested and convicted. He was also caught and escaped for the time being on a technicality, flying to San Francisco.

Three Men Drowned.

ASTORIA, Aug. 19.—During the regatta today, while the sloop race was on, a most distressing accident occurred. The Monogram, built in this city by J. Leathers expressly for this regatta, capsized, and three men were drowned. There was 17, all told, on board. The other 14 were rescued. The drowned are;

Louis Bilger, of Portland, age 23; John Ossenberger, of this city, aged 17, and Frank Meadows, a printer of this city.

That Lone Highwayman.

ROSEBURG, Or., Aug. 19.—Sheriff G. F. Cathart is making an energetic effort to capture the Coos Bay stagerobber, and with Deputy R. E. Hodson, has spent several days near the scene of the holdup and has succeeded in finding some clues which point to the robber's identity. A young man named Wood, who spent some time in Roseburg, and finally moved with some friends to O'alla to engage in placer mining, is suspected of being the lone highwayman.

A Fatal Accident.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug 19—Early this morning, while riding on his velocipede, Section Foreman Dwight Hinman, of the Ilwaco Railway & Navigation Company, was run over by an engine and received injuries which resulted in his death later in the day. The morning was thick and fogy and Hinman did not hear the approaching train. The engineer could not see the man, and was not aware of his being on the track. When too late, the figure of Hinman loomed up through the mist just ahead of the engine. The crash came and Hinman was thrown from the track. One leg was completely severed below the knee.

A School House Burned.

MEDFORD, Or., Aug. 19.—The public school building in this city burned to the ground this morning between 1 and 2 o'clock. The fire seemed to have started in the basement and the entire building burned at once. The general supposition is that the fire was set under both ends of the building at the same time. The loss is estimated at $12,000, with $7000 insurance. The brigade had hard work to save the Southern Methodist church, which stood just across the street.

A slow Affair.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 19.—Superior Judge Murphy was too ill today to proceed with the trial of Theodore Durrant, and a recess was declared until Thursday. It is said that counsel for defense is preparing affidavits in support of a new motion for a change of venue on the ground of the impracticability of securing an impartial jury in San Francisco. If the motion is granted, it is said they will endeavor to have Santa Rosa selected as the scene of the trial.

Prominent Man Dead.

LAKE MINNEWASKA, N. Y., Aug 19.—Ex-Associate Justice Strong, of the United States supreme court, died here at 2:10 this afternoon. The justice was brought to Lake Minnewaska several weeks ago suffering from a catarrhal affection of long standing. His system was system was also greatly weakened by a fall down a flight of stairs at his home in Washington about two months ago. Since his arrival here Judge Strong had lain in a semi-comatose state, from which he rallied only at intervals

A Terrible Accident.

DENVER, Aug. 19.—The Gumry hotel, No. 1725 to 1737 Lawrence street, was wrecked by a terrific explosion at 12:10 this (Monday) morning, the entire rear half of the building, a five story brick and stone structure, going down with a crash. The hotel was crowded with guests, and many of them must have been killed, as well as the entire force of hotel employees who were sleeping in that portion of the building. Among the dead are Peter Gumry and H. C. Grenier, the proprietors; also the clerk, the day clerk and the night clerk, none of whom has been found. At 2:40 a m 24 have been accounted for, six being probably fatally injured and the rest less seriously. Soon after the explosion the night clerk was heard to remark that 70 guests were in the house. The list of servants will not exceed 10, making a possible death list of 56.

Nine Drowned.

OCEANSIDE, Md., Aug 18.—By the overloading of a small pleasure boat, an entire family was drowned, and two other families are in mourning. A party of farmers from the neighborhood of Frankford and Shelbyville, Del., had a fishfry on Grey's creek, a branch of the Isle of Wight bay, with bathing, fishing and other amusements. William Hundson carried a party of nine out sailing, and as the boat was about to come back the women of the party jumped screaming on the high side, capsizing the little craft, which was scarcely large enough to carry five persons.

A Boy Probably Killed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—Charles King, a 15-year-old boy, will probably die of an accident which happened to-day in the Golden Gate Park. His horse became frightened by a wheelman who dashed by too close to him. Young King received his injuries while trying to control the horse.

That Dog Owney.

TACOMA, Aug. 18.—"Owney" the postal clerks' famous dog, who has traveled all over the United States, sails at 4 o'clock to-morrow on a trip around the world from Tacoma. Farley in July "Owney" came to Tacoma and made a trip to Alaska. Returning he inspected a China steamer lying at the dock and seemed much interested in it. This led to Assistant Postmaster Stockton making arrangements for him to go around the world. He will go to Hong Kong on the Northern Pacific steamer Victoria, as the guest is Captain John Panton.

A Record Broken.

SHOKANE, Aug. 18.—John Staver of Portland, today lowered the Pacific Northwest record for three miles. He was paced by a tandem, and went the distance in 7:15 4-5. The first mile was made in 2:25, the second in 2:27, and the last in 2:23 4-5. The mile made by Campbell yesterday in 2:04 was with a flying start.

A Riot in a Church

ST JOSEPH, Mo, Aug. 18.—There was a riot at St Peter and St Paul's Catholic church to day, and as a result one man was fatally injured and six others are badly used up, the injuries of two being serious. There is a faction of the church opposed to the priest, and these men attempted to break up the services. Several arrests have been made.

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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE
OREGON CITY, OR., July 24th, 1895

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the approved plat of survey of Fractional township 10 south, range 9 west, Fractional township 6 south, range 9 west, Fractional Township 9 south, range 9 west, Fractional Township 10 south, range 10 west, Fractional Township 10 south, range 11 west, Fractional Township 7 south, range 11 west, Fractional Township 8 south, range 10 west, Fractional Township 9 south, range 10 west, Fractional Township 6 south, range 10 west, have been received from the surveyor general of Oregon and on August 26th, 1895, at 9 o'clock a. m. of said day said plat will be filed in this office and the land therein embraced will be subject to entry on and after said date.

ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.
PETER PAQUET, Receiver.

Street Railway Time Card

The car will leave the corner of First and Washington streets as follows:

8:55 a. m. for overland going north.
7:20 " O. P. train going east.
7:55 " Lebanon train
11:25 " " "
11:55 " noon train going north.
12:15 p. m " " south
12:35 " ....
4:00 " Lebanon train.
5:35 " .....
9:50 " overland going south.

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The South Bend, Wash., bank has failed. Deposits $42,000; loans $90,000. Paid up capital $50,000. It's loans seem to have been very injudiciously made, one of $5000 being on a tannin extract work and a second mortgage at that. A call for only $5,000 from a Tacoma bank broke the camels back, evidently a very weak one.

In justice to the medical profession of Portland, it is being asserted positively that the physicians of that city do not as a rule carry revolvers. An important fact with intending patients. Our advice, though, is to run no risks, but patronize Albany physicians, among the best in the state, as they do not carry revolvers.

Reference to the Salem hog is frequently made "for fun," as the small boy says, and even the Salem papers use the expression in the same way. As hog raising is the best paying industry in Oregon today the matter should be taken philosophically. In Roseburg though the Review recently referred to his porkship, and a correspondent in the Plaindealer, signing himself Salemite, calls the editor of the Review cranky, half demented, idiotic jackass, egotistic, braggadocio, a jaundiced imbecile, etc.

The Salem Post must have been writing up a party the way the Washinton balls are written up, before they occur. It says: It appears that The Post made a mistake yesterday in publishing the notice of the lawn party held at the residence of Captain and Mrs. D. D. Dickey, as it was not a lawn social, but a carpet sewing bee. There were no gentlemen there at all, only ladies, and mostly married. No card-playing was indulged in, and a great many persons represented as being there in yesterday's notice were not present.

Recently after stating that the students of the O. A. C. pay no tuition the DEMOCRAT remarked: "The people pay for it." The Times in a very nice manner takes it up, and shows how much good it does helping poor young men in getting an education, even if the people do pay for it. This opens the old question of whether the government should pay for any higher education than that offered by the common schools. It has been often discussed, and the DEMOCRAT will not continue the discussion; but it may be said candidly that if any school deserves it, it is such a college as the O. A. C. run in the interest of the poorer classes.

Globular Combine

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—The Southern Pacific Company has entered into a contract in London which makes it now possible for a passenger to buy a ticket around the world from any point on any of the lines which have become a party to the agreement. The agreement is in effect an important combination between several railroads and steamboat companies in order to control the lion's share of the round the world passenger traffic.

Seven Drowned

BUFFALO, Aug. 20.—By the capsizing of a small pleasure yacht of Kung 'Bros,' this evening seven men of the 17 on board were drowned. That there was not a greater loss of life was due to the nearness of the tug Maitham and the quickness of the life saving crew in reaching the scene. The dead are:

Frank Buggman, Jacob Baumnann, Henry Schindler, Charles Giescher, Thomas Cannon, and a fireman and a stranger whose names are unknown. The members of the party were employese of the East Buffolo stoskyards.

The Denver Fire

DENVER, Aug. 20.—Sixteen bodies so far have been taken out of the ruins of the Gumry Hotel, and it is evident that the death roll, when complete will contain 24 or 25 names, possibly more. Work on the ruins war suspended and the search for bodies discontinued till evening, till the walls which threatened to topple and bury the workmen could be pulled down. It is believed that there are at least eight or nine bodies yet in the ruins.

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