

WEEKLY CORVALLIS GAZETTE.

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COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE.

Freight from Amity to Portland has been raised from \$4 to \$5 40 a ton—distance less than sixty miles.

Freight from Portland to Corvallis by boat or railroad is, we hear, raised to from \$4 to \$6 a ton.

News comes also that the passenger fare from Portland to San Francisco is about to be raised from \$20 to \$30.

We are told further, on what we believe to be good authority, that a petition is already addressed, or is about to be addressed to the divinity of Oregon, namely, the O. R. & N. Company, to discriminate in favor of the Portland wholesale houses against the merchants of the interior by charging a higher rate on all goods shipped through Portland to the interior, and not passing through a Portland house than on those consigned to Portland.

And all this is the outcome of what the *Oregonian* of March 14th called a "sound and liberal" policy for the country.

Does it hurt? Do you like the gentle pressure? Or do you begin to believe that the price is just a little high for this great man's choosing Oregon for his stamping ground!

QUESTIONS TO ANSWER.

On March 26th Mr. Villard telegraphed to the *Oregonian* "all you have said in the *Oregonian* regarding our obtaining control of the Northern Pacific is substantially true." We all know that we have heard nothing else since the second week in March but suggestion after suggestion about the "admirable management and success" of this "magnificent" operation till even Mr. Villard must be sick of hearing the same tune sung so often. But now the great man tells the interviewer of the *St. Paul Pioneer Press* "I have never said that I owned a controlling interest in the Northern Pacific."

Has the *Oregonian* correctly reported him? If so, how do white and black agree?

EASTERN FREIGHT REDUCTIONS.

Chicago dispatches of the 11th inst. state that, at a meeting of the general freight agents representing the trunk railway lines from that point to Atlantic shipping points, the rate on grain was reduced to 25 cents on the 100 pounds. The old rates were 30 to 40. The new rate is equal to \$5 per ton. The distance from Chicago to New York being 930 miles, it amounts to a little over a half-cent per ton per mile; or, to be precise, 0.555 cents per ton per mile. The reason given for the reduction is that the Mississippi river being now open from St. Louis to New Orleans, freights by water will be as low as the point to which the railways have come down. This is only a part of the motive. The water routes by way of the lakes and Erie canal are also open and freights by that route will be nearly as low as by the Mississippi route. Still another reason is found in the necessity of doing something to silence or obstruct the very general movement now making throughout the country to check the growing power and aggressiveness of transportation monopolies. At half a cent per ton per mile the producers of grain in the western states have no good reason to complain. But let the agitation against the tyranny of the monopolies cease, and the instant the lake and river routes shall be again closed next fall, up would go rates on grain again to 40 cents a hundred. The remedy of the evil is in the hands of the farmers themselves if they will apply it by political agitation and at the elections, both state and federal.

A coyote club will be organized at Eugene City on the 23d.

The Oregonian Railway Company (limited) is building a rail car at Ray's landing.

Marion county farmers are "kicking" at the outlandish transportation charges made by the narrow gauge.

Dr. Folkman, editor of the *Steaks Zebra*, of Portland, was horse whipped by Charles Baechler, a rival editor, last week.

W. W. Holcomb, of Goldendale, has been arrested and fined for abstracting from the minutes of the city council the minutes appertaining to his expulsion as City Recorder.

Sheep shearing has begun in Jackson county.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF NIHILISM.

Those who have looked upon the Czar of Russia as a tyrannical sovereign because he did not consult the wishes of the Nihilists, have the impression that these people are demanding reforms in the interest of the poorer classes, and the Czar would not listen to them. Of course Russia is the most absolute monarchy in the world and its treatment of Poland in the past has been brutal and despotic in the extreme, but it is well understood that the assassinated Czar assumed the throne with the best of intentions towards the welfare of Russia and the happiness of his people.

He freed the serfs; but of course they were not given the same liberty now possessed by the former slaves of this country. They were forced to remain in Russia, and were otherwise deprived of rights not known in despotic countries. His plan was to gradually improve his people and fit them for the heritage of all true men—freedom. Because he did not emancipate these ignorant, semi-barbaric people instantly and clothe them with a license to do what they chose, the Nihilists justify themselves in murdering him. Such a creed should be stamped from the earth, and we can assure these cowardly assassins that in America, the land of liberty, their villainous philosophy is as repulsive as slavery. Nihilism had its birth among aristocrats and nobles of Russia, whose immorality led them to break down all the barriers preventing the full enjoyment of their passions, and of course the first step in this direction was to embrace infidelity, and proclaim the absence of a Deity; that there should be no virtue in the land; marriage should be unnecessary; all that was sacred must give place to corruption. The majority must wipe out the minority. That our readers may better understand the philosophy of Nihilism, or the philosophy of negation, we give some extracts as advocated by these fanatics taken from the *Binghamton Leader*.

This gospel admits of no half measure or hesitation. The old world must be destroyed and replaced by a new one. The lie must be stamped out and give way to truth. It is our mission to destroy the lie, and to effect this we must begin at the very commencement. Now the beginning of all these lies which have grown down this poor world in slavery is God. Tear out of your hearts the belief in the existence of a God, for so long as an atom of that silly superstition remains in your minds you will never know what freedom is. When you get rid of this priest-begotten God, and when, moreover, you are convinced that your own sense and that of the surrounding world is due to the conglomeration of atoms in accordance with the laws of gravity and attraction, then and then only you will have accomplished the first step toward liberty, and you will experience less difficulty in ridding your minds of that second lie which tyranny has invented. The first lie is God and the second lie is right. Might invented the fiction of right in order to insure and strengthen her reign. Might forms the sole ground-work of society. Might makes and unmakes laws, and that might should be in the hands of the majority. Once penetrated with a clear conviction of your own might, you will be able to destroy this mere notion of right. And when you have freed your minds from the fear of a God and from that childish respect for the fiction of right, then all the remaining chains which bind you and which are called science, civilization, property, marriage, morality and justice, will snap asunder like threads. Let your happiness be your only law. But in order to get this law recognized and to bring about the proper relations which should exist between the majority and minority of mankind, you must destroy everything which exists in the shape of state or social organizations. Our first work must be destruction and annihilation of everything as it now exists. You must accustom yourself to destroy everything—the good with the bad. For if an atom of this old world remains, the new will never be created. Take heed that no ark be allowed to rescue any atom of this old world, which we consecrate to destruction.

OREGON WAR BONDS.

The following circular will be of interest to holders of Oregon war bonds of 1861:

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11. Notice is hereby given to holders of the U. S. six-per-cent bonds, issued under the act of March 2, 1861, and commonly known as the "Oregon War Debt," that said bonds, with accrued interest thereon, will be paid at this department, July 1, 1881, and interest on said bonds will cease that day. These bonds are in denominations of \$50, \$100 and \$500, and bear the inscription "Oregon War Debt." All bonds forwarded for redemption should be addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury, Loan Division, Washington, D. C. and should be accompanied by the Secretary of the Treasury for redemption. When parties desire checks in payment for bonds drawn to the order of any one but the payee they should assign them to the secretary of the treasury for redemption for account of the person or persons to whose order they should be made payable.

WILLIAM WINDOM, Secretary of the Treasury

The *N. Y. Times*, reviewing Jeff Davis' book, says that it takes conspicuous pains to assure his readers that he has not changed his mind in regard to any of the questions which involved the country in a terrible war; he is evidently the same uncompromising and unrepentant rebel described by Zach Chandler in his memorable speech made in the U. S. Senate shortly before his death. Altogether his book is a "vindication of the principles which animated the Confederates" can only be regarded as a very dismal failure. For his own reputation it would have been much better had he never written it. He should not have again thrust himself into public notice. The country has had quite enough of the man who led the lost cause.

ITEMS BY TELEGRAPH.

The flax mill of Smith & Dove, manufacturing company at Fryerville, Mass., burned recently; loss, \$75,000; insured.

Sergeant Bates, who carried a U. S. flag through the south and through Europe after the war, died at Saybrook, Ill., on the 13th, leaving a wife and six children in extreme poverty.

A heavy frost is reported throughout the state of Texas, doing considerable damage to corn, cotton, fruit, and vegetables.

A number of Nihilists on the 14th, attacked the troops guarding the prison in which the condemned Nihilists are detained. Twenty Nihilists were captured with bombs in their possession.

Dr. Carver, the American marksman, has challenged ten best shots of the Hurlingham Club and Gun Club of London, to a pigeon shooting match for \$500, the doctor shooting 1000 pigeons to his opponents 100 each.

Number of immigrants arrived during March, 44,121, of whom 19,000 were from Germany and 3000 from Spain. The number arriving during the nine months ending March 31st was 121,422. Of these 102,000 were from Germany, 87,000 from Canada and 33,000 from Ireland.

The Czar's murderers were hanged at St. Petersburg on the 15th.

A satisfactory trial of Edison's electric light was made at New York on the 15th.

Storms prevailed on the Atlantic coast on the 15th, of greater intensity than any in mid-winter.

The tonnage situation remains unchanged in San Francisco. The market has lost none of its strength.

A miner's hospital has been started in California, with Hearst, Hydenfeld, Daggett, Redding and Coleman as trustees.

Charles Pierpont, freight conductor on the U. P., shot and killed in cold blood, roadmaster C. H. Graves at Laramie City on the 15th.

J. G. Unser, dispatch clerk in the Cincinnati postoffice was caught in the act of stealing a decoy package having been sent for him. Valuable packages have been missing for several months.

One of the largest cattle transactions ever made has just been closed by Messrs. Hixson, of St. Louis, and Simpson, of Weatherford, Texas, purchased the famous Miller ranch for \$300,000.

The incorporators transferred the franchise for a railroad from Matamoros to Monterey, Mexico, to Sullivan & Palmer, and the contract for the construction of the road has been made.

At the Dallas, on the 15th, J. B. Dickinson's barn was destroyed by fire, totally consuming a lot of hay, oats and barley, and burning four horses; loss about \$1,600; supposed incendiarianism.

The conviction is rapidly forcing itself on the people that the world's fair will surely collapse. A meeting of the commission was not held owing to the absence of some of the members, and the decision of the question was delayed some days.

A fearful flood prevailed throughout Wisconsin on the 18th.

The rainfall was heavy, especially in the central and southern part of California on the 17th, where it was most needed.

An imprudent Socialist named Katz, has written President Garfield that he is a despot and should be treated to dynamite.

J. W. Humble, a young Englishman, who had been unfortunate in stock speculations, cut his throat in Chicago on the 17th.

PACIFIC COAST.

Everything is favorable for an immense crop in the Palouse country.

Hon. M. C. George, M. C., has arrived home from Washington, D. C.

Lumber is now rafted on the Nehalem.

The salmon catch thus far at Astoria is very light.

John Ulrich, formerly a boss at Ainsworth, was brought to Colfax, on the 14th for examination as to sanity. He died in the stage the morning before it arrived. It is supposed that morphine, administered at Ainsworth, killed him.

A grist mill is to be built at Woodburn.

One of Hume's fishermen caught a 52-pound salmon at Astoria on Saturday last.

Mr. S. Hannah was struck last week at Union while working in his garden.

Catharine Duncan, mother of Geo. C. Duncan, of Paisley, died at that place March 29, 1881, aged 72 years.

Lane county has purchased the toll bridge which spans the Klamath river at Plevna. No toll is now charged for its use.

A granary 40x40 will be built near the Silverton depot this spring by J. Wolford & Co.

There will be considerable building in the vicinity of Silverton this spring. Among those noted are three school houses and several barns.

R. L. Harding, of Columbia county owns a three-year old Clydesdale colt that weighs 1520 pounds.

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual election of the city of Corvallis, for the city officers, will be held at the office of Thomas J. Blair, at the corner of First and Water streets, in the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, Oregon, on Monday the second day of May, A. D. 1881, polls to open at 9 A. M. and close at 6 P. M. of said day; at which time the following officers are to be elected, to-wit: Mayor, Recorder, Marshal, Treasurer, three Aldermen from 1st Ward, two Aldermen from 2d Ward, and two Aldermen from the 3d Ward of said city of Corvallis.

Witness my hand and the seal of said city of Corvallis this 12th day of April, 1881.

J. R. Harvey, City Recorder.

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ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Having permanently located here, we respectfully solicit your patronage. OREGONIAN THE PATRONAGE.

Messrs. Graham, Hamilton, Co. known as the live Druggists of the town, are always up to the time and ready to meet the demands of their many customers. They have just received a supply of that wonderful remedy that is astonishing the world by its marvelous cures, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Phthisis, Croup, Whooping Cough, Tickling in the Throat, Loss of Voice, Hoarseness or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. This remedy positively cures, and thousands can testify if you do not believe it call at Graham Hamilton & Co's Drug store and get a Trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size bottle for one dollar. As you value your life, give it a trial and be convinced, as thousands already have been.

Sad Havoc is Created

Among the tenants of the month by allowing impurities to collect upon their surface or in their interstices. SOZODONT removes every vestige of tartar from the teeth, and renders their premature decay impossible. It not only imparts to them whiteness and vigor, but communicates hardness and resilience to the gums. The breath acquires a most acceptable fragrance from its use; it is a purely botanic liquid, and it may be relied on to accomplish its beautifying effects without injuring the enamel like a gritty tooth paste.

We Challenge the World.

When we say we believe, we have evidence to prove that Shiloh's Consumption Cure is the best Lung Medicine made, in as much as it will cure a common or Chronic Cough in one half the time and relieve Asthma, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Croup, and show more cases of Consumption cured than all others. It will cure where they fail, it is pleasant to take, harmless to the youngest child and we guarantee what we say. Price, 10cts. and \$1.00. If your lungs are sore, Cough or Back lame Shiloh's Foreign Plaster. Sold by Allen & Woodward, Druggists.

Do You Believe It.

That in this town there are scores of persons passing our store every day whose lives are made miserable by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and distended Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, when for 75 cts. we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Allen & Woodward, Druggists.

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No people in the world suffer as much from Dyspepsia as Americans. Although years of experience in medicine had failed to accomplish a certain and sure remedy for this disease and its effects, such as Sour Stomach, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Sick Headache, Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Liver Complaint, coming up of the food, low spirits, general debility, etc., yet since the introduction of GREEN'S AUGOR PLEASANT, we believe there is no case of Dyspepsia that cannot be immediately relieved.

30,000 dozen sold last year without one case of failure reported. Go to your Druggist and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two doses will relieve you. Regular size 75 cents.

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The defendant will take notice, that if he fail to answer the complaint herein the plaintiff will take judgment against him for two hundred and forty-three dollars and sixty-six cents, together with costs and expenses of this action.

Given under my hand this 17th day of February, 1881.

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